

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING - TOWN OF BETHEL, CONNECTICUT
Proposed Water Rates - FY 2008 and FY 2009

The Board of Selectmen of the Town of Bethel will hold a Public Hearing on Wednesday, January 16, 2008 in Meeting Room "A" of the Clifford J. Hurgin Municipal Center, 1 School Street, Bethel, Connecticut at 7:00 p.m. to receive Public Comments on the Proposed Fiscal Year 2008 and Fiscal Year 2009 Water Rates.

Consumption Charges	Existing Rates	Proposed FY 2008 Rates	Proposed FY 2009 Rates
Volume Charge	Water	Water	Water
0-6,000 Gallons See flat meter charges below			
6,000-65,000 per 1000 gallons in excess of 6,000 gal.	\$2.10	\$2.52	\$3.02
>65,000 per 1000 gallons in excess of 65,000 gal.	\$1.60	\$1.92	\$2.30
Quarterly Minimum Charge			
Meter Size			
5/8"	\$10.00	\$12.00	\$14.40
3/4"	\$15.00	\$18.00	\$21.60
1"	\$30.00	\$36.00	\$43.20
1 1/4"	\$45.00	\$54.00	\$64.80
1 1/2"	\$60.00	\$72.00	\$86.40
2"	\$112.50	\$135.00	\$162.00
3"	\$225.00	\$270.00	\$324.00
4"	\$300.00	\$360.00	\$432.00
Annual Fire Protection Charges			
Public Hydrants each	\$200.00	\$952.00	\$952.00
Private Connection			
<=4		\$328.00	\$328.00
6		\$952.00	\$952.00
8		\$2,028.00	\$2,028.00
10		\$3,647.00	\$3,647.00
12		\$5,891.00	\$5,891.00

EXAMPLE:

Customer with 3/4" meter uses 10,000 gallons of water

Existing Rate -

1st 6,000 gallons, \$15.00, + 4,000 gallons x \$2.10/1000 gal., \$ 8.40 Total \$23.40

Proposed Rate - FY 2008

1st 6,000 gallons, \$18.00, + 4,000 gallons x \$2.52/1000 gal., \$10.08 Total \$28.08

Proposed Rate - FY 2009

1st 6,000 gallons, \$21.60, + 4,000 gallons x \$3.02/1000 gal., \$12.08 Total \$33.68

Dated at Bethel, Connecticut this 28th day of December 2007

BOARD OF SELECTMEN
 Robert E. Burke, First Selectman
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