

November 30, 2018

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON  
PROPOSED REVISIONS TO ORDINANCES**

**The Metropolitan District  
555 Main Street  
Hartford, Connecticut**

Pursuant to Special Act 01-3, as adopted by the General Assembly of the State of Connecticut, The Metropolitan District will hold a public hearing on proposed revisions to The Metropolitan District Ordinances. The hearing will be held in the Board Room at Metropolitan District Headquarters, 555 Main Street, Hartford, Connecticut, on Monday, **December 10, 2018 at 4:45p.m.**

The proposed ordinance revisions are available for inspection at the Office of the District Clerk of The Metropolitan District, 555 Main Street, Hartford and [www.themdc.org/budget](http://www.themdc.org/budget).

**WATER ORDINANCES:**

- § W1a "WATER USED CHARGE (TREATED WATER)"
- § W1f "SURCHARGE OUTSIDE THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS"
- § W6f "CHARGES FOR PRIVATE FIRE PROTECTION SERVICE"

**SEWER ORDINANCES:**

- § S15b "DEFINITIONS"
- § S15e "VARIANCES"
- § S15l "BILLING OF FOG CHARGES"
- § S15m "PAYING OF FOG CHARGES"

All interested parties from The Metropolitan District's member municipalities may appear to be heard.

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District Clerk

# REVISIONS TO WATER SUPPLY ORDINANCES

## SEC. W1a WATER USED CHARGE (TREATED WATER)

The WATER USED CHARGE is the quantity of water used as read at the meter, as follows:

<del>BILLS RENDERED</del>	<del>RATE</del>
<del>MONTHLY AND QUARTERLY</del>	<del>\$3.14 per 100 Cubic Feet</del>

<u>BILLS RENDERED</u>	<u>RATE</u>
<u>MONTHLY</u>	<u>\$3.50 per 100 Cubic Feet</u>

## SEC. W1f SURCHARGE OUTSIDE THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

In towns outside the limits of The Metropolitan District for which capital improvements or layout and assessment projects are constructed, in addition to charges under SEC. W1a, W1b and W1c, there shall be a surcharge on the water rates determined from the size of the meter installed on the premises, as follows:

### Farmington

<del>SIZE OF METER</del>	<del>MONTHLY BILLING</del>
<del>5/8"</del>	<del>\$0.18</del>
<del>1"</del>	<del>\$0.36</del>
<del>1 1/2"</del>	<del>\$1.94</del>
<del>2"</del>	<del>\$6.17</del>
<del>3"</del>	<del>\$10.79</del>
<del>4"</del>	<del>\$13.44</del>
<del>8"</del>	<del>\$353.71</del>

<u>SIZE OF METER</u>	<u>MONTHLY BILLING</u>
<u>5/8"</u>	<u>\$0.74</u>
<u>1"</u>	<u>\$2.60</u>
<u>1 1/2"</u>	<u>\$12.40</u>
<u>2"</u>	<u>\$28.26</u>
<u>3"</u>	<u>\$41.96</u>
<u>4"</u>	<u>\$119.93</u>
<u>6"</u>	<u>\$43.32</u>
<u>8"</u>	<u>\$4,854.28</u>

**Glastonbury**

<b>SIZE OF METER</b>	<b>MONTHLY BILLING</b>
5/8"	<u>\$1.44</u>
3/4"	<u>\$3.40</u>
1"	<u>\$3.33</u>
1 1/2"	<u>\$8.65</u>
2"	<u>\$16.57</u>
3"	<u>\$51.05</u>
4"	<u>\$51.05</u>

<b>SIZE OF METER</b>	<b>MONTHLY BILLING</b>
<b>5/8"</b>	<b><u>\$3.58</u></b>
<b>3/4"</b>	<b><u>\$4.96</u></b>
<b>1"</b>	<b><u>\$9.59</u></b>
<b>1 1/2"</b>	<b><u>\$28.76</u></b>
<b>2"</b>	<b><u>\$49.83</u></b>
<b>3"</b>	<b><u>\$131.23</u></b>
<b>4"</b>	<b><u>\$128.08</u></b>

**South Windsor**

<b>SIZE OF METER</b>	<b>MONTHLY BILLING</b>
5/8"	<u>\$0.31</u>
3/4"	<u>\$0.51</u>
1"	<u>\$0.92</u>
1 1/2"	<u>\$1.41</u>
2"	<u>\$3.15</u>
3"	<u>\$32.97</u>
4"	<u>\$32.97</u>

<b>SIZE OF METER</b>	<b>MONTHLY BILLING</b>
<b>5/8"</b>	<b><u>\$.57</u></b>
<b>3/4"</b>	<b><u>\$.70</u></b>
<b>1"</b>	<b><u>\$1.73</u></b>
<b>1 1/2"</b>	<b><u>\$2.22</u></b>
<b>2"</b>	<b><u>\$7.62</u></b>
<b>3"</b>	<b><u>\$87.23</u></b>
<b>4"</b>	<b><u>\$29.01</u></b>
<b>6"</b>	<b><u>\$25.10</u></b>

## W6f CHARGES FOR PRIVATE FIRE PROTECTION SERVICE

Charges for **metered or unmetered** connections to water mains supplying water for fire protection **including combination services**, ~~metered, or unmetered~~, shall be in accord with the following table:

<u>SIZE OF CONNECTION</u>	<u>MONTHLY CHARGE</u>
<u>2"</u>	<u>\$17.91</u>
<u>3"</u>	<u>\$23.30</u>
<u>4"</u>	<u>\$34.98</u>
<u>6"</u>	<u>\$58.67</u>
<u>8"</u>	<u>\$88.21</u>
<u>10"</u>	<u>\$147.73</u>
<u>12"</u>	<u>\$207.76</u>

<u>SIZE OF CONNECTION</u>	<u>MONTHLY CHARGE</u>
<u>2"</u>	<u>\$19.96</u>
<u>3"</u>	<u>\$25.97</u>
<u>4"</u>	<u>\$38.99</u>
<u>6"</u>	<u>\$65.40</u>
<u>8"</u>	<u>\$240.00</u>
<u>10"</u>	<u>\$375.00</u>
<u>12" &amp; Larger</u>	<u>\$540.00</u>

# REVISIONS TO SEWER ORDINANCES

## S-15 FATS, OILS AND GREASE (FOG) MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

### SEC. S15b DEFINITIONS

The following terms shall have the meanings indicated hereafter where used in this Ordinance and are in addition to those defined in Part 1, General Sewer Ordinance, Section S1b, Definitions:

- 1) “FOG – FATS, OILS AND GREASE”  
Any fats, oils and grease generated from the food preparation process as identified per the most current EPA method as listed in 40 CFR 136.3., as may be amended from time to time.
- 2) “FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENT (FSE)”  
Food service establishment means a Class III or Class IV food service establishment as defined by Section 19-13-B42 of the State of Connecticut Public Health Code, **Class 2, 3 or 4 food establishments as defined by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Food Code adopted by Connecticut Public Act 17-93**, or any other facility discharging fats, oil and grease above the effluent limits in Section 5(c)(1) and (2) of the State of Connecticut General Permit for the Discharge of Wastewater Associated with Food Service Establishments such as, but not limited to, restaurants, hotel kitchens, hospital kitchens, school kitchens, bars, factory cafeterias, retail bakeries and clubs.
- 3) “GENERAL PERMIT FOR THE DISCHARGE OF WASTEWATER ASSOCIATED WITH FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS”  
The State of Connecticut’s Department of Energy and Environmental Protection General Permit for the Discharge of Wastewater Associated with Food Service Establishments issued October 5, 2016 and its subsequent updates. The General Permit was formerly titled General Permit for the Discharge of Wastewater Associated with Food Preparation Establishments.
- 4) “Active Grease Recovery Unit (AGRU)”  
Active Grease Recovery Unit means an interior grease interceptor that separates grease from wastewater by active mechanical or electrical means as described in the General Permit for the Discharge of Wastewater Associated

## **SEC. S15e VARIANCES**

If a Food Service Establishment has limited potential for FOG in the discharge; an establishment may request a variance for required equipment by submitting an Application for Variance on a form provided by the District. If a variance of equipment is approved, the Food Service Establishment owner shall pay a variance registration fee. The variance registration is valid for a period of three years. If there is a change of ownership then the establishment's new owner must submit a new Application for Variance and pay the associated fee. Facilities that receive a variance on the FOG Management Equipment requirement are subject to the FOG Annual Fee. **MDC reserves the right to revoke any variance issued and require grease control devices to be installed.**

## **SEC. S15I BILLING OF FOG CHARGES**

The fees associated with the District's FOG Management Program will be billed to the owner of the Food Service Establishment **as detailed on the FOG registration form.**

## **SEC. S15 m PAYMENT OF FOG CHARGES**

The fees associated with the District's FOG Management Program, either as a separate bill or combined with the water and/or sewer bill, shall be due and payable within **30-25-** days of the date of issue, and the District is empowered to permit an extension of time of the due date up to seven days after the end of the billing period. One percent (1%) interest will be applied monthly to the unpaid balance, including previously applied interest, of all bills outstanding beyond the **30-25** days.