

Utility Rates Bylaw

VILLAGE OF CRAVEN

BYLAW NO. 15-2024

A BYLAW WHICH PROVIDES FOR FIXING WATER RATES AND SEWER SERVICE CHARGES

The Council for the Village of Craven, in the Province of Saskatchewan, enacts as follows:

1. The charges to be paid by the water consumer whose water service has been turned on shall be those set out in Schedule "A" attached; provided however, that where applicable the minimum shall be payable in every case whether or not any water is consumed.
2. Where a water meter is unable to be accessed, an assumed water consumption of 6,000 gallons will be charged for the quarter.
3. Persons who own or occupy premises drained or that are required by bylaw to be drained into the sewer shall pay for such services a rental rate or service charge in accordance with Schedule "A" attached.
4. Accounts for water service and/or sewer charge shall cover a period of three (3) successive months, and shall be rendered on or before the fifteenth day of the month next following such period. Accounts shall be paid within a period of thirty days from the date on which such accounts are mailed. If an account is not paid within the period of thirty days, the water service may be cut off. When the water service is cut off, it shall not be turned on until all arrears have been paid, together with a fee of \$25.00 to cover the expense of turning the water off and on again; provided that it is required to turn the water service on outside an employees' regular working hours, a fee of \$35.00 shall be charged.
5. Consumers may be permitted to pay for water service and/or sewer charge in advance of billings or the date that such billings are due, however, that consumer shall not receive any discount off the base rate or total billing.
6. Where water is supplied by the Village, the registered owner is liable for all water and sewer charges.

7. A penalty of 2.0% per month will be added to all water and sewer accounts outstanding at the date of the next billing.

8. Where a water meter is:

- a. Removed from any premises without the permission of the Village;
- b. Damaged or destroyed while on the premises of the consumer; or
- c. Damaged by frost;

The consumer shall be liable to the Village for the cost of repair or replacement of the meter and the Village may add the cost of such repair or replacement to the water billing of the premises. The fee chargeable for repair of a damaged meter shall be in an amount prescribed in Schedule "B"

9. Discontinuance of services:

- a. For those consumers who require a new service (curb stop to be installed), as a personal request to discontinue services, the Village will be responsible for all costs of the installation.
- b. For those consumers who require a new service (curb stop to be installed), as a means to discontinue service on overdue accounts, the consumer will be responsible for all costs of the installation.

10. Where a curb stop is:

- a. Requested to be turned off, a reconnection fee will be required before water is turned back on. The fee chargeable for reconnection shall be in an amount prescribed in Schedule "B".
- b. Damaged or destroyed by being turned on and off at the request of a consumer, the cost of replacement or repair will be incurred by the consumer.

11. Bylaw No. 2018-02 and Bylaw No. 03-2022 is repealed.

THE rates, charges, tolls or rents contained in this bylaw shall come into force and take effect on the day of approval being issued by the Local Government Committee.

Mayor

Administrator

Certified a true copy of
Bylaw No. 15-2024
adopted by resolution of
Council on the _____
day of _____, 20____ .

(SEAL)

Administrator

SCHEDULE "A"
TO BYLAW 15-2024

January 1, 2024

Quarterly Water Rates

6000 gallons or less	\$115.20 Per quarter (Minimum)
6001 gallons or more	\$7.00/1000 gallons or any part thereof

January 1, 2025

Quarterly Water Rates

6000 gallons or less	\$138.24 Per quarter (Minimum)
6001 gallons or more	\$8.00/1000 gallons or any part thereof

January 1, 2026

Quarterly Water Rates

6000 gallons or less	\$165.89 Per quarter (Minimum)
6001 gallons or more	\$9.00/1000 gallons or any part thereof

Quarterly Sewer Rates

Minimum:	\$70.00 Per quarter
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SCHEDULE "B"
TO BYLAW 15-2024

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| 1. Disconnection & Reconnection Fee during regular hours | \$25.00 |
| 2. Disconnection & Reconnection Fee outside of regular hours | \$35.00 |
| 3. Water Meter Repair or Replacement | \$300.00 |
| 4. Assumed Water Consumption | 6000 Gallons |
| 5. New Water & Sewer Service | |
| a. Curbstop Installation (minimum) | \$5,000.00 |
| i. Any installation greater than 30 feet away is charged based on invoices received with a minimum of \$5,000.00 required. | |