

Order No. 170/19

**ORDER VARYING BOARD ORDER No. 81/11
FOR THE TOWN OF BEAUSEJOUR
WATER and WASTEWATER RATE SCHEDULE A**

November 20, 2019

**BEFORE: Carol Hainsworth, C.B.A., Acting Chair
Mike Watson, Member**

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1.0 Executive Summary

By this Order, the Public Utilities Board varies Board Order No. 81/11 to correct a calculation error in the table of Total Quarterly Minimum charges found in Schedule A.

The updated table is found in Schedule A to this Order.

The reasons for the Board's decisions are found under Board Findings.

2.0 Background

On June 10, 2011, the Board issued Order 81/11 setting water and wastewater rates effective July 1, 2011. The water and wastewater rates per 1,000 gallons approved were accurate, however the table of Total Quarterly Minimum charges found in Schedule A contained calculation errors for the 1 ½" and 2" meter sizes.

This error was not discovered until October 2019.

3.0 Request to Review and Vary

The Town submitted a request on November 18, 2019 to amend Schedule A of Board Order No. 81/11 to reflect the correct Total Quarterly Minimum charges, and also to include the calculations for meters sized 1 ¼", 3", 4" and 6". This request was accompanied by By-law No. 1769-19, having had first reading November 12, 2019.

The Town advised the Board it will not be seeking any retroactive rate adjustments from its customers due to this error. The Town submitted a rate application for revised water and wastewater rates separate from this request.

4.0 Board Findings

After considering the information filed and Board Order 81/11, the Board grants approval to amend Schedule A in Board Order No. 81/11 to reflect the correct Total Quarterly Minimum charges, and also to include the calculations for meters sized 1 ¼", 3", 4" and 6".

Board decisions may be appealed in accordance with the provisions of Section 58 of *The Public Utilities Board Act*, or reviewed in accordance with Section 36 of the Board's Rules of Practice and Procedure (Rules). The Board's Rules may be viewed on the Board's website at www.pub.gov.mb.ca.

5.0 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. Schedule A of the Public Utilities Board Order No. 81/11 BE AND IS HEREBY VARIED to reflect the correct Total Quarterly Minimum charges, and to include meters sized 1 ¼", 3", 4" and 6" in accordance with the attached Schedule A.

Fees payable upon this Order – waived

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD

"Carol Hainsworth, C.B.A."
Acting Chair

"Jennifer Dubois, CPA, CMA"
Assistant Associate Secretary

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Assistant Associate Secretary

Schedule A
Town of Beausejour

Water & Sewer Customers

Meter Size	Group Capacity Ratio	Water Included (Gallons)	Customer Service Charge	Commodity Charges		Total Quarterly Minimum
				Water	Sewer	
5/8 inch	1	3,000	\$22.57	\$16.89	\$10.80	\$50.26
3/4 inch	2	6,000	\$22.57	\$33.78	\$21.60	\$77.95
1 inch	4	12,000	\$22.57	\$67.56	\$43.20	\$133.33
1 ¼ inch	6.7	20,000	\$22.57	\$112.60	\$72.00	\$207.17
1 ½ inch	10	30,000	\$22.57	\$168.90	\$108.00	\$299.47
2 inch	25	75,000	\$22.57	\$422.25	\$270.00	\$714.82
3 inch	45	135,000	\$22.57	\$760.05	\$486.00	\$1,268.62
4 inch	90	270,000	\$22.57	\$1,520.10	\$972.00	\$2,514.67
6 inch	170	510,000	\$22.57	\$2,871.30	\$1,836.00	\$4,729.87