

BY-LAW NO. 511

**OF THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE CITY OF SAULT STE. MARIE**

**Being a By-law to amend By-law No. 506
which provides for the assessment of
miscellaneous water charges related to
the cost of installing watermains and water service lines
and to provide other water utility related services**

WHEREAS it is necessary from time to time to adjust the rates charged for installing watermains, installing water service lines, and providing miscellaneous services to reflect current costs,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED AS FOLLOWS:

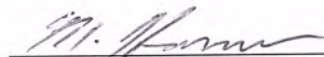
By-laws 509 and 508 are hereby repealed, and

By-law No. 506 is hereby amended as follows:


1. Schedule 'A' of By-law No. 506 is hereby replaced by Schedule 'A' attached hereto.

This By-law shall become effective on the date of the passing thereof.

READ a first, second and third time and finally passed in open meeting this 15th day of April, 2015.



Chair



Secretary

SCHEDULE A

Section A-1 - Local Improvement Rates

Watermain Frontage Charge (including asphalt restoration of roadway)

150 mm diameter	\$370	per meter
200 mm diameter	\$415	per meter

Watermain Frontage Charge (excluding asphalt restoration of roadway)

150 mm diameter	\$296	per meter
200 mm diameter	\$318	per meter

Small Water Service Line Charge (installed in stand-alone trench)

19 mm diameter	\$4,960	per line
25 mm diameter	\$5,100	per line
37 mm diameter	\$5,830	per line
50 mm diameter	\$6,250	per line

Small Water Service Line Charge (installed in common trench with sewer line)

19 mm diameter	\$2,310	per line
25 mm diameter	\$2,420	per line
37 mm diameter	\$3,080	per line
50 mm diameter	\$3,850	per line

Large Water Service Line Charge (requires dedicated trench)

100 mm diameter	\$7,850	lump sum
150 mm diameter	\$8,250	lump sum
200 mm diameter	\$10,200	lump sum

Restoration Charges for Service Line Installations

Asphalt	\$3,650	per trench
Sidewalk	\$960	per trench
Curb & Gutter	\$850	per trench

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Section A-2 - Water Services Installed by the Commission

The following charges are applicable for water service lines (19mm through 50mm) installed within the municipal roadway by the Commission.

Additional charges due to field conditions where conflicts with other utilities or unforeseen ground conditions during the service line installation affect the work will be applied on a full cost recovery basis.

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Small Water Service Line Charge (installed in stand-alone trench)

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25 mm diameter	\$5,100	per line
37 mm diameter	\$5,830	per line
50 mm diameter	\$6,250	per line

Small Water Service Line Charge (installed in shared trench)

19 mm diameter	\$2,310	per line
25 mm diameter	\$2,420	per line
37 mm diameter	\$3,080	per line
50 mm diameter	\$3,850	per line

Restoration Charges for Service Line Installations

Asphalt	\$3,650	per trench
Sidewalk	\$960	per trench
Curb & Gutter	\$850	per trench

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Section A-3 - Water Service Installation by Owner

The following charges are applicable for Commission work during regular business hours for water service lines and watermains installed by the Owner. All materials, provision of a safe excavation and restoration (including roadway and property) are to be provided by the Owner to Commission and City of Sault Ste. Marie standards.

Tapping Watermain for Service Connections by the Commission (includes valve operation as required)		
Less than 50 mm diameter	\$515	per line
50 mm diameter	\$1,030	per line
100 up to 300 mm diameter	\$2,060	per line
Larger than 300 mm diameter	Cost Basis	per line
Call Out/Cancellation Charge (50 mm and smaller)	\$150	each
Call Out/Cancellation Charge (larger than 50 mm)	\$300	each

Licensed Operator to Witness Connection of Service Lines (includes valve operation unless noted)		
50 mm diameter and smaller (excluding valve operation)	\$260	per line
50 mm diameter and smaller	\$550	per line
100 mm diameter and larger	\$1,630	per line
Call Out/Cancellation Charge (50 mm and smaller)	\$75	each
Call Out/Cancellation Charge (larger than 50 mm)	\$200	each

Water Supply for Required Testing Procedures		
Tap and install one temporary 50 mm jumper	\$1,100	per installation
Additional 50mm jumpers at same time & location	\$360	per installation
Certify backflow preventer	\$150	per device
Additional backflow preventers on same visit	\$65	per device
Call Out/Cancellation Charge	\$200	each

Licensed Operator to Monitor, Cut & Cap of Watermain or Service Lines (includes valve operation as required)		
Monitor, cut and cap 50 mm diameter and smaller	\$220	per line
Monitor, cut and cap 100 mm diameter and larger	\$750	per line
Call Out/Cancellation Charge (50 mm and smaller)	\$75	each
Call Out/Cancellation Charge (larger than 50 mm)	\$200	each

Commission Watermains (Subdivisions) & Services (50 mm diameter and larger)		
Basic charge to witness commissioning 50 mm to 100 mm	\$1,660	per occurrence
Basic charge to witness commissioning 150 mm or larger	\$2,140	per occurrence
Extra samples, each pipe branch, each hydrant	\$250	per occurrence
Repeat witness of hydrostatic test	\$310	per occurrence
Repeat witness of chlorination	\$620	per occurrence
Repeat collect and analyze bacteriological samples	\$620	per occurrence
Lab surcharge – weekend	\$150	per occurrence
Lab surcharge – statutory holiday	\$300	per occurrence

OVERTIME RATES WILL APPLY FOR ANY WORK OUTSIDE OF REGULAR HOURS

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Section A-4 - Miscellaneous Water Related Charges

Miscellaneous Service Charges (per occurrence)

Account history	\$15.00
Returned cheque charge (plus bank charge)	\$15.00
Certify cheque	\$15.00
Legal letter	\$15.00
Special meter reads	\$30.00
Collection of account	\$30.00
Turn off/on service at curb box during regular hours	N/C
Turn off/on service at curb box after regular hours	\$185.00
Meter dispute charge if meter correct	\$30.00
Service Locates after regular hours	\$185.00