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Commonwealth Utilities Corporation
Schedule NR
Non-rate Fees

Applicable to services and ratepayers as noted.

All services and ratepayers, unless noted:

*Non-sufficient funds - electric – Any check tendered in payment of a bill and returned by the bank for any non-payment reason shall be subject to a \$40.00 handling charge. Customers failing to meet payment requirements will be subject to disconnection of service for non-payment of bills in accordance with the CUC rules and regulations.

Electric Service:

*Disconnection Notice - electric – Any utility account for which a disconnection notice is produced pursuant to CUC rules and regulations shall be charged \$15.00 upon production of the notice.

*New Service – Electric Meter Change Out – A charge of \$95.00 will be imposed for installation of a prepaid meter at a location already serviced by a post-paid meter.

*New Service – Single Phase – A charge of \$135.00 will be imposed for installation of a single phase meter at a new service location.

*Inspection of Service – A charge of \$90.00 will be imposed for the third and subsequent inspections of service.

*Meter Test – Single Phase – Customers can request CUC to test their meter. A \$75.00 fee, paid in advance, is required from the customer to cover the reasonable costs of the tests. The fee shall be returned to the customer if the meter is found, upon testing, to be registering usage outside of normal parameters.

*Meter Test – Three Phase – Customers can request CUC to test their meter. A \$110.00 fee, paid in advance, is required from the customer to cover the reasonable costs of the tests. The fee shall be returned to the customer if the meter is found, upon testing, to be registering usage outside of normal parameters.

*Disconnection at the Meter – A fee of \$45.00 will be assessed for disconnection at the meter for any reason, including non-payment, termination of service, illegal connections, and tampering. The fee is to cover labor, transportation and administrative costs for processing disconnections, whether or not the crew actually performed the disconnection. This charge will be assessed to customers once CUC schedules and makes the attempt to disconnect. CUC has incurred the costs to do so.

*Reconnection at the Meter – Commercial – A fee of \$60.00 will be assessed for reconnection of a commercial account at the meter.

Wastewater Service:

Wastewater Tipping Fee – This fee applies to the bulk discharge of waste into the CUC wastewater system. The fee is \$80.00 per load.

Backflow Device Inspection Fee - CUC's water quality program requires the customer installation and independent inspection and testing for verification of backflow prevention assemblies where required to protect public health and maintain water quality. All backflow assemblies located on a customer premise shall be inspected and tested periodically as determined to be necessary by CUC. The customer shall be responsible for fees incurred in connection with the inspection and testing of backflow prevention assemblies installed on their premises. A service charge of \$100.00 shall be assessed by CUC to the customer for each inspection and test conducted. The inspection and testing of approved backflow assemblies shall be performed by a CUC approved backflow prevention tester.

CUC shall deny or discontinue water service, after reasonable notice to the occupants, to any premises where an approved backflow prevention assembly is required by this CUC's "backflow" prevention policies if it is found that:

- a) An approved backflow assembly is not installed, tested, and maintained
- b) The approved backflow assembly has been removed or bypassed.
- c) An unprotected cross-connection exists on the premises.

Water service to such premises shall not be restored until the consumer remedies the noted deficiencies and conforms to CUCs "backflow" prevention policies.

Fats, Oils & Greases (FOG)

Installation Inspection Fee – A FOG installation inspection fee of \$170.00 will be charged for all new sewer connections located at those facilities with activities that involve the use of fats, oils, or greases. An application for inspection must be submitted to CUC by the customer after the grease trap is installed.

Biannual Inspection Fee – CUC will conduct biannual inspections of all facilities with activities that involve the use of fats, oils, or greases. The fee for this inspection is \$60.00.

Remediation Fee – A remediation fee of \$110.00 will be charged to the customer account at any facility with activities that involve the use of fats, oils, or greases found in violation of proper FOG disposal practices.