MADAWASKA WATER DISTRICT

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Madawaska Water District gives notice to the public that on December 3, 2024, the Board of Trustees of the Madawaska Water District voted, pursuant to 35-A, M.R.S. Section 6104-B, to increase its' annual revenue by 1.5%. The new rates will become effective June 17, 2025.

The increase in rates is needed to offset the increases in costs of materials and supplies, electricity, and repairs to infrastructure.

The additional annual revenue per billing category is represented below:

Residential	\$ 2,457	0.58%
Commercial	\$ 1,217	0.98%
Industrial	\$ 6,964	1.72%
Government	\$ 143	2.64%
Public Fire Protection	\$ 8,547	2.57%
Private Fire Protection	\$ 355	1.65%

As a result of this rate increase, the quarterly 5/8" meter minimum charge will increase 50 cents, from \$85.50 per quarter to \$86.00 per quarter. Approximately 54% of our customers pay this minimum amount.

The new rates are anticipated to increase the overall revenues of the Madawaska Water District by approximately \$19,682 annually.

Public Fire Protection rates are determined pursuant to Chapter 69 of the Public Utilities Commission (PUC) rules.

If you have any questions or need additional information, you may call the Madawaska Water District office at (207) 728-3859 or contact us by email at customerservice@madwater.me.