

THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF OAKVIEW

BY-LAW NO. 2021-7

BEING A BY-LAW OF THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF OAKVIEW TO  
AMEND BY-LAW NO. 2015-21 WHICH SET OUT WATER AND SEWER RATES  
WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF OAK RIVER  
AS PER PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD ORDER NO. 16/15

WHEREAS The Rural Municipality of Oakview owns and operates a water and sewer facility within the limits of the said Village of Oak River;

AND WHEREAS *The Municipal Act*, S. M. 1996, C58, states in part:

- “232(1) A council may pass by-laws for municipal purposes respecting the following matter:
- (l) public utilities
- 232(2) Without limiting the generality of subsection (1), a council may in a by-law passed under this Division
- (d) establish fees or other charges for services, activities or things provided or done by the municipality or for the use of property under the ownership, direction, management or control of the municipality:”

AND WHEREAS Public Utilities Board Order No. 16/15 indicated that the Oak River utility shall consider the implication of any increase implemented by the Manitoba Water Services Board and if the cost of the increase is to be reflected in the rates of the Utility, the municipality need only inform the PUB and its ratepayers/customers of the “pass through” rate change and file an amended rate by-law with the Board;

AND WHEREAS the Manitoba Water Services Board increased the wholesale water rate effective April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 from \$13.50 per thousand gallons to \$17.50 per thousand gallons and this \$4.00 per 1000 gallons was “passed through” to the Oak River utility water charges effective April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016;

NOW THEREFORE be it and hereby passed and enacted as a by-law of the Rural Municipality of Oakview in Council duly assembled as follows:

- i. THAT By-Law No. 2015-21, enacted by the Rural Municipality of Oakview, on the 22nd day of December 2015 be hereby amended to reflect the “pass through” of the \$4.00 per thousand gallons increase of the wholesale water rates charges to the Oak River utility effective April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 be replacing Paragraph 1; 2; and 3 of Schedule A of By-Law 2015-21 with the attached amended Schedule” A”;
- ii. THAT this by-law shall come into force and become effective on, from and after April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016.

PASSED AND ENACTED by the Rural Municipality of Oakview, in Council duly assembled this 14<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2021.

Original signed by Brent Fortune  
REEVE

Original signed by Marci Quane  
CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

Read a first time this 29<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2021.  
Read a second time this 14<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2021  
Read a third time this 14<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2021.

AMENDED SCHEDULE "A"  
RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF OAKVIEW  
VILLAGE OF OAK RIVER  
WATER AND SEWER RATES  
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**SCHEDULE OF QUARTERLY RATES:**

1. COMMODITY RATES PER 1000 GALLONS

	WATER	SEWER	WATER & SEWER
All water consumption	\$37.91	\$ 9.99	\$47.90

2. MINIMUM CHARGES, QUARTERLY RATES

Notwithstanding the Commodity rates set forth in Paragraph 1 hereof, all customers will pay the applicable minimum charges set out below, which will include the water allowances indicated:

a) Water & Wastewater Customers

METER SIZE	GROUP CAPACITY RATIO	MINIMUM QUARTERLY CONSUMPTION	CUSTOMER SERVICE CHARGE	WATER	WASTEWATER CHARGE	MINIMUM QUARTERLY CHARGE (WATER AND WASTEWATER)	QUARTERLY MINIMUM WATER CHARGE
5/8"	1	3,000	\$10.84	\$ 113.73	\$ 29.97	\$ 154.54	\$ 124.57
3/4"	2	6,000	\$10.84	\$ 227.46	\$ 59.94	\$ 298.54	\$ 238.30
1"	4	12,000	\$10.84	\$ 454.92	\$119.88	\$ 585.64	\$ 417.76
1 1/2"	10	30,000	\$10.84	\$1,137.30	\$299.70	\$1,447.84	\$1,028.14
2"	25	75,000	\$10.84	\$2,843.25	\$749.25	\$3,603.34	\$2,554.09

b) Water Only Customers

Minimum Charge will be the same for each meter size as shown, above, but the Sewer Commodity Charge will be excluded.

3. BULK SALES

Bulk water rates should be charged at the rate of \$47.05 per 1000 gallons with a minimum charge of \$15.50.