TOWN OF HERNDON, VIRGINIA
TOWN COUNCIL

ORDINANCE

APRIL 28, 2026

Ordinance- **to amend Chapter 74 (UTILITIES), Article II (Sewers and Sewage Disposal), Division 5 (Sanitary Sewer System Rates & Charges), Section 74-262 (Schedule of Rates); and Article III (Water), Division 2 (Service), Subdivision II (In-Town Service Charges), Section 74-326 (Schedule of Charges), to increase the service and usage charges for sanitary sewer and water.**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Council of the Town of Herndon, Virginia that:

1. The following sections or provisions of the Herndon Town Code (2000), as amended, are amended and re-ordained as follows:

CHAPTER 74 (UTILITIES)

Article II. Sewers and Sewage Disposal.

Division 5. Sanitary Sewer System Rates and Charges.

Sec. 74-262. – Schedule of Rates.

(a) The rate schedule for sanitary sewer service shall be determined on the basis of water consumed and shall be charged at the rate of ~~$9.64~~ **$10.42** per 1,000 gallons of water used, except as otherwise provided in this division.

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(f) A service charge per bill rendered shall be assessed for all metered water service as follows:

Quarterly Billing

Meter Size (inches)	Charge
5/8	~~$15.95~~ **$19.94**
¾	~~$22.04~~ **$27.53**
1	~~$34.20~~ **$42.75**
1 1/2	~~$64.62~~ **$80.78**
2	~~$101.12~~ **$126.42**
3	~~$198.47~~ **$248.11**
4	~~$307.99~~ **$385.02**

6	~~$612.19~~ **$765.28**

Article III. Water.

Division 2. Service.

Subdivision II. In-Town Service Charges

Sec. 74-326. – Schedule of Charges.

1. The water usage charge shall be ~~**$4.79**~~ **$5.63** per 1,000 gallons, based on the consumption of water as measured by readings of the water meter serving the property.

2. A service charge per bill rendered shall be assessed for all metered water service as follows:

Quarterly Billing

Meter Size (inches)	Charge
5/8	~~$21.24~~ **$27.61**
¾	~~$31.86~~ **$41.41**
1	~~$53.06~~ **$68.99**
1 1/2	~~$106.17~~ **$138.02**
2	~~$169.84~~ **$220.80**
3	~~$339.73~~ **$441.63**
4	~~$530.83~~ **$690.06**
6	~~$1,061.64~~ **$1,380.10**

(c) All water consumed during the peak use periods in excess of the average consumption of the preceding two winter quarter billing periods shall be charged an additional amount of ~~**$8.15**~~ **$9.58** per 1,000 gallons. This peak use period charge shall be applied in addition to the base water usage charge in subsection (a) above.

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2. This ordinance shall be effective for all meter readings taken on or after July 1, 2026.