

## WATER RATE INCREASE – JANUARY 2026

In January 2024, there was a Water Rate announcement regarding Bylaw No. 456/2023, which increased the water rates in 2024, 2025 and 2026. The final increase will start in January 2026. Please see the below table for the new quarterly minimum rates for metered and unmetered (residential mobile homes) properties:

### Quarterly minimum Rates for Metered (in town residential properties):

	2025	2026	Difference
Water:	197.52	200.52	3.00
Sewer:	138.27	140.37	2.10
Utility Infrastructure Fee:	48.00	51.00	3.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$383.79</b>	<b>\$391.89</b>	<b>\$8.10</b>

\*\*The Water, Sewer and Utility Infrastructure Fee has not increased since 2022\*\*

### Quarterly minimum rates for Unmetered (in town residential mobile homes):

	2025	2026	Difference
Water:	217.26	220.56	3.30
Sewer:	138.27	140.37	2.10
Utility Infrastructure Fee:	48.00	51.00	3.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$403.53</b>	<b>\$411.93</b>	<b>\$8.40</b>

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Overage rates for water consumption will increase from 2025 to 2026 as per the below table:

Quarterly consumption range in gallons	2025 Fee per 1000 gal	2026 Fee per 1000 gal
9990-27,000	\$7.00	\$8.00
27,001 and up	\$12.00	\$13.50

Utility customers are encouraged to use water conservation and water loss strategies to minimize the impact on their utility expenses. For a copy of the Water and Sewer Rates Bylaw, please visit the Town's website at [www.townofbalgonie.ca](http://www.townofbalgonie.ca).

\* For all other utility customers (commercial, community service, etc., please contact the Town Office.