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Subject:

Docket No. 50327; Application of T&W Water Service for a Pass Through Rate

Change

Attached please find a clean copy of the tariff for T & W Water Service to be filed with Central Records, marked as "Approved," and retained in the Commission's tariff book.



T & W Water Service Company (Utility Name)

12284 FM 3083 (Business Address)

Conroe, Texas 77301 (City, State, Zip Code)

281-367-9566, 800-256-2636 (Area Code/Telephone)

This tariff is effective for utility operations under the following Certificate of Convenience and Necessity:

## 12892

This tariff is effective in the following county:

# Montgomery, Harris, Liberty

This tariff is effective in the following cities or unincorporated towns (if any):

## City of Conroe

The rates set or approved by the city for the systems entirely within its corporate boundary are not presented in this tariff. Those rates are not under the original jurisdiction of the PUC and will have to be obtained from the city or utility.

This tariff is effective in the following subdivisions or systems:

See attached List of Subdivisions

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List of Subdivisions		
SYSTEM/SUBDIVISION	PWS ID	COUNTY
	NUMBER	
Deer Pines Subdivision	1700895	Montgomery
Deer Run	1700700	Montgomery
Emerald Lakes	1700777	Montgomery
Encino Estates	1460187	Liberty
Falls of Wildwood	1700673	Montgomery
Gemstone Estates	1700608	Montgomery
Grand Harbor	1700643	Montgomery
Harborside	1700682	Montgomery
Hidden Springs Ranch	1700696	Montgomery
Hydies Crossing	1013180	Harris
Millers Crossing	1700675	Montgomery
Oaks of Trinity	1460156	Liberty
Old Mill Lake	1700662	Montgomery
Rio Vista (inside city limits of	1700778	Montgomery
Patton Village, however they		
surrendered jurisdiction)		
Riverwalk	1700604	Montgomery
Southwind Ridge	1700659	Montgomery
Splendora Woods	1460153	Liberty
Spring Forest Estates	1460153	Liberty
Spring Oaks	1460157	Liberty
Sunrise Ranch	1700686	Montgomery
The Ranch	1460154	Liberty
Thousand Oaks	1700635	Montgomery

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## SECTION 1.0 -- RATE SCHEDULE

# Section 1.01 – Rates

MONTHLY BASE RATE  BY METER SIZE  (INCLUDES 0 GALLONS)	Year 1	Year 2
5/8 x 3/4"	\$25.00	\$22.00
1"	\$46.88	\$55.00
1½"	\$85.93	\$110.00
2"	\$148.44	\$176.00
3"	\$179.69	\$352.00
GALLONAGE CHARGE PER 1000 GALLONS	The state of the s	
0 - 10,000	\$2.24	\$2.37 *
GALLONS		
10,000 - 20,000 GALLONS	\$2.34	\$2.50 *
> 20,000	\$2.66	\$3.00 *
GALLONS		

*San Jacinto River Authority	\$3.12/1,000 gallor	าร
Applies to all gallonage used in Montgomery County (Tariff Control No. 498)	821)	

#### Federal Tax Change Credit Rider

Meter Size	Effective November 1, 2019	Effective December 1, 2019
5/8" x 3/4"	(\$6.34)	(\$0.70)
1"	(\$15.84)	(\$1.76)
1½"	(\$31.68)	(\$3.51)
2"	(\$5.62)	(\$5.62)
3"	(\$10.54)	(\$10.54)

# (Tariff Control No. 49100)

FORM OF PAYMENT: The utility will accept the following forms of payment:

Cash \_\_, Check \_X \_, Money Order \_X \_, Credit Card \_\_\_, Other (specify) \_\_
THE UTILITY MAY REQUIRE EXACT CHANGE FOR PAYMENTS AND MAY REFUSE TO ACCEPT PAYMENTS MADE USING MORE THAN \$1.00 IN SMALL COINS. A WRITTEN RECEIPT WILL BE GIVEN FOR CASH PAYMENTS.

PUC RULES REQUIRE THE UTILITY TO COLLECT A FEE OF ONE PERCENT OF THE RETAIL MONTHLY BILL AND REMIT TO THE TCEQ.



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# SECTION 1.0 -- RATE SCHEDULE (Continued)

TAP FEE
TAP FEE COVERS THE UTILITY'S COSTS FOR MATERIALS AND LABOR TO INSTALL A STANDARD RESIDENTIAL 5/8" or 3/4" METER. AN ADDITIONAL FEE TO COVER UNIQUE COSTS IS PERMITTED IF LISTED ON THIS TARIFF.
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TAP FEE\$950.00  TAP FEE COVERS THE UTILITY'S COSTS FOR MATERIALS AND LABOR TO INSTALL A STANDARD RESIDENTIAL I" METER AN ADDITIONAL FEE TO COVER UNIQUE COSTS IS PERMITTED IF LISTED ON THIS TARIFF.
TAP FEE (Unique costs)
TAP FEE (Large meter)
METER RELOCATION FEE
METER TEST FEE\$25.00
THIS FEE WHICH SHOULD REFLECT THE UTILITY'S COST MAY BE CHARGED IF A CUSTOMER REQUESTS A SECOND METER TEST WITHIN A TWO-YEAR PERIOD AND THE TEST INDICATES THAT THE METER IS RECORDING ACCURATELY. THE FEE MAY NOT EXCEED \$25.
RECONNECTION FEE
THE RECONNECT FEE MUST BE PAID BEFORE SERVICE CAN BE RESTORED TO A CUSTOMER WHO HAS BEEN DISCONNECTED FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS (OR OTHER REASONS LISTED UNDER SECTION 2.0 OF THIS TARIFF).
a) Nonpayment of bill (Maximum \$25.00) <u>\$25.00</u>
b) Other than nonpayment $$$40.00$
TRANSFER FEE\$40.00
THE TRANSFER FEE WILL BE CHARGED FOR CHANGING AN ACCOUNT NAME AT THE SAME SERVICE LOCATION WHEN THE SERVICE IS NOT DISCONNECTED
LATE CHARGE (EITHER \$5.00 OR 10% OF THE BILL)\$5.00
PUC RULES ALLOW A ONE-TIME PENALTY TO BE CHARGED ON DELINQUENT BILLS. A LATE CHARGE MAY NOT BE APPLIED TO ANY BALANCE TO WHICH THE PENALTY WAS APPLIED IN A PREVIOUS BILLING.
RETURNED CHECK CHARGE \$25.00  RETURNED CHECK CHARGES MUST BE BASED ON THE UTILITY'S DOCUMENTABLE COST
CUSTOMER DEPOSIT RESIDENTIAL (Maximum \$50)
COMMERCIAL & NON-RESIDENTIAL DEPOSIT1/6TH OF ESTIMATED ANNUAL BILL
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## SECTION 1.0 – RATE SCHEDULE (Continued)

#### GOVERNMENTAL TESTING, INSPECTION AND COSTS SURCHARGE:

WHEN AUTHORIZED IN WRITING BY PUC AND AFTER NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS, THE UTILITY MAY INCREASE RATES TO RECOVER INCREASED COSTS FOR INSPECTION FEES AND WATER TESTING. [16 TAC 24.25(b)(2)(F)]

#### LINE EXTENSION AND CONSTRUCTION CHARGES:

REFER TO SECTION 3.0--EXTENSION POLICY FOR TERMS, CONDITIONS, AND CHARGES WHEN NEW CONSTRUCTION IS NECESSARY TO PROVIDE SERVICE

# PURCHASED WATER/UNDERGROUND WATER DISTRICT FEE PASS THROUGH

**PROVISION CLAUSE**: For Utilities subject to changes in costs imposed by any non-affiliated provider of purchased water or sewer or a groundwater conservation district having jurisdiction over the Utility, these increases (decreases) shall be passed through as an adjustment to the gallonage charge according to the formula:

$$AG = G / (1-L)$$
, Where:

AG = adjusted gallonage charge, rounded to nearest one cent

G = district's or purchased water provider's new approved gallonage charge, per 1,000 gallons

L = water or sewer line loss for preceding 12 months, not to exceed 0.15 (15%)

To implement or modify the Purchased Water/Underground Water District Fee, the utility must comply with all notice and other requirements of 16 TAC § 24.25 (1).

#### FEDERAL TAX CHANGE CREDIT RIDER (FTCCR):

The Federal Tax Change Credit Rider gives effect to the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017, which changed the federal corporate tax rate from 35% to 21%, by reducing the cost of service paid by customers taking service under this rate tariff. The FTCCR will provide credits to customers taking service under this rate tariff.

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