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2017 Village of Scarsdale Water Rate Changes

The Village Board of Trustees has approved increases in water use charges for 2017. The new fees and charges will be reflected in the quarterly water bills dated August 1, 2017, for water used during portions of the months of March, April, May, and June. Monthly water customers will be billed at the new rates starting with the May 2017 water bills, representing water used since late March. Both the existing and new fee schedules are reflected below:

Scarsdale Quarterly and Monthly Accounts

	Old Rate	New Rate
Base Rate (First 50 Units*)	\$2.50	\$2.85
Excess Rate	3.5 x Base Rate (no change)	3.5 x Base Rate (no change)

*One unit = approximately 749 gallons (or one hundred cubic feet)

Eastchester Quarterly and Monthly Accounts and Non-Scarsdale, Non-Eastchester Quarterly Accounts

	Old Rate	New Rate
Base Rate (First 50 Units*)	\$3.43	\$3.91
Excess Rate	3.5 x Base Rate (no change)	3.5 x Base Rate (no change)

*One unit = approximately 749 gallons (or one hundred cubic feet)

The above increases are necessary to make improvements to critical water infrastructure, as well as to keep pace with evolving environmental and regulatory requirements. Examples of work funded through the additional revenues derived from the fees include:

- Rehabilitation of the Ardsley Road and Boniface Water Tanks;
- Cement relining portions of the 97-miles of water mains; and
- Various distribution network rehabilitation work, including water valve replacements.

Residents are encouraged to learn about water conservation methods by visiting <https://tinyurl.com/n3dmckz>