

**Department of Public Utilities - Orangeburg, South Carolina**

**Service Charge:**

\$6.62 per bill per month

**Commodity Charge:**

\$1.23 per 100 cu. ft. per month

**Monitoring Charge:**

For all waste where monitoring by DPU is required.

Waste Characteristic      \$55.13 per bill per month

Grease, Oil, and Sand      \$28.35 per bill per month

**Surcharge:**

For all waste with BOD and/or suspended solid concentrations in excess of 300 milligrams per liter and oil and grease concentration in excess of 100 mg/l.

$$S = V \times f$$

Where:

f = 0.00624 ((\$0.34 (BOD-300) + \$0.17 (TSS-300) + \$0.12 (O&G-100))

S = Industrial waste surcharge in dollars

V = Sewage volume in hundred cubic feet

0.00624 = Conversion factor for hundred cubic feet to million pounds

BOD = The greater of BOD strength index in parts per million by weight\* or 300 parts per million by weight

300 = Allowable BOD strength under normal volume charges in parts per million by weight\*

TSS = The greater of suspended solids strength index in parts per million by weight\* or 300 parts per million by weight

300 = Allowable suspended solids strength under normal volume charges in parts per million by weight\*

O&G = The greater of oil and grease strength in ppm by weight\* or 100 parts per million by weight

100 = Allowable oil and grease strength

\*or mg/l

COD values may be substituted for BOD values at the discretion of the Department of Public Utilities. When COD values are used, the formula shall be modified as follows:

$$f = 0.00624 ((\$0.28 (COD-450) + \$0.17 (TSS-300) + \$0.12 (O&G-100))$$

where COD = The greater of COD strength index in parts per million by weight\* or 450 parts per million by weight.

For the purposes of billing, the commodity charge and surcharge will be based on the metered water consumption. Commercial units which are strictly residential shall be exempt from a surcharge and monitoring charge.

**Note: "General Terms and Conditions" in effect apply to above.**

**Effective: October 1, 2009**