

MEYERS WATER COMPANY, INC.
1830 Milton Road
Napa CA 94559
(707) 254-9547

September 30, 2020

ADVICE LETTER No. 29

TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

MEYERS WATER COMPANY (MWC) hereby transmits for filing one original and one copy of Advice Letter No. 29.

<u>CPUC SHEET No.</u>	<u>TITLE OF SHEET</u>	<u>CANCELING CPUC SHEET No.</u>
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The present rates of MWC became effective on May 7, 2016 through Advice Letter No. 19-A, which allowed MWC to incorporate the rates approved by Res. W-5093, dated April 21, 2016, which authorized a general rate case increase of \$25,524 or 55.75% for test year 2016.

These tariffs are submitted pursuant to Ordering Paragraph No. 1 of Decision No. 92-03-093, dated March 31, 1992, Ordering Paragraph No. 2 of Resolution (Res) W-4493, dated September 2, 2004, or Ordering Paragraph No. 1 of Res. W-4540, dated June 16, 2005. The decision and Resolutions authorize Class B, C and D water utilities and sewer utilities to file a request for a Consumer Price Index increase once a year by Advice Letter. The increased cost is to be passed on to the utility's customers in their quantity rate as well as service charge rates. The above referenced decisions and resolutions authorize MWC to file the attached rate schedules and to concurrently withdraw and cancel its present schedules for such service.

MWC respectfully requests permission to increase the present monthly rates by \$2,174 or 2.3% for year 2019. Work papers justifying this rate increase have been provided to the CPUC Division of Water and Audits staff.

Requested Effective Date

This filing is a Tier 1 advice letter and may be effective the date of filing. MWC respectfully requests that its Advice Letter No. 29 be effective on September 30, 2020.

Notice

In compliance with Section 4.3 of General Order 96-B, a copy of this advice letter has been mailed to all parties listed on the enclosed service list. In conformance with Ordering Paragraph No. 3 of Resolution No. W-4664, MWC will provide notice to its customers of any increase in dollar and percentage terms with the first bill that includes the increase.

This filing is made under the provisions of General Order No. 96-B.

This filing will not cause withdrawal of service nor conflict with any other schedule or rule.

Response or Protest

Anyone may respond to or protest this advice letter. A response supports the filing and may contain information that proves useful to the Commission in evaluating the advice letter. A protest objects to the advice letter in whole or in part and must set forth the specific grounds on which it is based. These grounds are:

- (1) The utility did not properly serve or give notice of the advice letter;
- (2) The relief requested in the advice letter would violate statute or Commission order, or is not authorized by statute or Commission order on which the utility relies;
- (3) The analysis, calculations, or data in the advice letter contain material error or omissions;
- (4) The relief requested in the advice letter is pending before the Commission in a formal proceeding; or
- (5) The relief requested in the advice letter requires consideration in a formal hearing, or is otherwise inappropriate for the advice letter process; or
- (6) The relief requested in the advice letter is unjust, unreasonable, or discriminatory (provided that such a protest may not be made where it would require relitigating a prior order of the Commission).

A protest shall provide citations or proofs where available to allow staff to properly consider the protest.

A response or protest must be made in writing or by electronic mail and must be received by the Water Division within 20 days of the date this advice letter is filed. The address for mailing or delivering a protest is:

Tariff Unit, Water Division, 3rd Floor
California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94102
E-Mail: water_division@cpuc.ca.gov

On the same day the response or protest is submitted to the Water Division, the respondent or protestant shall send a copy of the protest by mail or e-mail to us, addressed to:

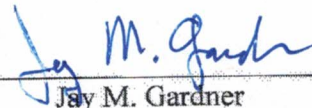
Meyers Water Company
1830 Milton Road
Napa, CA 94559
Fax No. (707) 258-6235

Cities and counties that need Board of Supervisors or Board of Commissioners approval to protest should inform the Water Division, within the 20 day protest period, so that a late filed protest can be entertained. The informing document should include an estimate of the date the proposed protest might be voted on.

Replies: The utility shall reply to each protest and may reply to any response. Each reply must be received by the Division of Water and Audits within five business days after the end of the protest period, and shall be served on the same day to the person who filed the protest or response.

Meyers Water Company, Inc.

By



Jay M. Gardner
President

Attachments

Schedule No. 3M

GENERAL METERED SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all metered water service.

TERRITORY

Ederly Island subdivision, located approximately 10 miles south of the city of Napa, in Napa County.

RATES

	Per Service Connection Per Month	
<u>Quantity Rates:</u>		
All water used per 100 cubic feet.....	\$ 0.97	(I)
<u>Service Charge Rates:</u>		
For 5/8 x 3/4 inch meter	\$ 76.84	(I)
For 3/4 inch meter	115.26	(I)
For 1 inch meter	192.10	(I)
For 1-1/2 inch meter	384.19	(I)
For 2 inch meter	614.70	(I)
For 3 inch meter	1,152.56	(I)
For 4 inch meter	1,920.94	(I)
For 6 inch meter	3,841.88	(I)

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. All bills are subject to the Reimbursement fee set forth in schedule No. UF.
2. A late charge will be imposed per Schedule No. LC.

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Schedule No. 2R

RESIDENTIAL FLAT RATE SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all flat rate residential water service.

TERRITORY

Ederly Island subdivision, located approximately 10 miles south of the city of Napa, in Napa County.

RATES

Per Service Connection
Per Month

For a single-family residential unit,
Including premises not exceeding
10,000 sq. ft. in area.

\$84.80

(I)

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. The above flat rate applies to service connection not longer than one-inch in diameter.
2. All bills are subject to the Reimbursement fee set forth in schedule No. UF.

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Schedule No. F

FACILITIES FEES

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all customers applying for service from the Utility in the territory served for premises not previously connected to its distribution mains, for additional service connections to existing premises due to change in use.

TERRITORY

Ederly Island subdivision, located approximately 10 miles south of the city of Napa, in Napa County.

RATES

Initial Fee for each New Service Connection:

For 5/8 x 3/4-inch meter	\$ 2,046	(1)
For 3/4-inch meter	3,069	(1)
For 1-inch meter	5,115	(1)
For 1 1/2-inch meter	10,230	(1)
For 2-inch meter	16,368	(1)
For 3-inch meter	30,690	(1)
For 4-inch meter	51,150	(1)
For 6-inch meter	102,300	(1)

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. Facility fees are payable in addition to and do not limit any charges for extensions of mains that may be applicable under Rule 15, Main Extensions.
2. These fees are not subject to the Public Utility Commission Reimbursement Fee surcharge in schedule UF.
3. These fees shall be used only for the repair and replacement or the installation of new infrastructure.
4. These fees shall be deposited in a separate trustee account and used only upon permission of the Water Division or its successor.
5. The plant constructed with facilities fees shall be removed from rate base for rate-making purposes.

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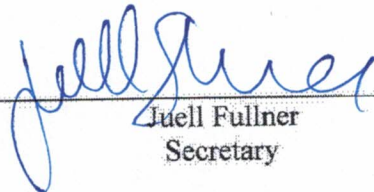
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**MEYERS WATER COMPANY, INC.
1830 MILTON ROAD
NAPA, CA 94559**

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy via first class United States mail and E-mail of the following document, Meyers Water Company, Inc. Advice Letter No. 29, upon the California Public Utilities Commission as shown on the Service List attached hereto, a copy thereof properly addressed to each party. Additionally, I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy via first class United States mail of the following document, Meyers Water Company, Inc. Advice Letter No. 29, upon all additional parties of record as shown on the Service List attached hereto, a copy thereof properly addressed to each party.

Executed in Napa, California on the 30th day of September, 2020.



Juell Fullner
Secretary

**MEYERS WATER COMPANY, INC.
1830 MILTON ROAD
NAPA, CA 94559**

**Meyers Water Company, Inc.
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Service List
(AS PER SECTION 4.3 OF GENERAL ORDER No. 96-B)**

Via First Class United States Mail and E-mail

Bruce DeBerry, Program Manager
Division of Water and Audits
California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94102

Via First Class United States Mail

Stacey Harrington
Napa County Department of Planning, Building, and Environmental Services
1195 Third Street, Room 210
Napa, CA 94559

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Summary of Earnings

Year 2019

	Adopted Res. No. W-4931 (a)	Actual 2019 (b)	CPI Increase at 2.3% (c) (a x 2.3%)	After CPI Increased Revenue (d) (b+c)
Operating Revenue				
Metered Water Revenue	94,500	93,644	2,174	95,818
Other Water Revenue	0	482	0	482
Total	94,500	94,126	2,174	96,300
Operating Expenses				
Purchased Power	3,759	5,102		5,102
Other Volume Related Expenses	738	2,271		2,271
Employee Labor	12,000	12,000		12,000
Materials	361	633		633
Contract Work	6,450	7,580		7,580
Transportation Expense	3,947	2,400		2,400
Other Plant Maintenance Expenses	1,753	9,225		9,225
Office Salaries	9,600	9,600		9,600
Management Salaries	10,080	10,080		10,080
Employee Pensions and Benefits	0	0		0
Uncollectibles Expense	0	39		39
Office Services and Rentals	3,600	3,600		3,600
Office Supplies and Expenses	2,882	3,693		3,693
Professional Services	5,015	5,205		5,205
Insurance	3,115	2,182		2,182
Regulatory Commission Expense	2,600	1,923		1,923
General Expense	1,213	416		416
Depreciation	3,326	6,197		6,197
Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	4,612	3,998		3,998
Income Taxes	4,379	2,064		2,064
Total Operating Expenses	79,430	88,208		88,208
Net Revenue	15,070	5,918		8,092
Average Rate Base:				
Water Plant In Service	141,635	311,000		311,000
Less:				0
Accumulated Depreciation	(101,754)	(125,598)		(125,598)
Advances for Construction	0	0		0
CIAC	(13,640)	(87,677)		(87,677)
Accum. Deferred Income Taxes	0	0		0
Plus:				
Materials	0	0		0
Working Cash	0	0		0
Construction Work in Progress	0	0		0
Adopted Rate Base Res. W-5093	26,241	97,725		97,725
Authorized Rate of Margin	21.34%	7.20%		9.85%

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Financial Information

Estimated 2020 Annual Revenue

Recorded 2019 Water Revenue	\$ 94,126
Revenue Increase: (\$94,500 x 2.3%)	2,174
Estimated 2020 Revenue	<u>96,300</u>

Actual Expenses for Calendar Year 2019

(Excluding Other Income and Other Expenses)	<u>\$ 88,208</u>
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Average Rate Base - Year 2019

	<u>\$ 97,725</u>
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