# R.M. of ELLICE – ARCHIE BY-LAW #06-2016

BEING A BY-LAW OF THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ELLICE-ARCHIE TO ESTABLISH WATER AND SEWER RATES FOR THE VILLAGE OF ST. LAZARE.

WHEREAS The Rural Municipality of Ellice Archie has undertaken a water and sewer rate study for the Village of St. Lazare that indicates water and sewer rates require to be increased;

WHEREAS the Rural Municipality of Ellice Archie owns and operates a sewer and water facility within the limits of the said Village of St. Lazare;

AND WHEREAS, subject to The Public Utilities Board Act, Section 232(1) provides that a council may pass by-laws for municipal purposes respecting the following matters:

1) public utilities.

AND WHEREAS, Section 232(2) provides that without limiting the generality of Subsection (1), a council may in a by-law passed under this Division:

d) establish fees or other charges for services, activities or things provided or done by the municipality or for the use of property under the ownership, direction, management or control of the municipality.

AND WHEREAS it is deemed advisable to provide rates for July 1, 2017, January 1, 2018, 2019 and thereafter to be paid by persons to whom water is supplied by the Village and who use the sewer system of the Village of St. Lazare, and to provide for the collection thereof;

NOW THEREFORE be it passed and enacted as a bylaw of the Rural Municipality of Ellice Archie in Council duly assembled as follows:

- 1) THAT all accounts for minimum quarterly charges for metered services as set forth in the Schedule of Quarterly Rates shall be billed quarterly. Consumers shall pay for water and sewer service supplied to them by the Village of St. Lazare at the rates and terms set out in Schedule "A" attached hereto and forming part of this by-law.
- 2) This by-law and rates for July 1, 2017, January 2018, 2019 and thereafter, shall come into force and be effective on, from and after both approval of the Public Utilities Board of Manitoba and receipt of third and final reading thereof.
- 3) That By-law No. 02-04 be repealed as of July 1, 2017, and upon final approval of this By-law by the Public Utilities Board of Manitoba.

PASSED AND ENACTED BY RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ELLICE ARCHIE IN COUNCIL DULY ASSEMBLED THIS 10<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2017.

Head of Council

Read a first time this 8<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2016.

Read a second time 10<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2017.

Read a third time 10<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2017.

SCHEDULE OF QUARTERLY

RATES

July 1, 2017

per C.M.				
Water	Sewer	Total		
\$1.91	\$0.88	\$2.79		

# Minimum Charges per

# Quarter

Notwithstanding the rates set forth in paragraph 1, all customers will pay the applicable minimum charges set out below, which includes the water allowance as listed.

# (a) Water and Sewer

#### Customers

					Water &		
					Sewer	Water Only	
	Water	Quarterly	Water	Sewer	Quarterly	Quarterly	
	Included	Service	Commodity	Commodity	Minimum	Minimum	
Meter Size	C.M.	Charge	Charge	Charge	Charge	Charge	
5/8"	14	\$7.21	\$26.74	\$12.32	\$46.27	\$33.95	
3/4"	28	\$7.21	\$53.48	\$24.64	\$85.33	\$60.6 <mark>9</mark>	
1"	56	\$7.21	\$106.96	\$49.28	\$163.45	<b>\$114.1</b> 7	
1 1/2"	140	\$7.21	\$267.40	\$123.20	\$397.81	\$274.61	
2"	350	\$7.21	\$668.50	\$308.00	\$983.71	\$675.71	

# (b) Bulk Water Sales

All water sold in bulk will be charged at the rate of \$10.00 per 1,000 gallons

# SCHEDULE OF QUARTERLY

RATES

**January 1, 2018** 

1.

per C.M.			
Water	Sewer	Total	
\$2.65	\$.91	\$3.56	

# Minimum Charges per Quarter

## 2.

Notwithstanding the rates set forth in paragraph 1, all customers will pay the applicable minimum charges set out below, which includes the water allowance as listed.

# (a) Water and Sewer

Customers

					Water &	
					Sewer	Water Only
	Water	Quarterly	Water	Sewer	Quarterly	Quarterly
	Included	Service	Commodity	Commodity	Minimum	Minimum
Meter Size	C.M.	Charge	Charge	Charge	Charge	Charge
5/8"	14	\$7.43	\$37.10	\$12.74	\$57.27	\$44.53
3/4"	28	\$7.43	\$74.20	\$25.48	\$107.11	\$81.6 <mark>3</mark>
1"	56	\$7.43	\$148.40	\$50.96	\$206.79	\$155.83
1 1/2"	140	\$7.43	\$371.00	\$127.40	\$505.83	\$378. <b>4</b> 3
2"	350	\$7.43	\$927.50	\$318.50	\$1,253.43	\$934.93

# (b) Bulk Water Sales

All water sold in bulk will be charged at the rate of \$13.00 per 1,000 gallons.

SCHEDULE OF QUARTERLY

RATES

January 1, 2019

Total

\$4.63

 Water
 Sewer

 \$3.69
 \$0.94

# Minimum Charges per

#### Quarter

Notwithstanding the rates set forth in paragraph 1, all customers will pay the applicable minimum charges set out below, which includes the water allowance as listed.

#### (a) Water and Sewer Customers

					Water &	
					Sewer	Water Only
	Water	Quarterly	Water	Sewer	Quarterly	Quarterly
	Included	Service	Commodity	Commodity	Minimum	Minimum
Meter Size	C.M.	Charge	Charge	Charge	Charge	Charge
5 <mark>/</mark> 8"	14	\$7.68	\$51.66	\$13.16	\$72.50	\$59.34
3 <mark>/</mark> 4"	28	\$7.68	\$103.32	\$26.32	\$137.32	\$111.00
1 <mark>"</mark>	56	\$7.68	\$206.64	\$52.64	\$266.96	\$214.32
1 <mark>1</mark> /2"	140	\$7.68	\$516.60	\$131.60	\$655.88	\$524.28
2	350	\$7.68	\$1,291.50	\$329.00	\$1,628.18	\$1,299.18

#### (b) Bulk Water Sales

All water sold in bulk will be charged at the rate of \$18.00 per 1,000 gallons.

## The Following Clauses take effect July 1, 2017

## 5. Hydrant rentals:

The Village will pay to the Utility an annual rental of \$75.00 for each hydrant connected to the system.

## 6. Billing and Penalties:

Accounts shall be billed quarterly, and shall be due and payable 30 days after date of billing. A late payment charge of 1.25% per month shall be charged on the dollar amount owing after the billing due date.

## 7. Disconnection:

The Public Utilities Board has approved the Conditions Precedent to be followed by the Village with respect to the disconnection of service for non-payment including such matters as notice and the right to appeal such action to the Public Utilities Board. A copy of the Conditions Precedent is available for inspection at the municipal office.

#### 7. Reconnection:

Any Service disconnected due to non-payment of account shall not be reconnected until all arrears, penalties and a reconnection fee of \$25.00 has been paid.

### 8. Outstanding Bills:

Pursuant to Section 252(2) of The Municipal Act, the amount of all outstanding charges for water and sewer service are a lien and charge upon the land serviced, and shall be collected in the same manner in which ordinary taxes upon land are collectible, and with like remedies.

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