

**PUBLIC NOTICE OF ADOPTION
NEW PERMIT, CONNECTION INSPECTION,
AND EQUITY FEES SCHEDULE**

**ERIE COUNTY SEWER DISTRICT
NOS. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 & 8**

Erie County Sewer District (ECSD or ‘District’) Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 & 8 held a Public Hearing on November 5, 2020 at 10:00 A.M. local time, for the purpose of updating new permit, connection inspection, and equity fees for the ECSDs. The meeting took place in Room 1004 of the Erie County Rath Building, 95 Franklin Street, Buffalo, New York 14202. At that time, the following schedule of fees were presented and considered. In December 2020, the Board of Managers for each ECSD formally approved the schedule as presented at the public hearing, with an effective date of January 1, 2021. The fees are as follows:

I. PERMITS:

The fee for any type of a permit is \$2.00.

II. INSPECTION:

The inspection fee schedule is as follows:

a. Residential:

Single Family Residential Unit Connection inspection:	\$700.00 per each connection
Multiple Residential Units Connection inspection:	\$700.00 for first unit plus \$100.00 per each additional unit for each building sewer connection.
Inspection of collector sewer larger than six (6) inches in diameter, not installed by the District, whether or not such collector sewer becomes part of the District's sewerage system, to extend to the property or proposed project.	\$325.00 per 100 lineal feet of pipe or fraction thereof

b. Non-Residential:

Non-Residential Connection Inspection:	\$700.00 per each connection plus \$100.00 per each additional branch off of the sewer.
Inspection of collector sewer larger than six (6) inches in diameter whether or not such collector sewer becomes part of the District's sewerage system, to extend to the property or proposed project.	\$325.00 per 100 lineal feet of pipe or fraction thereof

c. Convenience Tap:

The inspection fee for a convenience tap is \$130.00.

d. Grinder Pumps and Pressure Sewers:

Grinder Pumps (Residential) Inspection:	
	Simplex \$700.00
	Duplex \$975.00
Grinder Pumps (Non- Residential) Inspection:	
	Simplex \$1,300.00
	Duplex \$1950.00

e. Sewage Pumping Stations-Subdivisions:

Inspection of submersible type sewage pumping station:	\$7,200.00
Inspection of suction/lift type sewage pumping station:	Inspection charges shall be based on actual time and expenses including overhead field and office supervision to be billed in arrears and payable before connection permits are issued.

Collector sewers described above that are constructed within rights-of-way or an ECSD easement will become public, unless specifically designated as private during project review. Building sewers are defined in the “Rules and Regulations for Erie County Sewer Districts” and are privately built, owned, operated, and maintained.

The connection permit fee and inspection charge shall be collected at the time the property owner, (or the property owner's representative as evidenced by written permission), obtains a permit to directly or indirectly connect a structure to the sanitary sewer system, unless otherwise specified.

III. EQUITY FEE:

For properties outside of the ECSDs, if approved to connect to the ECSD by the Board of Managers, the equity fee charge per any single residential unit for each District shall be as follows:

ECSD No. 1: \$1,800.00; ECSD No. 2: \$2,200.00; ECSD No. 3: \$1,200.00; ECSD No. 4: \$700.00; ECSD No. 5: \$900.00; ECSD No. 6: \$1,500.00; and ECSD No. 8: \$2,500.00.

For any non-residential, commercial unit, hotels/motels, schools, or institutions, the following applies:

First 5,000 square feet – 1 charge equates to 1 residential unit.

5,001 to 15,000 square feet – two charges

15,001 to 35,000 square feet – three charges

35,001 to 65,000 square feet – four charges and

Over 65,001 square feet – five charges.

The equity and inspection fees shall be collected at the time of the execution of the Out-Of-District Customer Agreement. The permit fee shall be collected at the time the property owner, (or the property owner's representative as evidenced by written permission), obtains a permit to directly or indirectly connect a structure to the sanitary sewer system.

Any developments not covered by one of the above will be handled by a special resolution of the Board of Managers.

IV. REPLACEMENT COST (Building Laterals):

For Developers I/I remedial work, \$4,000.00 per building sewer replacement (up to 75 foot-long per building sewer) will be set for ECSDs where candidates for building sewer replacement are not available.

EFFECTIVE DATE – January 1, 2021

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