



Nicola Lakeshore Water Utility Co. Ltd.

March 02, 2022

Notice of an Application By:

Nicola Lakeshore Water Utility Co. Ltd.

Proposing to Increase Rates Effective: Apr 2 2022

Notice is hereby given that **Nicola Lakeshore Water Utility** has made application to the Comptroller of Water Rights for his/her consent to the filing under the provisions of the *Water Utility Act* and the *Utilities Commission Act* of rates and charges for service. A summary of the proposed rates is as follows:

	Current Rate	Proposed Rate		
Meter size:	2021/22	2022/23 eff. Apr 2/22	2023/24 eff. Mar 1/23	2024/25 eff. Mar 1/24
3/4" meter per month	\$ 45.00	\$ 53.00	\$ 54.00	\$ 55.00
1" meter per month plus	79.00	82.95	82.95	82.95
1" meter usage rate(over 500 gallons/day)	0.06	0.10	0.10	0.10
6" meter, per bed unit per month	16.70	17.54	17.54	17.54
Availability of Service(Rent) Charge, per year	540.00	636.00	648.00	660.00

The rate increase is to generate sufficient revenue to cover the cost of increased operating expenses and set aside sufficient monies in the Replacement Reserve Trust Fund("RRTF"). \$28,500 will be set aside in Replacement Reserve Trust Fund every year.

A copy of this application is available for public inspection at: www.nicolaestates.com

Any person wishing further information in connection with the proposed rates or reasons for the proposed changes should write to

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By direction of the Comptroller of Water Rights, comments, concerns and questions on the application are to be forwarded to Chris McMillan, Secretary to the Comptroller of Water Rights, PO Box 9340 STN PROV GOVT, Victoria, BC V8W 9M1, or by email Chris.McMillan@gov.bc.ca to be received on or before April 1, 2022, * with a copy to **Nicola Lakeshore Water Utility Co. Ltd.**

As all submissions may be included as evidence, please ensure that a copy is provided to the Utility.

Information on the public hearing process can be found at:

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/air-land-water/water/water-licensing-rights/private-water-utilities/water-utilities-information-bulletins>

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