

**TOWN OF HANNA
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA
BY-LAW 1047-2026**

A BYLAW OF THE TOWN OF HANNA, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, TO PROVIDE FOR AN AMENDMENT OF MUNICIPAL PUBLIC UTILITIES BYLAW 1006-2020.

WHEREAS the Council of the Town of Hanna has adopted Bylaw 1006-2020 for the control and management of Municipal Public Utilities including water, sewer, and solid waste; and

WHEREAS the Council of the Town of Hanna deem it necessary to amend the rates and charges pertaining to the Municipal Public Utilities System bylaw.

NOW THEREFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF HANNA ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

PART I BYLAW TITLE

- 1.1 This bylaw shall be known as “the 2026 Municipal Public Utilities Amendment Bylaw”.

PART II GENERAL

- 2.1 Schedule A which establishes the service charges and fees shall be amended as follows:

Rates are effective March 1,2026

Big Country Waste Management Commission	
Fixed Operating Charge per billing period	\$ 51.00

PART VIII REVIEW AND ENACTMENT

- 8.1 Town of Hanna Bylaw 1006-2020 and amendments thereto are hereby amended.
- 8.2 This bylaw shall come into effect as of the date of final reading.

READ A FIRST TIME THIS 14th DAY OF APRIL 2026.

READ A SECOND TIME THIS 14th DAY OF APRIL 2026.

Mayor Danny Povaschuk

Chief Administrative Officer
Matthew Norburn

READ A THIRD TIME AND FINALLY PASSED THIS 14th DAY OF APRIL 2026.

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Schedule A

Rates effective March 1, 2026

Water Charges

Fixed Operating Charge per billing period	\$ 57.00
Water charges per cubic meter	\$ 3.18

Sewer Charges

Fixed Operating Charge per billing period	\$ 32.00
Sewer charges - per cubic meter of water used over 30 cubic meters	\$ 0.30

Commercial Water Hauling Operations shall be exempt from sewer charges above the minimum charge.

Solid Waste

Garbage Pickup – Residential Properties	
Fixed Operating Charge per billing period for Residential properties - three (3) bag per week limit	\$11.00

Big Country Waste Management Commission Fee - Residential and Commercial Properties	
Fixed Operating Charge per billing period	\$ 51.00

Disconnection/Reconnection Fee

When a public works employee is dispatched to disconnect and/or reconnect a utility service a fee will be added to the account as follows:

Due to lack of payment of the utility account The fee must be paid in addition to the arrears owing for service to be reconnected.	\$ 50.00
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Upon request of the owner or contractor to perform maintenance This includes the meter, meter reader or water lines. Except in an emergency, the owner or contractor shall make the request two working days prior to disconnection.	\$ 50.00
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Manual Meter Read Charge

The Town of Hanna began a program in 2013 to modify or replace water meters for Automated Meter Readings to allow meters to be read remotely. The water meters are fitted with an Encoder Receiver Transmitter (ERT). This eliminates the need for meter readers to enter customers' property, reduces costs and identifies potential theft or loss of water.

For properties where the Town has not been provided access by the customer to install the ERT on the water meter, there will be a fee to have the meter read manually.

Manual Meter Read Charge per billing period	\$ 50.00
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