



March 25, 2026

IMPORTANCE NOTICE

Re: Sewer & Water Rate Adjustments

The Island Regulatory and Review Commission (IRAC) has approved increases to the Borden-Carleton Sewer and Water Rates effective **July 1, 2024**.

These changes are necessary to address substantial operating deficits caused by rising costs and updated regulations over the past thirteen years since the last rate adjustment.

To minimize the impact on households, the increases will be phased in over three years:

- July 1, 2024: A 25% increase.
- April 1, 2025: An additional 5% increase.
- **April 1, 2026: A further 5% increase.**

For unmetered services, the current quarterly rate of \$252.36 (combined sewer and water) will increase to **\$264.96 as of April 1, 2026**.

The Town of Borden-Carleton understands the challenges this adjustment may pose for households. However, these steps are essential to ensure the Utilities' financial viability and their ability to continue providing safe and potable drinking water, as well as effective sewage treatment for the community.

Thank you for your understanding and support.

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