

BOROUGH OF BEAVER MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY

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Dear Beaver Borough
Municipal Authority customer,

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The Beaver Borough Municipal Authority (BBMA) has recently completed improvements to its aging water and sewer facilities and has begun formal design plans for future improvements. The following are a few recently completed and future planned projects:

- A 10" diameter water line that services the Beaver high school/middle school campus and provides fire protection for the Eaton plant was lined in July 2022.
- Disinfection of the drinking water was changed from gaseous chlorine to liquid chlorine in July 2021.
- In 2023, the exterior of the 1 million gallon water storage tank will be re-painted and the interior of the tank will be re-lined.
- Formal design plans have commenced for significant improvements to the sewage treatment plant. More specifically, plans are being prepared to update the sewage treatment plant electrical controls and aeration system with construction to follow upon receipt of permits and bids. Additionally, a plan has been recently prepared to re-locate the sanitary sewer influent line.
- Formal design plans have commenced for significant improvements to the drinking water treatment system. It is anticipated that construction of the drinking water treatment improvements will begin in 2023.
- Continued maintenance and replacement of aging components at the sewage treatment plant.
- Continued maintenance and replacement of water lines.

The above projects were/are designed using progressive technology along with environmentally sensitive considerations.

The BBMA is a non-profit independent government unit created for the operation of the water and sewer systems. In order to continue to replace and upgrade the aging infrastructure and facilities, **the BBMA recently approved the following increases:**

- **water rate increase from \$3.12 to \$4.46 per 1000 gallons**
- **sewer rate increase from \$5.72 to \$8.18 per 1000 gallons**
- **water base rate increase from \$9.00 per month to \$13.00 per month**
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The rate increase will take effect beginning in January 2023 and will be reflected on invoices issued on 01-30-2023. Even with the increases, the BBMA water and sewer rates remain one of the lower rates in Beaver County!

Please contact the BBMA at 724-773-6700 with any questions. Additionally, please visit the BBMA website at www.beaverboroughwater.us for additional information.

Thank you!