

Dear Customer,

This letter is to inform you that the Jersey Shore Area Joint Water Authority board of directors has voted and approved at the March 21, 2022, meeting to change the billing cycle from quarterly billing to monthly billing. The minimum monthly fee will be \$20.19 per month plus usage of water at a rate of \$3.94 per one thousand gallons used. The usage rate of \$3.94 per one thousand gallons used will be for all water customers regardless of Residential, Commercial, or Industrial. There will no longer be minimum gallons included in the monthly fee.

There will be a Distribution System Improvement Fee of \$5.00 per month for all water users added to the monthly bill. The fee increases are related to wholesalers and suppliers raising their costs as we strive to obtain affordable new and more reliable supplies and the need to maintain and build a new and more reliable infrastructure to ensure future generations clean and safe drinking water.

The changes to the billing cycle and the rate schedule will be effective May 11, 2022. The last quarterly billing will be April 11, 2022, with a due date of May 5, 2022.

Jersey Shore Area Joint Water Authority currently has 4 projects which include upgrading two Water Treatment Plants and replacing two areas of mainline. The details of these projects are posted on our website www.jerseyshorewater.com and posted at the office at 1111 Bardo Avenue.

Just a reminder of our bill payment options since we are going monthly are: direct debit from your account on the due date of the bill, in person, online with a credit card at www.jerseyshorewater.com, U.S mail or our drop off box after hours in the mail slot of the office.

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