NOTICE TO DISTRICT CUSTOMERS

WHEREAS, on May 29, 2024, the Board of Directors of the Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 37 approved amending the residential and commercial water and sewer rates and increasing the security deposit, which become *effective September 25, 2024*. (*See* below an excerpt from the District's Rate Order showing the new water and sewer rates):

Section 2.9 <u>Deposit to Secure Payment</u>. The District's Operator is hereby given authority to require persons requesting water and/or sewer service from the District for an owner occupied home or structure to post a deposit with the District of \$300.00 for each connection to the District's system; a deposit of \$600.00 for each non-owner occupied residential structure and a deposit of \$200 multiplied by the single-family equivalency of the connection for each commercial connection and each irrigation connection. Such deposits are solely to secure the payment of charges established by this Order. Upon termination of service, the District shall apply the deposit on hand to the unpaid service charges of the Consumer, and the excess, if any, will be paid to the Consumer. No interest will be paid by the District on such deposit.

Section 5.1 Monthly Rates for Water Service.

A. Residential.

The following rates per month shall be charged for water service furnished by the District through meters to each separate connection in every instance in which a different charge is not expressly and clearly provided for elsewhere herein:

| For 0-6,000 gallons of water used | \$12.75/Flat |
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| For each 1,000 gallons of water used from 6,001 to 10,000 | \$2.25 |
| For each 1,000 gallons of water used from 10,001 to 20,000 | \$2.50 |
| For each 1,000 gallons of water used from 20,001 to 30,000 | \$2.75 |
| For each 1,000 gallons of water used from 30,001+ | \$3.00 |
| Commercial. | |
| For all Commercial Customers | \$50.00 Base Fee |
| For each 1,000 gallons of water used from 0-6,000 gallons | \$4.50 |

В.

For each 1,000 of gallons of water used from \$5.00

For each 1,000 gallons of water used from 10,001-20,000 \$5.50

For each 1,000 gallons of water used from 20,001-30,000 \$6.50

For each 1,000 gallons of water used from 30,001+ \$7.50

F. Public Space Irrigation

The following rates per month shall be charged for water service furnished by the District through meters to each separate connection in every instance in which a different charge is not expressly and clearly provided for elsewhere herein.

| For 0-6,000 gallons of water used | \$12.75/Flat |
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| For each 1,000 gallons of water used from 6,001 to 10,000 | \$2.00 |
| For each 1,000 gallons of water used from 10,001 to 20,000 | \$2.50 |
| For each 1,000 gallons of water used from 20,001 to 30,000 | \$2.75 |
| For each 1,000 gallons of water used from 30,001+ | \$3.25 |

Section 4.2 A. Monthly Rates for Residential Sewer Service. The following rates per month shall be charged for Residential sewer service furnished by the District in every instance in which a different charge is not expressly and clearly provided for herein:

Flat fee \$20.00

B. Monthly Rates for Commercial Sewer Service. The following rates per month shall be charged for Commercial sewer service furnished by the District in every instance in which a different charge is not expressly and clearly provided for herein:

For first 10,000 gallons \$70.00 For every 1,000 gallons thereafter \$5.00