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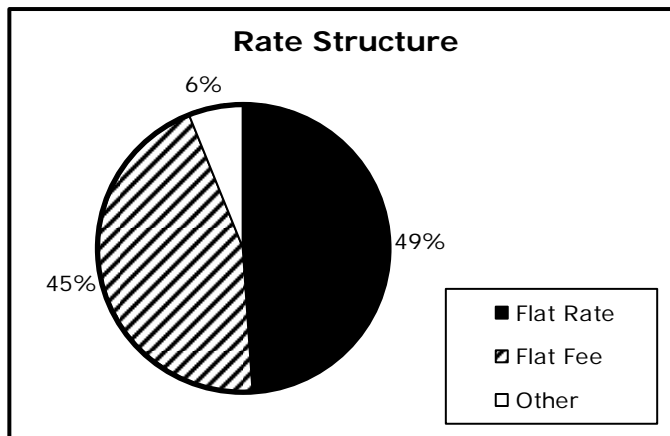
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2007 Connecticut Sewer Rate Survey

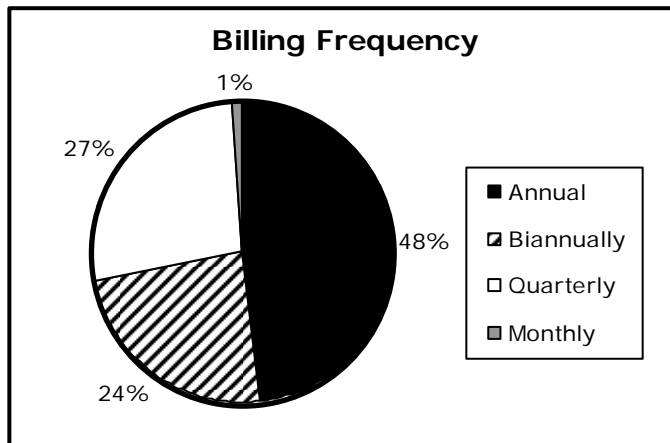


Tighe & Bond is pleased to publish our 2007 Sewer Rate Survey for communities in Connecticut. Our survey includes communities serving a population of 500 or greater. The survey summarizes information from the following sources:

- written survey responses
- telephone surveys
- municipal websites



A variety of different rate structures are used throughout the state. Based on the written survey results, 49% of communities use a flat or uniform rate structure and 45% use a flat fee. The remainder incorporate costs for sewerage systems through general taxation or use either an ascending or descending rate structure.



To allow for a comparative analysis, we have calculated the "typical" yearly homeowner's sewer cost based on 96 hundred cubic feet (72,000 gallons). Based on the information included in this survey, typical annual sewer costs in Connecticut range from a low of \$100* per household to a high of over \$1,000. The 2007 average cost is \$305 per household representing a 17% increase over the 2005 average.

The majority of respondents to the written survey use an annual billing cycle (48%), while 24% use a biannual billing cycle and 27% use a quarterly billing cycle. About 1% reported using a monthly billing cycle. Of those communities responding to the written survey, 42% indicated that they have a separate rate structure for businesses. Just 5% provide separate seasonal rates.

Tighe & Bond would like to thank all communities for their participation in this survey. Comparisons of sewer rate structures and resulting typical homeowner's costs can be

difficult given the wide variety of user charge methods in use. If we have incorrectly interpreted information for any community please let us know and we will make appropriate corrections. Questions, comments or suggestions are certainly welcome. Please contact Mary Beth Morris, P.E. at (413) 572-3247 for further information.

Tighe & Bond began collecting water and sewer rate data in Connecticut back in 1998. You can go to our rates website (rates.tighebond.com) which will allow you to query the rate data by a number of parameters such as annual cost, population, town and even search for features such as seasonal rates and early payment discounts.

Tighe & Bond has been providing consulting engineering services to government and industry for decades. Ever since the federal Clean Water Act of 1972, municipalities have been faced with the challenge of keeping up with changing regulations governing the discharge of wastewater to rivers and streams. With engineering expertise and current regulatory knowledge, Tighe & Bond has helped many communities meet the challenge of wastewater management. Tighe & Bond also provides expertise in residuals management, water resources management, civil engineering and solid and hazardous waste management.

*Does not include The Metropolitan District's new special sewer service charge.

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Ansonia, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$254	\$2.13/HCF	Annually	N	N	18,000	5/07

Notes: Annual cost includes \$50.00 debt service fee; for non-metered customers, annual fee is \$225 plus \$50.00.

Avon, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$275	\$275/year	Annually	Y	N	5,050 EDUs	7/1/07

Notes: One EDU is equivalent to 210 gallons per day. Rates will be increased to \$300/annually on July 1, 2008.

Berlin, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$249	\$2.59/HCF	Biannually	N	N	2,760	4/2/07

Notes: Discharges to the Mattabasset District located in Cromwell.

Bethel, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$308	Descending	Quarterly	N	N	3,500 customers	2/26/08

Notes: FY08 Rates are presented. Rates will increase in FY09. Quarterly charge of \$46.80 for 5/8" meter includes 6,000 gallons. Consumption charge is \$2.52/1000 gallons. from 6,000 - 65,000 gallons and \$1.92/1000 gallons. over 65,000 gallons.

Bridgeport, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$516	\$3.969/HCF	Quarterly	N	N	137,000	6/30/07

Notes: Rate determined based on 130 HCF. Service Area: Bridgeport, Trumbull, and small portion of Stratford and Fairfield.

Bristol, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$195	\$1.5379/HCF	Quarterly	N	N	53,100	7/1/07

Notes: Service charge of \$11.75 per quarter. Connection charges: \$600 or \$850 for new construction.

Brooklyn, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$180	\$180/year	Annually	Y	N	NR	1996

Notes: Connection charge: \$1,200 per single family.

Burlington, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$275	\$275/year	Annually	N	N	2,335	6/1/07

Canton, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$286	\$2.98/HCF	Annually	Y	N	1,500	7/1/07

Notes: Connection charges: \$7,550 per EDU.

Cheshire, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$290	\$290/year	Annually	Y	N	14,000	2007

Notes: Business rate is \$2.33/CCF.

Colchester, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$450	Ascending	Quarterly	N	N	4,400	7/1/07

Notes: 0 - 10,000 gallons - \$6.22/1,000 gallons; 10,000 - 20,000 gallons - \$6.30/1,000 gallons; >20,000 gallons - \$6.50/1,000 gallons.

Coventry, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$272	\$272/year	Annually	N	N	814 EDUs	Effective 9/08

Cromwell, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$165	\$165/year	Annually	N	N	8,400	4/1/07

Notes: Rate determined based on 62,000 gallons annual consumption. Part of Mattabassett District.

Danbury, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$159	\$2.46/1000 gals.	Quarterly	Y	N	45,000	7/1/06

Sewer charge based on 90% of water consumption. O&M charge is equivalent to \$2.11/1000 gals.; debt service charge is equivalent to \$0.35/1000 gals. for residential Class 1 and 1A. Minimum quarterly sewer use charge is \$23.25. Separate rates for unmetered customers, as well as nonresidential and commercial. Connection charges: \$500; Notes: Impact fees: based on square footage.

Darien, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$384	\$4.00/HCF	Annually	N	N	NR	NR

Notes: Actual residential bill is based on lowest two quarters of consumption. Commercial users charge is based on 100% of water use. Connection charges varies on cost of project. Town reports actual consumption as 90 HCF or 67,500 gallons annually.

Deep River, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$360	\$360/year	Annually	Y	N	1,000	2007

Notes: Connection charges: \$2,000.

Derby, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$189	\$0.30/gpd	Annually	Y	N	11,300	5/14/01

Notes: There is also a flat fee of \$130 per year. The commercial rate is \$1.43/gpd.

East Granby, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$250	\$250/year	Biannually	Y	N	NR	2005/2006

Notes: Rates are based on an average water usage of 40 HCF per half year.

East Hampton, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$260	\$260/year	Annually	N	N	9,250	10/1/07

East Lyme, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$360	\$5.00/1000 gals.	Biannually	N	N	7,000	11/06

Notes: Properties "fronting" the sewers are charged a benefit assessment which generally follows a CPI adjustment above the original assessment (\$7,838.89 for residential)

East Windsor, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$226	\$226/year	Annually	Y	N	NR	7/1/06

Notes: Rates determined based on 60,000 gallons annually. Bills are sent annually however residents have the option of paying in two installments. Connection charges: \$4,994 per unit.

Ellington, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$380	\$380/year	Biannually	N	N	7,500	10/06

Notes: Service area: Hockanum River Watershed. Connection charges: Benefit assessment \$1,700/per bedroom.

Enfield, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
		NR	N	N	NR	NR

Notes: Rate for tax exempt properties is pending approval (\$1.99/1,000 gallons)

Fairfield, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$259	\$2.40/HCF	Biannually	N	N	43,100	7/07

Notes: Rates are based on 108 HCF or 80,784 gallons annually.

Farmington, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$173	\$173/year	Annually	Y	N	24,000	7/1/07

Glastonbury, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$182	\$1.90/HCF	Annually	N	N	17,800	9/06

Notes: Minimum bill/standby charge is \$55. Non-metered accounts are billed \$266.00/annually (140 HCF x \$1.90/HCF). The Town allows special meters for measuring non-sewered use (sprinklers/pools) and deduct this.

Granby, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$144	\$0.00247/gal.	Annually	Y	N	800	1995

Notes: \$102.00 per bill includes up to 55,000 gallons annually; \$0.00247/per gallon over. Businesses: \$147 up to 100,000 gallons; \$0.00247/per gallon over. Connection charges: permit = \$75; assessment \$850 residential.

Greater New Haven Water Pollution Control Authority

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$274	\$2.31/HCF	Quarterly	Y	N	199,780	7/1/07

Notes: Administration fee per billing: \$13.00. Service area: New Haven, Hamden, East Haven, Woodbridge.

Greenwich, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
	NA	NA	Y	N	44,500	NA

Notes: Cost is included in ad valorem tax. Sewer system costs are paid through property taxes. Connection charges: \$100 per unit (300 gallons per day).

Groton, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$288	\$24.00/month	Annually	Y	N	23,000	7/1/07

Notes: Commercial Rate: \$0.0382/CF.

Hebron, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$290	\$290/year	Annually	Y	N	800	7/1/07

Jewett City - Department of Public Utilities

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$524	\$5.46/HCF	Quarterly	N	N	1,200 users	7/05

Notes: Service area: Borough of Jewett City, some areas of Griswold, Lisbon Landing Shopping Plaza, Lisbon, CT. Connection charges: buy in fee: \$3,000; tie-in \$1,000 per EDU.

Killingly, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$271	\$271/year	Annually	Y	N	7,500	6/1/07

Notes: Rate is for single family home.

Ledyard, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$415	\$0.096/100 gals.	Quarterly	N	N	NR	7/05

Notes: Quarterly charge of \$96 for minimum use of 10,000 gallons.

Litchfield, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$288	\$288/year	Annually	N	N	1,186	2007

Manchester, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$263	\$2.74/HCF	Quarterly	N	N	>50,000	7/1/07

Mansfield, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$393	\$0.0409704/CF	Biannually	N	N	2,400	2008

Meriden, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$263	\$2.45/HCF	Biannually	N	N	51,000	7/1/07

Notes: Meter charge is \$14.05 per bill. Rates will increase to \$2.55/HCF on 7/1/08.

Metropolitan District - Hartford, CT

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$34	\$0.35/CCF	NA	Y	N	380,000	1/1/08

Notes: MDC member towns include Bloomfield, East Hartford, Hartford, Newington, Rocky Hill, West Hartford, Wethersfield and Windsor. Sewer cost is included in ad valorem tax. A portion of taxes goes to the MDC. A new special sewer service charge goes into effect in 2008 to pay principal and interest on bonds and loans issued to finance the Clean Water Project. It will change annually to support increasing debt. The rate for nonmunicipal tax exempt users and high flow users is \$2.08/HCF. Per website.

Middlebury, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$100	\$100/year	Annually	Y	N	6,000	1991

Middletown, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$187	\$19.48/1000 CF	Biannually	N	N	41,000	7/1/07

Notes: Connection charge: \$3,500. Part of Mattabassett District.

Milford, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$206	\$206/year	Annually	Y	N	18,514 customers	2007/2008

Montville, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$300	\$300/year	Quarterly	Y	N	4,100 customers	10/1/05

Morris, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$300	\$300/year	Annually	N	N	510 EDUs	2007

Naugatuck, Borough of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$185	\$185/year	Annually	N	N	276 customers	6/27/05

Notes: Rate is for Beacon Falls and Prospect residents whose sewerage flows in Naugatuck sewer system. Naugatuck does not have a sewer user charge for its residents. A portion of taxes is used to pay for sewerage system costs.

New Britain, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$153	\$1.59/HCF	Biannually	N	N	70,000	2007

Notes: Part of Mattabassett District.

New Canaan, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$699	\$0.677/\$1,000 val.	Annually	N	N	2,753 customers	2007

Notes: Town charges sewer tax rate of \$0.677/\$1000 valuation based on 70% of the value of the home. Homeowner's cost determined based on CERC Town Profile Report (2007) for median housing price of \$1,475,292.

New Hartford, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$801	\$11.13 /1000 gals.	Quarterly	N	N	1,300	7/1/06

Notes: Minimum charges: metered customers: \$69.59 (6,250 gallons) per quarter; non-metered customers: \$200.42 (18,000 gallons) per quarter. Rates per town website.

Norfolk Sewer District

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$915	\$7.18/1000 gals.	Annually	N	N	378 customers	7/07

Notes: Flat rate for each connection is \$397.68 per year. Estimated annual household consumption is actually 74,000 gallons.

North Haven, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$152	\$2.0822/1000 gals.	Annually	Y	N	17,800	2005

Notes: Rate determined based on 73,000 gallons annual consumption. Service area: North Haven and North Branford. Connection charges: \$2,000.

Norwalk, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$215	\$215/year	Biannually	Y	N	84,500	7/1/07

Notes: Rate reported is for single family residential. Commercial and industrial customers: \$305 for less than 110,000 gallons of water per year. Consumption of more than 110,000 gallons - \$5.50/1000 gallons above the base charge of \$305.

Norwich, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$365	\$3.802/HCF	Monthly	N	N	12,200	7/1/07

Notes: Connection charges: \$2,500 per EDU.

Plainville, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$354	\$36.91/1000 CF	Biannually	N	Y	16,000	2007

Plymouth, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$227	\$227/year	Annually	Y	N	4,271	7/1/07

Notes: Based on 52,000 gallons annually. Service area: Terryville/Plymouth/Pequabuck. Connection charge: \$2,100.

Portland, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$423	\$4.41/HCF	Quarterly	N	Y	2,700	2002

Putnam, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$195	\$48.82/quarter	Quarterly	Y	N	6,800	2007

Notes: Based on \$43.40 per quarter for in-town residents; Out-of-town residents pay \$54.24 per quarter. Average used for calculations. Will increase 10% in October 2008.

Redding, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$1,039	\$17.90/1000 gals.	Quarterly	Y	N	1,500	6/5/05

Notes: Base charge of \$45.00 includes up to 6,000 gallons per quarter.

Ridgefield, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$350	\$350/year	Annually	N	N	2,000 customers	NR

Notes: The current unit charge for Sewer Area I is \$390; Sewer Area II is \$340; and Sewer Area III is \$320. Average is reported. Per Town website.

Seymour, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$264	\$2.75/HCF	Biannually	N	N	10,000	8/02

Shelton, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$173	\$173/year	Annually	Y	N	20,000	2007

Notes: Residential rate is determined based on assumed consumption of 210 gallons/day.

Simsbury, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$210	\$210/year	Annually	N	N	5,700 connections	7/1/07

Notes: Rates based on 210 gpd. Connection charges: varies - \$4,095 - facility connection charge for new connections.

Somers, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$198	\$198/year	Annually	N	N	530	10/1/06

Notes: Connection charges: \$5,000 assessment plus \$150.00 permit.

South Windsor, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$264	\$264/year	Annually	N	N	21,600	7/2007

Notes: Rate determined based on 93,000 gallons annual consumption. Connection charges: \$979 per unit and \$3,282 per developed acre.

Southington, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$194	\$2.02/HCF	Annually	Y	N	28,500	4/1/04

Notes: For customers not using public water - residential rate of \$60.60/person in household. Restaurant rate is \$5.80/seat; commercial rate is \$19.90/employee.

Sprague, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$400	\$100/quarter	Quarterly	N	N	560 customers	7/1/06

Notes: Connection charge: \$2,500.

Stafford, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$200	\$200/year	Biannually	Y	N	2,015	4/4/02

Stamford, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$351	\$3.03/HCF	Biannually	N	N	>100,000	8/07

Notes: Based on 116 CCF per year. The sewer user charge covers the cost of operating and maintaining the wastewater treatment facility and collection system as well as all capital projects and debt service.

Stonington, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$377	\$3.93/HCF	Biannually	N	N	10,600	11/01/06

Notes: Connection charges: if not assessed during construction \$2,195.09 per unit plus frontage, area and land value.

Stratford, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$250	\$250/year	Biannually	Y	N	49,389	7/1/06

Notes: Rates determined based on 95 HCF annual consumption. Industrial users based on flow - \$2.52/HCF billed semi-annually. Connection charge: \$15.00 industrial sewer connection permit fee.

Suffield, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$200	\$200/year	Annually	Y	N	5,800	7/1/07

Notes: Commercial rates are based on water consumption. Connection charges: \$10,000 single/\$6,500 developer.

Thomaston, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$319	\$4.56/1000 gals.	Annually	Y	N	2,789 customers	1/1/08

Notes: Rates based on 70,000 gallons annually. Service area: Thomaston - 20,000 gallons/day from neighboring Northfield which is part of Litchfield.

Tolland, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$523	\$7.26/1000 gals.	Quarterly	N	N	>100	7/2007

Torrington, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$170	\$170/year	Annually	Y	N	31,000	7/1/07

Notes: Rate determined based on 65,000 gallons annual consumption. Commercial rates are based on water consumption. Connection charges: \$2,500.

Trumbull, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$475	\$3.95/HCF	Quarterly	Y	N	20,200	7/1/07

Notes: Service charge is \$95.30 a year for maintenance charge. Summer consumption is based on an average of winter and fall quarters.

Vernon, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$219	\$3.04/1000 gals.	Quarterly	N	N	24,900	10/1/00

Wallingford, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$364	\$3.31/HCF	Quarterly	N	N	37,558	6/1/07

Notes: The annual homeowner's cost includes basic service fees (total \$46 annually).

Waterbury, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$305	\$3.386/HCF	Quarterly	N	Y	107,000	2007

Notes: Rates based on 90.04 HCF.

Waterford, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$235	\$235/year	Biannually	Y	Y	6,700 customers	1/06

Notes: Commercial rates: \$3.95/1000 gallons.

West Haven, City of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$182	\$182/year	Biannually	Y	N	50,600	2007/2008

Notes: Rates are based on 91,250 gallons per year.

Winchester, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$334	\$2.02/CCF	Quarterly	N	N	3,000	8/01

Notes: Base rate of \$140 is charged annually.

Windham, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$248	\$2.58/HCF	Quarterly	N	N	13,000	7/1/04

Notes: Connection charge: \$900.

Windsor Locks, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$262	\$3.64/1000 gals.	Biannually	Y	N	12,237	2006/2007

Notes: Town reports average annual homeowner's cost at \$199. Connection charges: \$3,000. Minimum Charges: Residential \$120.23.

Wolcott, Town of

Annual Cost	Sewer Rate	Billing Cycle	Separate Business Rate	Seasonal Rate	Population Served	Last Rate Change
\$175	\$175/year	Annually	N	N	3,926 EDUs	2007

Footnotes:

1. Annual Costs based on typical household using 72,000 gallons (96 HCF) per year.
2. HCF = hundred cubic feet = CCF
3. NA = Not Applicable
4. NR = Not Reported
5. gpd = gallons per day
6. NR = No Response
7. EDU = Equivalent Dwelling Unit