

Cleona Borough Authority
2018 Rate Calculation Details
Rate Schedule Effective with April, 2018 Consumption
(Reflected in July, 2018, Billing)

Consumption of 5,000 or less: There will be a minimum charge of \$59.00. This is an increase of \$4.00 per quarter compared to current rates.

Consumption over 5,000 gallons: Your quarterly sewer charges are based on two components; treatment charges and non-treatment charges. Your rate will be calculated as follows:

Treatment Charges:

This is the cost paid by the Cleona Authority to the City of Lebanon for treatment of the waste water sent to the city treatment plant. You will be charged a tiered amount based on your quarterly water consumption as follows:

0 to 30,000 gallons	\$6.42 per 1,000 gallons
31,000 to 50,000 gallons	\$8.56 per 1,000 gallons
51,000 to 100,000 gallons	\$9.63 per 1,000 gallons
Greater than 100,000 gallons	\$10.16 per 1,000 gallons

As noted these rates are tiered. In other words if you were to use 31,000 gallons you would be charged the lower rate of \$6.42 per thousand gallons for the first 30,000 gallons of usage and \$8.56 for the last 1,000 gallons of usage.

Non Treatment Charges:

This is the cost incurred by the Authority to operate, maintain and improve the sewer system. To cover these costs you will be charged a non-tiered amount based on your quarterly water consumption as follows:

0 to 30,000 gallons	\$3.95 per 1,000 gallons
31,000 to 50,000 gallons	\$5.09 per 1,000 gallons
Greater than 50,000 gallons	\$6.24 per 1,000 gallons

Unlike treatment charges, non-treatment charges are not tiered. In other words you are charged the same rate per 1,000 gallons for all of your usage, based on your usage classification. For example if you used 31,000 gallons you would be charged at the rate of \$5.09 per thousand for every gallon of usage. Non treatment charges are not tiered because higher volume usage results in a disproportional share of our operating expenses. Simply put it costs us more in maintenance and operating costs to support higher volume users than it does to support lower volume users.

On the reverse side you will find a chart which shows a comparison of the current and the new quarterly charges. In the interest of space we have only included examples for common levels of consumption from our customer base.