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Development Services  
Wastewater Permits

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## 2015 Sewer Permit Fees

Effective for permits issued and paid on or after January 1, 2015

**For Residential Development** (SFR, Duplex, and three (3) or more Unit Buildings with individual water taps):

SAFE Fee per Unit	METRO Fee per Unit	Total Fee per Unit
\$ 410.00	\$ 3,960.00	\$ 4,370.00

**For Commercial & Multi-Residential Developments:**

Domestic Water TAP Size	SFRE	SAFE Fee	METRO Fee	Total Fee
¾"	2.0	\$ 820.00	\$ 7,920.00	\$ 8,740.00
1"	4.8	1,968.00	19,008.00	20,976.00
1.5"	11	4,510.00	43,560.00	48,070.00
2"	20	8,200.00	79,200.00	87,400.00
3"	43	17,630.00	170,280.00	187,910.00
4"	86	35,260.00	340,560.00	375,820.00

**Large-User Exception Formula:** For water service taps 6" or larger sizes, or combined number of SFRE's greater than or equal to 218, the number of SFREs for calculating the sewer connection charge shall be determined from the following formula:

$$\text{SFREs} = \frac{\text{Flow} \times \text{F}}{148} + \frac{\text{BOD} \times \text{B}}{0.3148} + \frac{\text{SS} \times \text{S}}{0.3209} + \frac{\text{TKN} \times \text{T}}{0.0494}$$

Where:

Flow	=	Estimated flow, gpd (peak month)
BOD	=	Estimated BOD, lbs / day (peak month)
SS	=	Estimated SS, lbs / day (peak month)
TKN	=	Estimated TKN, lbs / day (peak month)

At a minimum, the following values shall be used in the above formulas:

TAP SIZE	FLOW	BOD	SS	TKN
6 inches	32,264	68.62	69.96	10.76
8 inches	48,396	102.92	104.94	16.14
10 inches	76,516	162.73	165.92	25.53

Following are fractions of the District's capital investment used for the treatment of flow and loadings, effective January 1, 2015:

Flow (F)	=	0.5275
BOD (B)	=	0.2308
SS (S)	=	0.1658
TKN (T)	=	0.0759

### Reactivation Charge:

- A Reactivation Charge of \$120.00 per SFRE for each year beyond ten (10) years that a connection has been inactive as defined by the Metro District's Rules and Regulations will be assessed.

#### Acronyms:

SFR	Single-family residence	SFRE	Single-family residence equivalent
SAFE Fees	Sanitary sewer services availability fee	METRO Fees	Metropolitan Wastewater Reclamation District Fee

