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**PUBLIC NOTICE OF INCREASE  
IN WATER RATES AND CHARGES  
JUNE 2024**

The Centerville Osterville Marstons Mills(C-O-MM) Board of Water Commissioners is adjusting water rates and charges. The Board periodically reviews water rates to ensure that the revenues produced will support the Water Department's budget, which includes capital improvement projects and annual operation and maintenance.

The new rates will go into effect July 1, 2024. The first usage period reflecting the new rates (July to December 2024) will be billed in January 2025.

The last rate increase was in 2014.

The new rates are as follows:

- Increase the annual account charge by \$10.00 to \$70.00
- Increase Tier 1 (0-20,000 gals) from \$1.00 to \$1.20 per thousand gallons
- Increase Tier 2 (21k-200,000 gals) from \$2.95 to \$3.05 per thousand gallons
- Increase Tier 3 (over 201,000 gals) from \$3.95 to \$4.05 per thousand gallons

The average low-end user will see a \$10.00-\$16.00 annual increase.

The average user (100,000 gallons) will see a \$18.00-\$24.00 annual increase.

**PLEASE CONSERVE & USE WATER WISELY**

Due to our commitment to improving operational efficiencies, C-O-MM's water rates continue to be half of the state's average for the typical ratepayer.

Water Commissioners' meetings are on the first Wednesday of the month and changes are posted on our website. ([www.commwater.com](http://www.commwater.com))

Please mail comments to PO Box 369, Osterville, MA 02655 or email to [ccrocker@commfiredistrict.com](mailto:ccrocker@commfiredistrict.com).

As always, we would like to thank our ratepayers for their continued support.