

Municipal Authority of the City of New Kensington Water Rate Restructure Notice

February 2018

Dear Valued Customer,

The Municipal Authority of The City of New Kensington is committed to its goal to provide and maintain a dependable high-quality source of water for its customers while meeting rigorous regulations and demands. In order to keep costs at a minimum, the Authority is completing many of our projects with our own employees rather than outside contractors. We are consistently upgrading equipment and production allowing our system to operate more effectively and efficiently. In order to continue at this level and meet demands and increased costs, the Authority finds it necessary to restructure our present rates that have been in place since June 2005, our last rate increase.

The new rates will take effect February 1, 2018 but will not be reflected until the June quarterly billing cycle. The June billing cycle is for consumption of water from February to May. For a typical single family residential water customer using 15,000 gallons/2,005 cubic feet per quarter, your water bill will see an increase of \$3.40 per month or \$.11 cents per day. The present surcharge of \$15.00 will be eliminated from all water bills.

Further information regarding the Schedule of Rates and Charges may be found at www.newkenwater.net. We trust our customers will understand the need for this change in order for us to continue to meet our goal of providing dependable high-quality water service to the residents of New Kensington, Arnold, Lower Burrell, Upper Burrell and parts of Allegheny Township, Washington Township and Plum.

Should you have any questions or desire any additional information, please feel free to call the Authority office weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

