



BY-LAW NO. 2764/UTIL/26
Water and Sewer Utility Rates By-law (2026)

A BY-LAW of the Municipal Corporation of the Town of Inuvik in the Northwest Territories to establish water and sewer utility rates for 2026.

WHEREAS

1. The Town of Inuvik has authority under the *Cities, Towns and Villages Act* to set fees and charges for municipal utilities; and
2. Council deems it necessary to establish updated water and sewer utility rates to reflect current operating costs and maintain sustainable service delivery.

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Town of Inuvik enacts as follows:

1. SHORT TITLE

- 1.1 This by-law may be cited as the **Water and Sewer Utility Rates By-law (2026)**.
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2. DEFINITIONS

- a) **Council** means the Council of the Town of Inuvik.
 - b) **Customer** means any person, business, or government entity receiving water/sewer services.
 - c) **Dwelling Unit** means a residence as defined in the prior by-law.
 - d) **SAO** means the Senior Administrative Officer or designate.
 - e) **Town** means the Municipal Corporation of the Town of Inuvik.
 - f) **Water and Sewer Utility Rates** means the 2026 rate schedule attached as Schedule A.
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3. GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 3.1 Customers will be billed monthly according to Schedule A.
- 3.2 Bills are due within 30 days of the billing date.
- 3.3 Invalidity of any clause does not affect the remainder of the by-law.
- 3.4 Where conflict exists, this by-law prevails.

4. REPEAL

4.1 By-law 2702/UTIL/23 and all prior water/sewer rate by-laws are hereby repealed.

5. EFFECTIVE DATE

5.1 This by-law comes into effect upon Third Reading and final passage.

READINGS

FIRST READING: January 14, 2026

SECOND READING: January 14, 2026

THIRD READING AND PASSED: January 28, 2026

Mayor



Senior Administrative Officer



I hereby certify that this by-law was made in accordance with the requirements of the *Cities, Towns and Villages Act* and the by-laws of the Town of Inuvik.

Senior Administrative Officer



SCHEDULE A — 2026 Rates

Water and Sewer Utility Rates

PART I – Monthly Service and Consumption Charges (2026)

Classification	2026 Rate (\$/L)	Minimum Charge / Month
Residential – Non-Government	0.00662	\$72.45
Residential – Government	0.01252	\$134.40
Commercial – Non-Government	0.00882	N/A
Government – Non-Residential	0.01252	N/A
Water Point (In-Town)	0.00882	N/A
Water Point (Out-of-Town)	0.01252	N/A

Notes to Part I:

1. Residential charges are per dwelling unit.
2. Apartment buildings are charged residential rate; non-government or government depending on ownership.
3. Where there is a mixture of residential or other occupancy, water charges are based pro-rata on an estimate of water use by the different occupancies.
4. Water point – current holders may deliver sewage (grey water) to the Town of Inuvik Sewage Lagoon up to a volume equivalent to the bulk water volume purchased under this contract for no additional charge.

PART II – Unmetered Standby Fire Protection Charges

Fire Line Diameter	Monthly Charge
50 mm (2") & under	\$5.00
100 mm (4")	\$15.00
150 mm (6")	\$35.00

Notes to Part II:

1. Charges listed in Part II are additional to charges listed in Part I.