MEMBERSHIP FEE

-\$360/year = \$90/qtr = ~\$1/day

- -For those certificate members with <u>no water service/connection</u> (currently 157 members), the full \$360 will be billed in early January.
- -All other certificate members <u>with and without a meter</u> (currently 226 members) will be billed their quarterly amount of \$90 starting in early January 2025 PLUS additional usage rates *with* and *without* a meter (see below).

USAGE RATES WITH A METER (currently 221 members)

- -**Tier 0**: less than 500 gal/qtr (for part-timers) = \$5/qtr usage PLUS \$90 quarterly membership fee = \$95/qtr = \$380/yr (assuming Tier 0 usage for all 4 quarters)
- -Tier 1: less than 90 gpd (which is our approved Augmentation Plan amount) = 8 ,000gal/qtr = 9 ,000gal/qtr = 9 .83/day. (< 1 cent per gallon)

Example: quarterly usage of 6,000gal: \$75/qtr PLUS \$90 quarterly membership fee = \$165/qtr = \$660/yr (assuming Tier 1 usage for all 4 quarters)

- -Tier 2: greater than 90 gpd. \$75/qtr for the first 8,000gal PLUS \$10/1,000gal over 8,000 gal

 Example: quarterly usage of 9,500 gal: \$75 + 2(\$10) = \$95 PLUS \$90 quarterly membership fee = \$185/qtr = \$740/yr (assuming Tier 2 usage all 4 quarters)
- -Meter readings will occur quarterly every 3 months at the end of March, June, September, December, etc.

USAGE RATES WITHOUT A METER (currently 5 members)

- -**Tier 3**: Since <u>no meter</u> is installed, MEWA will assume and charge for water consumption at 40,000gal/qtr which is <u>5</u> times the Tier 1 usage of 90 gpd until a meter is installed.
- -\$75/qtr for the first 8,000gal PLUS \$10/1,000gal for the next 32,000gal = \$75/qtr + 32(\$10) = \$395/qtr (\$132/month) PLUS \$90 quarterly membership fee = \$485/qtr (\$162/month) = \$1940/year (\$5.32/day) (assuming no meter is installed for 4 consecutive quarters)
- -Usage billing for these 5 members will occur quarterly every 3 months at the end of March, June, September, December, etc.
- ***Based upon actual 2025 usage, status of Augmentation Plan amendment with Colorado Water Court, and any and all other factors, MEWA will reevaluate membership fee and usage rate structure for the remaining quarters of 2025. Thank you in advance for your continued cooperation and compliance!

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