

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA WATER AND SEWER AUTHORITY

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Wednesday, August 14, 2019

6:30 p.m.

District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority Headquarters
1385 Canal Street, S.E. (125 O Street, S.E.)
Washington, D.C. 20003
Second Floor Board Room

The Board of Directors of the District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority (the Board), in accordance with Section 216 of the Water and Sewer Authority Establishment and Department of Public Works Reorganization Act of 1996, effective April 18, 1996 (D.C. Law 11-111; D.C. Official Code § 34-2202.16 (2012 Repl.)), on November 1, 2018 and June 6, 2019, approved Board Resolution 18-73 and 19-37 to amend Section 4101 (Rates and Charges for Sewer Service) and 4102 (Customer Assistance Programs) of Chapter 41 (Retail Water and Sewer Rates) of Title 21 (Water and Sanitation) of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations (DCMR).

Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 34-2202.16(b)(2) and 21 DCMR Chapter 40, the Board will conduct a public hearing at the above stated date, time, and place to receive comments on the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, published at 65 DCMR 12831 on November 16, 2018, to amend the retail rate for groundwater sewer service for discharges of groundwater from unimproved real properties, properties under construction and properties under groundwater remediation. The retail sanitary sewer service rate for discharges of cooling water and non-potable water sources remain the same as the prevailing retail sanitary sewer service rate provided in section 4101.1(a). The Board will also receive comments at the public hearing on the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, published on June 21, 2019 in the *D.C. Register*, to extend the Customer Assistance Program II through FY 2020.

Below is the draft agenda for this meeting. A final agenda will be posted to DC Water's website at www.dcwater.com.

Each individual or representative of an organization who wishes to present testimony at the public hearing is requested to furnish his or her name, address, telephone number and name of the organization (if any) by calling (202) 787-2330 or emailing the request to Lmanley@dcwater.com no later than 5:00 p.m., Monday August 12, 2019. Other persons wishing to present testimony may testify after those on the witness list. Persons making presentations are urged to address their statements to relevant issues.

Oral presentations by individuals will be limited to five (5) minutes. Oral presentations made by representatives of an organization will not be longer than ten (10) minutes. Statements should summarize extensive written materials so there will be time for all interested persons to be heard.

Oral presentations will be heard and considered, but for accuracy of the record, all statements should be submitted in writing. The hearing will end when all persons wishing to make comments have been heard.

Written testimony or comments on the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking may be submitted by mail to Linda R. Manley, Secretary to the Board, District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority, 1385 Canal Street, S.E., Washington, D.C. 20003, or by email to Lmanley@dcwater.com. Such written testimony to be clearly marked "Written Testimony for Public Hearing, August 14, 2019" and received by 5:00 p.m. Monday, August 19, 2019.

**PUBLIC HEARING ON
Proposal to Extend DC Water’s Customer Assistance Program (CAP)
to Eligible Customers through Fiscal Year 2020**

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DRAFT AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order Tommy Wells, Chairman
- 2. Opening Statement..... Tommy Wells, Chairman
- 3. DC Water Management Presentation..... Matthew Brown, Chief Financial Officer
 - a) Proposal to Extend DC Water’s Customer Assistance Program II (CAP2) to Eligible Customers through Fiscal Year 2020
 - b) Proposal to Revise the Retail Sewer Service Rate for Groundwater Discharges
- 4. Public Witnesses
 - Pre-registered Speakers
 - Other comments (time permitting)
- 5. Closing Statement Tommy Wells, Chairman
- 6. Adjournment Tommy Wells, Chairman