

**TANK COATING SURCHARGE TARIFF**

**UTILITY:** Big Park Water Company  
**DOCKET NO.** W-01624A-19-0106

**DECISION NO.** 77905  
**EFFECTIVE DATE:** February 17, 2021

**I. Purpose, Applicability and Term**

*Purpose*

The purpose of this tariff is to authorize Big Park Water Company (“Company”) to collect a monthly surcharge to its rates and charges for water service in order to recover costs to be incurred for water tank coating projects ("Tank Coating Costs"). The surcharge will be assessed based on customer meter or fire service line size as provided below.

*Applicability*

This tariff applies to all customers of Company.

*Term*

This tariff is in effect for a maximum period of five years from becoming effective or until the end of the month in which a cumulative total of \$320,500 has been billed pursuant to this tariff, unless otherwise ordered by the Arizona Corporation Commission (“Commission”).

**II. Definitions**

Unless the context otherwise requires, the definitions set forth in R-14-2-401 of the Commission’s rules and regulations governing water utilities shall apply in interpreting this tariff schedule.

“Commission” means the Arizona Corporation Commission

"Company" means Big Park Water Company.

“Surcharge Amount” means the fixed monthly rate based on meter size or fire service line size in accordance with Section III below.

“Tank Coating Costs” means the actual cost paid by Company for the interior or exterior cleaning, sandblasting and coating of water storage, hydropneumatic or treatment tanks.

“Tank Coating Surcharge” means the surcharge authorized by this tariff and described herein.

**III. Surcharge Amount**

For each month that the Tank Coating Surcharge is in effect, the Company will charge the monthly Surcharge Amount determined by the following table:

<b><u>TANK COATING SURCHARGE AMOUNT</u></b>		
<b>Residential, Commercial and Construction/Standpipe Customers</b>		
<b>Meter Size</b>	<b>Size Factor</b>	<b>Monthly Surcharge Amount</b>
5/8 x 3/4" Meter	1	\$ 1.27
3/4" Meter	1.5	1.91

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<b>Residential, Commercial and Construction/Standpipe Customers</b>		
<b>Meter Size</b>	<b>Size Factor</b>	<b>Monthly Surcharge Amount</b>
1" Meter	2.5	3.18
1 1/2" Meter	5	6.35
2" Meter	8	10.16
3" Meter	16	20.32
4" Meter	25	31.75
6" Meter	50	63.50
<b>Fire Sprinklers</b>		
<b>Connection Size</b>	<b>Size Factor</b>	<b>Monthly Surcharge Amount</b>
4" or smaller connections	0.78	\$ 0.99
6" connections	1.00	1.27

**IV. Terms and Conditions**

- (A) Use of Tank Coating Surcharge Revenue:** All funds collected by the Company pursuant to this Tank Coating Surcharge Tariff shall be deposited into a separate interest bearing bank account and used solely for the purpose of paying Tank Coating Costs incurred after the effective date of this tariff.
- (B) Disposition of Excess Funds:** Any unspent funds remaining in the bank account at the expiration of this tariff or if this tariff has been otherwise terminated by order of the Commission shall be retained by Company and used solely for payment of Tank Coating Costs, including Tank Coating Costs incurred after the termination of this tariff.
- (C) Status Reporting Requirements to the Commission:** The Company shall submit a calendar year Tank Coating Surcharge status report each January 31 to Docket Control for the prior twelve (12) month period, beginning January 31, 2022, until the Tank Coating Surcharge tariff is no longer in effect and all funds collected have been expended. This status report shall contain the beginning balance of the bank account, the amount collected during the reporting period, interest earned during the reporting period, the amount of money spent from the account and a list of each tank coating project and the cost paid for each tank coating project during the 12 month period.
- (D) Documentation to Be Maintained:** The Company shall maintain documentation for all surcharge billing amounts, billing determinants, and all Tank Coating Costs incurred.
- (E) Customer Notice:** The Company shall notify its customers of this new tariff as part of its next regularly scheduled billing after the effective date of the tariff in a form acceptable to Staff.