

Sewer Grinder Pump Replacement Fee

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Section 705. Miscellaneous User Fee and Grinder Pump Replacement Fee. The Township shall, from time to time, establish by resolution of the Township Board and impose on one or more Users the following fees:

(a) A Miscellaneous User Fee, as necessary, for miscellaneous service, repairs and related administrative costs associated with the System and incurred, without limitation, as a result of the intentional or negligent acts of such User or Users, including for example, excessive inspection services not covered by the Inspection Fee, costs of repairing and/or replacing a damaged Service Connection; costs of abating a nuisance pursuant to Section 1005 hereof, and costs incurred by the Township to shut off and turn on sewer service.

(b) A Grinder Pump Replacement Fee, as necessary to fund the cost of replacing Grinder Pump Systems. The Township Board may provide an option for the Grinder Pump Replacement Fee that allows a User to finance the cost of the fee over a period of one (1) year.

Installment plan: first payment @ 20% pump price plus 100% parts and labor.

Additional Pump Payments: 4 @ 20 % of pump price or at customers discretion.

If pump not paid in full 12 months from the initial payment a 15% service fee will be added to the unpaid balance and the entire amount will be placed on the next winter tax bill.

The Township will replace a (less than 15 years old from date of installation) grinder pump at no cost to the customer provided that the customer did not cause the failure.