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## ***NEW FORMAT ON TOWN OF PONOKA UTILITY BILL***

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The layout of the utility bills has been changed to provide a better breakdown of your water utilities. Your previous bill showed one line "Water - Residential" with the charge for water. This was a total of the flat rate and the consumption cost added together. The water billing is now split into two lines. The Water - Consumption line is the cost of water based on cubic meters. Presently, the water rate is \$1.50 for a cubic meter of water. The Water - Flat Rate line is the minimum charge for being connected to the Town of Ponoka water service. It is \$10.60 for residential customers and it varies for commercial customers depending on the size of the meter. **Please note - there are no increases to the water utilities** - the information is just being presented differently.