

# NEW YORK CITY WATER BOARD

**PUBLIC NOTICE** is hereby given pursuant to Section 1045-j(3) of New York State Public Authorities Law, that after public hearings were held on April 23, 24, 25, 26 and 27, 2012, the New York City Water Board (the “Board”), at its annual meeting held on May 4, 2012, adopted a resolution approving a 7% increase to water rates and water and wastewater charges for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2012 (“FY 2013”) for users of the water supply and wastewater system of the City of New York. In addition, the Board adopted:

- (1) An amendment to the Multiple-family Conservation Program (MCP) to include automatic enrollment of qualifying Tax Class 2 residential properties for FY 2013 and annual MCP rates of \$894.15 per residential dwelling unit, \$736.13 per low-consumption commercial unit and \$253.56 per boarder, roomer or lodger unit. The automatically enrolled properties will have grace periods until January 1, 2014 to comply with MCP requirements to install approved meter(s) and until June 30, 2015 to install high-efficiency plumbing fixtures.
- (2) Annual rates of up to \$47.88 per water service line and \$95.88 per sewer service line for a Service Line Protection Policy Program that is expected to be implemented in FY 2013.
- (3) A maximum Service Call fee of \$450 for an inspection at the request of a customer where the complaint is found to be outside the jurisdiction of DEP.

The Board’s Water and Wastewater Rate Schedule effective July 1, 2012, incorporating the 7% rate increase and the new and revised billing policy terms, is available on the Board’s website: [www.nyc.gov/nycwaterboard](http://www.nyc.gov/nycwaterboard).