

FINAL

COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND

Legislative Session 2024, Legislative Day No. 9

Bill No. 45-24

Introduced by Ms. Pickard, Chair
(by request of the County Executive)

By the County Council, May 1, 2024

Introduced and first read on May 1, 2024
Public Hearings set for and held on May 15 and May 22, 2024
Bill VOTED on June 14, 2024

By Order: Kaley Schultze, Administrative Officer

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ORDINANCE concerning: Public Works – Utilities – Metered Water and Wastewater
2 Charges

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4 FOR the purpose of modifying metered water and wastewater charges; providing for the
5 effective date of this Ordinance; and generally relating to utilities.

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7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments: § 13-5-805(b)
8 Anne Arundel County Code (2005, as amended)

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10 SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland,*
11 That Section(s) of the Anne Arundel County Code (2005, as amended) read as follows:

12 13 ARTICLE 13. PUBLIC WORKS

14 15 TITLE 5. UTILITIES

16 17 **13-5-805. Solid waste service charge.**

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19 (b) **Charges.** The charge for each 1,000 gallons of water usage is ~~[[**\$3.23**]]~~ \$3.45 for
20 water and ~~[[**\$5.67**]]~~ \$6.06 for wastewater. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, ~~[[**2024**]]~~ 2025,
21 and for each fiscal year thereafter, the County Executive shall set the charges for water and
22 wastewater usage in accordance with § 4-11-105 of this Code and may increase the charges
23 in an amount not to exceed 5.00% of the then current charges. Any increase in charges in
24 an amount greater than 5.00% shall be set by the County Council by ordinance. There is
25 an account maintenance charge of \$6.00 per billing cycle regardless of the amount of usage.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate new matter added to existing law.
[[Brackets]] indicate matter stricken from existing law.
Captions and taglines in **bold** in this bill are catchwords and are not law.

1 SECTION 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Ordinance shall take effect on
2 July 1, 2024.

READ AND PASSED this 14th day of June, 2024

By Order:

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Kaley Schultze
Administrative Officer

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF
BILL NO. 45-24 THE ORIGINAL OF WHICH IS RETAINED IN THE FILES
OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL.

A handwritten signature in black ink, identical to the one above, consisting of a stylized 'K' followed by a series of loops and a long horizontal stroke.

Kaley Schultze
Administrative Officer