

CHINCHILLA WEIR Water Supply Scheme

Charges subject to the Rural Irrigation Water Pricing Direction

Product					\$ / ML
River	Allocation Charge	Fixed	Part A		30.17
	Allocation Water	Variable	Part B		3.45

Charges set by SunWater

Commercial Charges	Product				\$ / ML
Upper Bound – River Medium Priority	Allocation Charge	Fixed	Part A		58.27
	Allocation Water	Variable	Part B		3.45
Upper Bound – River High Priority	Allocation Charge	Fixed	Part A		847.98
	Allocation Water	Variable	Part B		3.45
Commercial	Allocation Charge	Fixed	Part A		176.63
	Allocation Water	Variable	Part B		3.45
Local Government	Allocation Charge	Fixed	Part A		82.45
	Allocation Water	Variable	Part B		3.33

Other Charges				\$
Administration and Transfer Fee – Sale**		per transfer		320.00
Administration and Transfer Fee – Lease**		per transfer		483.00
Disconnection	Permanent removal of meter outlet Charges vary depending on costs of disconnection.		price provided on application.	
Meter Testing	Minimum Charge \$ 145.00	per hour		145.00
Refund of meter testing charge may apply if the meter is found to be faulty				
New or Additional Meter Application **	Costs for design, construction and installation are charged separately	per application		789.00
Reconnection			price provided on application.	
Riparian Allowance		per ML		0.00
Short Term Supply	eg. construction, roadworks, excludes irrigation Maximum period: Within the current water year		price provided on application.	
Special Meter Readings	Minimum Charge \$ 145.00	per hour		145.00
Stream Flow Period		per ML		3.45
Temporary Transfer Adjustment Fee ***		Per ML		28.11
Water Allocation Register Search Fee ** ~		per search		24.70

** Fees are GST inclusive.

*** A transfer adjustment fee is payable where subsidised rural irrigation water is temporarily transferred for non-irrigation usage that is not subject to the State Government's rural irrigation water pricing direction.

~ Tariff applicable as set by third party. Subject to change.

CHINCHILLA WEIR Water Supply Scheme Information Statement

Introduction

The Commonwealth Water Charge (Infrastructure) Rules, which apply within the Murray Darling Basin and are administered by the ACCC, require SunWater to provide an information statement with the pricing schedule. The following information is provided as required by the Rules.

Adjustments to regulated charges from the network service plans estimates

Updated NSP's were issued to each customer in June 2012 and referenced the QCA final reports and recommended charges. The charges subject to the Rural Irrigation Water Pricing Direction listed above are based on the June 2012 NSPs and the QCA final reports. The Queensland Government used this information to determine the price path which has been extended to 30 June 2020.

Explanation for different regulated charges for the same class of infrastructure service

In addition to charges subject to the Rural Irrigation Water Pricing Direction, SunWater sets commercial charges applicable to non-irrigation water users. These charges include a contribution towards a return on the capital invested in the Water Supply Scheme consistent with the National Water Initiative. Since 2012, the fees and charges, other than those subject to the Rural Irrigation Water Pricing Direction (or aligned with a charge the subject of the Rural Irrigation Water Pricing Direction), have been maintained in real terms by escalation from the previous year at the Brisbane All Groups CPI for March, except where individual supply contract terms indicate otherwise.

Projected revenue from regulated charges

The tables below provide this information for the 2012-17 price path and each future year of the period.

	2013 \$	2014 \$	2015 \$	2016 \$	2017 \$	2018 \$	2019 \$	2020 \$
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Chinchilla Weir WSS - Part A Charges	72,837.27	74,674.71	76,540.86	78,435.72	80,416.71	74,474.39	76,336.25	76,455.60
Chinchilla Weir WSS - Part B Charges	5,104.67	5,227.46	5,367.79	5,490.59	5,630.92	5,214.83	5,345.20	5,359.14
Charges Set by SunWater								0.00
Commercial - Part A	1,855.68	1,902.07	1,949.62	1,998.36	2,048.32	49,929.08	51,177.31	55,251.60
Commercial - Part B	17.46	17.90	18.34	18.80	19.27	9.63	9.87	17.30
Local Government - Part A	65,609.60	67,249.84	68,931.09	70,654.36	72,420.72	84,561.68	86,675.72	96,582.47
Local Government - Part B	1,687.80	1,730.00	1,773.24	1,817.58	1,863.02	974.78	999.14	1,116.18
Other Charges	2,000.00	2,050.00	2,101.25	2,153.78	2,207.63	2,050.00	2,101.25	1,000.00
Total	149,112.48	152,851.98	156,682.19	160,569.19	164,606.59	217,214.39	222,644.74	235,782.30