

****WATER/SEWER RATE REMINDER 4/6/2021****

AS OF THE JANUARY 2021 BILL THERE WAS A RATE INCREASE FROM \$14.75 PER THOUSAND (\$6.50 WATER AND \$8.25 SEWER) TO \$18.25 PER THOUSAND (\$8.25 WATER AND \$10.00 SEWER). THIS DECISION TO INCREASE RATES WAS ADVERTISED AND VOTED ON AT THE SEPTEMBER 2020 PUBLIC HEARING. THERE HAS NOT BEEN A UTILITY RATE INCREASE SINCE 2016.

THE BOARD RESEARCHED RATES FROM AROUND THE SURROUNDING COUNTIES AND THE VILLAGE OF CUBA STILL REMAINS ONE OF THE LOWEST COSTS FOR WATER AND SEWER USE. YOU MAY ALSO SEE AN INCREASE BECAUSE OF INCREASED WINTER USE (AVOIDING FROZEN PIPES, WASHING BLANKETS AND WARM WEATHER CLOTHING), CLEANING MORE DURING THE GLOBAL PANDEMIC, CHILDREN ATTENDING ONLINE SCHOOL AT HOME, OR PERHAPS ADULTS IN YOUR HOME WORKING FROM HOME.

YOUR CHARGES ARE BASED ON ACTUAL USAGE RATHER THAN A SLIDING SCALE AS IT WAS PRIOR TO THE RATE INCREASE IN 2016. EVERYONE PAYS FOR THEIR RESIDENCES USAGE/CONSUMPTION. THIS WAS ADVERTISED AND NOTED ON PRIOR BILLS, THE NEWSPAPER, AND THE VILLAGE OF CUBA WEBSITE.

Should you have any questions or concerns please call the Village of Cuba Office. 😊😊