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SEWER TAP AND CAPACITY FEES

Effective April 1, 2025

Tap Size	Tap Fee*	Capacity Fee per REU**
4-inch	\$1,330	+
Larger Taps	Cost	+

* A Tap Fee and Capacity Fee will be charged only if ECU crews install the sewer tap. If the customer installs the tap, only the Capacity Fee will be charged.

** A Residential Equivalent Unit (REU) is equivalent to 300 gpd of discharge. 300 gpd is the amount of discharge of one single-family home and is the minimum quantity to be discharged.

REU's for non-residential taps are equal to the permitted or calculated discharge from the premise, as provided for in SCDES Regulations 61-67, Standards for Wastewater Facility Construction, divided by 300 and rounded up to the next highest integer.

+ Capacity Fee for sewer discharged into WWTP's owned and operated by Easley Combined Utilities is \$3,750 per REU.

+ Capacity Fee for sewer discharged into the ReWa Georges Creek WWTP is \$10,500 per REU. In addition, the ECU Conveyance Capacity Fee for sewer discharged into the ReWa Georges Creek WWTP is \$1,000 per REU.



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Sewer Capacity Fee Payment Policy for New Developments

**Adopted by the Commission of Easley Combined Utilities
September 11, 2017**

Residential and Commercial Developments

1. The Developer is required to pay the prevailing capacity fee for all permitted flow in a residential or commercial development. The permitted flow will be the volume stated on the SCDES Waste Water Construction Permit.
2. The Capacity Fee will be due to Easley Combined Utilities upon issuance by ECU of a commitment to serve letter to the Developer.
3. The Developer must provide ECU with a plat of the proposed development that includes road names, lot numbers, and 911 addresses.
4. ECU will not issue the Ownership, Operation, and Maintenance letter to SCDES, and will not allow service to be established until the Capacity Fee is paid.