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LOWER RIO GRANDE

Public Water Works Authority

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Policy for Extending Services Outside of Established Service Area

The Lower Rio Grande Public Water Works Authority may provide water and wastewater service outside of its established service area under the following criteria:

Customers are defined as property-owners who shall be responsible for all charges associated with their water/sewer accounts.

Water service may be provided to Customers outside of the Authority's established Service Area upon submission of application, Water Users Agreement, and payment of applicable fees. Such Customers will not be eligible for Membership in the Authority until or unless the Authority's established Service Area includes their property.

Sewer service may be provided to Customers outside of the Authority's established Service Area upon submission of application, Sewer Users Agreement, and payment of applicable fees. Such Customers will not be eligible for Membership in the Authority solely based on sewer service.

Sewer Customers under this Policy are categorized as follows:

1. Customers who have a Water Provider which has entered into an agreement with the Authority for disconnection of water service.
2. Customers who have a Water Provider which has NOT entered into an agreement with the Authority for disconnection of water service.
3. Customers who have domestic wells as their sole water supply.

Sewer Customers in Category 1 will be required to pay a Customer Deposit and all applicable fees for service. Customers in Categories 2 and 3 will be required to pay a Customer Deposit, establish an escrow account as a guarantee of payment, pay all applicable fees for service and are subject to a flat fee rate.