

**RULES AND REGULATIONS 19-01**  
**Division of Water**  
**Department of Public Utilities**

**April 1, 2019**

**SUBJECT: BILLING OF MULTIPLE FIRE AND WATER METERS AT PROPERTY**

Pursuant to the authority granted under Columbus City Codes Chapter 1101, the Director of Public Utilities hereby adopts, establishes and publishes this rule. This rule shall become effective at the earliest time allowed by law. This rule replaces and supersedes the previous Director's Regulation 94-2 promulgated July 15, 1994.

**Application:**

This regulation applies to properties that have multiple water meters such as water and fire.

**General Regulation:**

Public Utilities will not combine meter readings from multiple meters at a property for billing purposes without expressed written approval by the Director of the Department of Public Utilities. This includes multiple water meters, multiple fire meters or any combination thereof. All billing exceptions granted prior to this effective date are exempt.

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