

## MCES Industrial User Rates and Fees 2023

Below are the 2023 MCES industrial user rates and fees approved by the Metropolitan Council in December 2022.

For questions regarding these rates and fees, e-mail [kristi.goble@metc.state.mn.us](mailto:kristi.goble@metc.state.mn.us).

### Permit Fees

Permit Type	Permit Status	Discharge Volume (gallons/year)	2023 Fee
<b>Industrial Discharge</b>	<b>Quarterly Reporter</b>		
	SIU (Significant Industrial User)	>50 Million	\$11,575
	SIU	<50 Million	\$9,675
	<b>Semi-Annual Reporter</b>		
	SIU	>10 Million	\$7,700
	SIU	5-10 Million	\$5,800
	SIU	2-5 Million	\$3,800
	SIU	<2 Million	\$1,925
	Non-SIU	NA	\$1,925
	<b>Annual Reporter</b>		
	Non-SIU	>1 Million	\$1,925
	Non-SIU	<1 Million	\$1,175
	Non-SIU Categorical	NA	\$1,175
	Low Impact	NA	\$850
<b>General Discharge</b> (Hospitals, Microbreweries, Water Treatment, Zero Discharge)	Annual Reporter	NA	\$475
<b>Special Discharge</b>	Quarterly Reporter	NA	\$1,925
	Contingency / Low-Impact	NA	\$1,175
<b>Liquid Waste Hauler</b>	Quarterly Reporter	>1 Million	\$1,925
	Semi-Annual Reporter	<1 Million	\$1,175
	Annual Reporter	<50,000	\$650
<b>Sewer Cleaning Waste</b>	Quarterly Reporter	NA	\$425

### Request Fees – Special Short-Term Discharges

Request Type	Notes	2023 Fee
In Service Area	For non-permitted facilities only. Applies to requested volumes greater than 500 gallons. Fee is invoiced with approval letter.	\$150
Out of Service Area	For non-permitted facilities only. No minimum volume. Fee payment required with request.	\$300

## Strength Charge

	2023 Rate
Excess TSS rate (>250 mg/L) via on-site connection	\$0.292
Excess COD rate (>500 mg/L) via on-site connection	\$0.146
Excess TSS rate (>250 mg/L) via permitted waste hauler	\$0.4130
Excess COD rate (>500 mg/L) via permitted waste hauler	\$0.2065
Microbrewery and Brewpub Strength Charge (per barrel of beer produced)	\$0.916

## Load Charges

Load Type	2023 Rate
Domestic Holding Tank (per 1000 gallons)	\$11.69
Domestic Septage and Commercial (per 1000 gallons)	\$60.24
Out-of-Service Area (per 1000 gallons)	\$75.24
Portable Toilet Waste (per 1000 gallons)	\$77.46
Industrial Load Charge excess TSS (per 1000 gallons)	\$0.413
Industrial Load Charge excess COD (per 1000 gallons)	\$0.2065

## Capacity Charges

	2023 Rate
Sewer Availability Charge (SAC) (per unit, 1 unit = 274 gallons per day)	\$2,485
SAC Rural Center – East Bethel	\$3,185
SAC Rural Center – Elko New Market	\$4,685
Industrial Capacity Charge (ICC) (per 1000 gallons)	\$2.25
ICC Rural Center – East Bethel	\$2.88
ICC Rural Center – Elko New Market	\$4.24
Temporary Capacity Charge (TCC) (per 1000 gallons)	\$1.25
TCC Rural Center – East Bethel	\$1.60
TCC Rural Center – Elko New Market	\$2.36