

South Gippsland Water - Approved 2025-26 maximum prices

This schedule of maximum prices will be effective from 1 July to 30 June for the respective year.

Variable water, sewerage, recycled water and trade waste charges are rounded down to 4 decimal places. All other charges are rounded down to 2 decimal places.

Tariff and Price Component	Price (1 July 2024)	Price (1 July 2025)
1.1 Water access fees (per annum)		
Access fee – Developed	405.86	430.15
Access fee – Undeveloped	405.86	430.15
Access fee – Agreements	365.31	387.17
Access fee – Concessional	325.55	345.03
1.2 Water usage charges (per kL)		
Volumetric fee – [major industrial customer]	2.8876	3.0821
Volumetric fee – All Others	2.3820	2.5423
Unmetered Fee		
Based on 15kL per bill at the new volume fee	98.02	110.89
1.3 Sewerage access fees (per annum)		
Residential and non-residential (cistern and trade waste not applicable)		
Access fee – Developed	629.88	667.58
Access fee – Undeveloped	356.37	377.70
1.4 Cistern access and disposal fees (per annum)		
Non-residential with multiple cisterns		
1 – 2 Cisterns	214.46	227.29
3 – 5 Cisterns	564.18	597.95
6 – 10 Cisterns	1,092.53	1,157.92
11 – 15 Cisterns	1,749.40	1,854.11
16 – 20 Cisterns	2,916.98	3,091.58
21 – 26 Cisterns	4,175.00	4,424.90
27 – 35 Cisterns	5,117.33	5,423.64
36 – Greater Cisterns	5,847.38	6,197.39
Cistern volume disposal charge		
Volume Charge (per kL)	2.5529	2.7057
1.5 Minor trade waste fees		
Non-residential with trade waste parameters (standard terms and conditions)		
Application fees (per application)		
Category 1	163.39	173.17
Category 2	260.67	276.27
Category 3	477.19	505.75
Minor trade waste access fees (per annum)		
Access fee – Category 1	870.54	922.64
Access fee – Category 2	1,156.39	1,225.60
Access fee – Category 3	1,434.56	1,520.43
Minor trade waste disposal charge (per kL)		
Volumetric fee – All Others	1.2199	1.2929
Quality fees (per kg)		
BOD	0.9010	0.9549
SS	0.8502	0.9010

Nitrogen	3.8071	4.0349
Phosphorous	21.6908	22.9891
Other fees		
Treatment violation fee	390.96	414.36
Asset protection fee	1,907.22	2,021.38
Additional sampling (per sample) at cost recovery	At cost	At cost
Exceedance fees (per kg)		
Oil & Grease	0.1356	0.1437
Sodium	0.1356	0.1437
TOS	0.9717	1.0298
1.6 Backflow (SGW Supplied)		
20mm	432.18	458.04
25mm	476.04	504.53
32mm	569.53	603.62
40mm	594.99	630.60
50mm	734.28	778.23
80mm	1,211.01	1,283.49
100mm	1,547.14	1,639.74
150mm	1,600.90	1,696.72
Backflow Application Fee	351.94	373.00
1.7 Fire Service Fees		
Inspection Fee	98.02	103.88
20mm	98.02	103.88
25mm	98.02	103.88
32mm	98.02	103.88
40mm	98.02	103.88
50mm	98.02	103.88
80mm	98.02	103.88
100mm	98.02	103.88
150mm	98.02	103.88
Reseal Fee	317.60	336.61
Additional Meter	27.31	28.94
1.8 New customer contributions		
Water (all customers)		
All lot sizes	2,791.88	2,858.93
Sewer (all customers)		
All lot sizes	2,791.88	2,858.93
Pressure sewer systems (negotiated fee in addition to standard fee) e.g.		
Poowong Loch, Nyora and Alberton		
Infrastructure charge - cost recovery per connection	At cost	At cost
1.9 Miscellaneous fees and charges		
Property information statements	69.51	71.17
Special meter readings	53.43	54.71
As constructed charge	87.19	89.28
Tapping fee (20mm)	480.54	492.08
Plumbing Industry Commission (PIC) Fee (standard)	269.79	276.26
Sewer cut-in	882.47	903.66
Standpipe water sales		
– registered users	8.2468	8.7404
– non-registered users	10.9959	11.6540
Septic tank waste receipt (KL)	34.49	36.55
Non-Core Miscellaneous Services	At cost	At cost