

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
RURAL COMMUNITY WATER DISTRICT  
OF GEORGETOWN COUNTY  
FISCAL YEAR 2027 OPERATING BUDGET, IMPACT  
FEES, & RATES**

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held before the Board of Directors of the Rural Community Water District of Georgetown County. This hearing will be held at the Rural Community Water District of Georgetown County's office at 2360 North Fraser Street on June 2, 2026 at 5:30 P.M. The purpose of this hearing is to allow members of the District to express their views in regards to the proposed operating budget, impact fees, and rates for the Fiscal Year 2027 beginning July 1, 2026.

As required by Section 6-1-80, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, as amended, the public is advised of the following:

1. The budget of the Rural Community Water District of Georgetown County for Fiscal Year 2026 estimated revenues at \$2,462,744.00 and expenditures at \$2,462,744.00.
2. The proposed budget of the Rural Community Water District of Georgetown County for Fiscal Year 2027 estimates revenues of \$5,409,894.00 and expenditures of \$5,409,894.00.
3. The Fiscal Year 2027 budget represents a 219.67% increase in revenues and a 219.67% increase in expenditures. Rate Structures are on file in the District office.

As required by Section 6-1-80, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, as amended, the public is advised of the following:

1. The District has impact fees in place for infrastructure improvements and upgrades. Impact fees are typically adjusted annually.
2. The District has rate structures on file at the District office. These rates are typically adjusted annually.
3. The proposed budget for Fiscal Year 2027 includes a variety of adjustments to the District's impact fees and rate structures. Impact fees and volume rates are proposed to be increased 5%. The fixed monthly rates will also be increased a specific amount as shown on the July 2026 Rate Increase Proposal on file at the District office.
4. The District completed a Rate Study in April 2025, and rate adjustments are reviewed annually to ensure alignment.