

2015 SEWER RATE SURVEY

2015 Total Residential Billed Costs for ALCOSAN Tributary Community Sorted from Low to High WITH Median Household Income Information

Spreadsheets presents total residential sewage bill for 15,000 gallons/quarter, which may not be directly related to actual municipal sewer system expenditures.

Community	Total Billed for 15,000 Gal./Qtr	2013 Inflation Adjusted MHI Estimates	% MHI Based on 60,000 gal. annual usage
Ben Avon	\$95.93	\$84,861	0.45%
Thornburg	\$95.93	\$112,500	0.34%
Verona	\$95.93	\$34,403	1.12%
Swissvale	\$105.50	\$38,794	1.09%
North Braddock	\$106.43	\$25,773	1.65%
McCandless - Residential	\$113.50	\$80,265	0.57%
Indiana - Middle Rd. I & II	\$114.68	\$70,482	0.65%
Peters	\$115.00	\$104,384	0.44%
Scott	\$118.43	\$53,916	0.88%
Wilkinsburg	\$119.93	\$32,264	1.49%
Sharpsburg	\$121.65	\$31,593	1.54%
Aspinwall	\$121.88	\$54,803	0.89%
Braddock	\$122.18	\$22,212	2.20%
Munhall	\$122.48	\$42,464	1.15%
Kennedy	\$124.28	\$67,143	0.74%
Rankin	\$126.17	\$20,000	2.52%
Plum	\$126.70	\$65,678	0.77%
Turtle Creek	\$127.43	\$31,490	1.62%
East McKeesport	\$127.50	\$40,140	1.27%
O'Hara	\$129.03	\$92,600	0.56%
Pleasant Hills	\$129.51	\$63,022	0.82%
Reserve	\$130.51	\$58,624	0.89%
Shaler	\$132.25	\$68,870	0.77%
Robinson	\$132.33	\$68,542	0.77%
Girty's Run	\$133.43		
Millvale - Girty's Run	\$133.43	\$35,776	1.49%
Wilkins	\$133.43	\$51,736	1.03%
Shaler - Girty's Run Area	\$134.43	\$68,870	0.78%
Bellevue	\$135.43	\$38,029	1.42%
Whitaker	\$135.53	\$40,372	1.34%
Pitcairn	\$135.93	\$37,860	1.44%

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Avalon	\$137.38	\$37,208	1.48%
Franklin Park - Lowries Run	\$137.95	\$117,683	0.47%
East Pittsburgh	\$139.19	\$26,336	2.11%
Trafford	\$139.71	\$39,177	1.43%
Braddock Hills	\$142.43	\$30,658	1.86%
Wilmerding	\$142.43	\$21,161	2.69%
North Fayette	\$144.77	\$65,497	0.88%
Etna	\$145.34	\$38,728	1.50%
Wall	\$146.52	\$33,918	1.73%
Reserve - Girtys Run Cust.	\$149.04	\$55,117	1.08%
Ohio Twp. Sanitary Auth.	\$149.20	\$85,174	0.70%
North Huntingdon	\$149.40	\$24,253	2.46%
Churchill	\$149.93	\$84,716	0.71%
Pittsburgh	\$151.73	\$39,195	1.55%
Baldwin Borough	\$152.99	\$51,109	1.20%
Bethel Park	\$152.99	\$62,785	0.97%
Pittsburgh	\$153.23	\$39,195	1.56%
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Ingram	\$153.32	\$51,979	1.18%
Blawnox	\$154.28	\$38,596	1.60%
Green Tree	\$155.93	\$66,652	0.94%
Mt. Lebanon	\$156.68	\$76,940	0.81%
McKees Rocks	\$157.13	\$24,506	2.56%
Kilbuck	\$158.03	\$69,167	0.91%
Whitehall	\$159.08	\$54,559	1.17%
West Homestead	\$160.88	\$50,966	1.26%
Homestead	\$162.65	\$30,739	2.12%
Emsworth	\$163.18	\$48,317	1.35%
Penn Township	\$163.42	\$68,096	0.96%
Dormont	\$163.43	\$52,719	1.24%
Ross	\$163.43	\$60,864	1.07%

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Stowe	\$163.43	\$53,295	1.23%
South Fayette	\$163.49	\$78,862	0.83%
Indiana - Fairview	\$164.68	\$70,482	0.93%
West Mifflin	\$164.69	\$47,523	1.39%
Chalfant	\$164.93	\$55,625	1.19%
Monroeville	\$167.15	\$61,328	1.09%
Forest Hills	\$167.18	\$55,475	1.21%
Castle Shannon	\$167.93	\$48,616	1.38%
Ben Avon Heights	\$170.93	\$148,750	0.46%
Edgewood	\$172.97	\$66,250	1.04%
Collier	\$173.03	\$58,328	1.19%
Oakdale	\$173.21	\$58,406	1.19%
Franklin Park - Bear Run	\$173.95	\$123,575	0.56%
Heidelberg	\$178.07	\$35,930	1.98%
Baldwin Township	\$178.43	\$66,281	1.08%
North Versailles	\$180.00	\$41,118	1.75%
Bridgeville	\$180.08	\$42,496	1.70%
Rosslyn Farms *	\$185.93	\$121,716	0.61%
Indiana - Ottawa	\$189.68	\$70,482	1.08%
West View	\$195.21	\$56,212	1.39%
Carnegie	\$200.83	\$42,475	1.89%
Mt. Oliver	\$202.73	\$31,609	2.57%
Brentwood	\$207.14	\$46,017	1.80%
Penn Hills	\$207.30	\$46,986	1.76%
Upper St. Clair	\$215.85	\$106,337	0.81%
McDonald	\$215.99	\$48,981	1.76%
Crafton	\$222.68	\$49,203	1.81%
Indiana - Middle Rd. Ext.	\$224.68	\$70,482	1.28%
Fox Chapel	\$225.83	\$174,924	0.52%
Neville	\$271.28	\$36,111	3.00%

Values are total 2015 rates including all ALCOSAN charges

Southern Basin

Northern Basin

Eastern Basin

¹ALCOSAN fees for 15,000 gallons per quarter consist of a \$11.78 service charge plus \$5.61/thousand gallons = \$84.15

²Spreadsheets presents current billing rates, which may not be directly related to actual municipal sewer system operating expenditures. Some communities may fund a portion of their O & M costs by other sources, such as the general fund. Those communities with no local sewer surcharge would be examples. Also, Scott Township has indicated that they also subsidize sewer operations with other revenue sources. These examples are denoted with an * in the table.

³Rates for municipalities that are served by operating authorities may more closely represent actual operating costs. These municipalities are indicated by **.

⁴MHI values from American Community Survey for the 5 year period 2009 through 2013 and stated as 2013 Inflation Adjusted Dollars. The values are for the entire applicable municipality.

⁵% MHI values are based on an assumption of average residential use being 15,000 gallons/quarter. ALCOSAN has determined that their system-wide average residential use is somewhat lower than this amount.

