



UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
MINISTRY OF ENERGY
ENERGY AND WATER UTILITIES
REGULATORY AUTHORITY
(EWURA)



PUBLIC NOTICE

A CALL FOR STAKEHOLDERS' VIEWS ON AN APPLICATION FOR MULTI-YEAR WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION TARIFFS SUBMITTED BY ROMBO WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION AUTHORITY (ROMBO WSSA)

On 22nd July 2026, EWURA received an application from Rombo Water Supply and Sanitation Authority (Rombo WSSA) requesting approval of multi-year water supply and sanitation tariffs, fees and charges. After confirming that the application met the required criteria, EWURA accepted it for review on 17th September 2026. Tables 1 to 3 present the tariffs, fees and charges proposed by Rombo WSSA for financial years from 2026/27 to 2030/31.

Table 1: Current and Proposed Metered Water Tariffs (TZS/m³)

Customer Category	Consumption (m ³)	Current Tariff	Proposed Tariffs				
		2025/26	2026/27	2027/28	2028/29	2029/30	2030/31
Domestic	0-5	800	1,000	1,296	1,393	1,497	1,609
	5	900	1,000	1,296	1,393	1,497	1,609
Institutional		900	1,000	1,296	1,393	1,497	1,609
Commercial		1,050	1,400	1,601	1,721	1,850	1,988
Industrial		2,000	2,300	3,050	3,278	3,523	3,787
Kiosk		1,000	1,200	1,524	1,638	1,760	1,892
Bulk Customers		600	600	660	726	799	878
Carwash		2,000	2,300	3,050	3,278	3,523	3,787

Table 2: Current and Proposed New Connection Fees (TZS/Connection)

Customer Category	Current Fee	Proposed Fee				
	2025/26	2026/27	2027/28	2028/29	2029/30	2030/31
Domestic	20% of Material Costs	26,000	26,000	26,000	26,000	26,000
Institutional		26,000	26,000	26,000	26,000	26,000
Commercial		26,000	26,000	26,000	26,000	26,000
Industrial		26,000	26,000	26,000	26,000	26,000
Carwash		26,000	26,000	26,000	26,000	26,000

Table 3: Current and Proposed Reconnection Fees (TZS/Reconnection)

Customer Category	Current Fee	Proposed Fees				
	2025/26	2026/27	2027/28	2028/29	2029/30	2030/31
Domestic	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Institutional	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Commercial	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Industrial	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Carwash	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000

Rombo WSSA stated that the proposed tariff adjustment is aimed at enabling the utility to recover the increasing costs of service provision. The adjustment is necessitated by rising operation and maintenance costs, fuel and electricity costs, tax charges including the Skills Development Levy (SDL), and increasing prices of pipes, fittings and water meters. It will strengthen the utility's capacity to meet its operational and maintenance requirements and sustain reliable water and sanitation services across its service area.

This public notice is made pursuant to Section 19(4) of the EWURA Act, Cap. 414, which requires the Authority to issue a notice of inquiry to collect views from stakeholders on the reasonableness of the proposed tariffs and fees. As part of the inquiry process, EWURA will conduct public hearing meeting on **1st October 2026** at **Rombo District Council Hall** in Rombo town. The meeting will commence at **10.00 a.m.**

Stakeholders are invited to submit written comments to the Director General at the Authority's postal address, Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority, EWURA House, 3 EWURA Street, 41104 Tambukareli, P.O. Box 2857, Dodoma, by **8th October 2026**. More details of the application can be obtained from EWURA Head Quarters in Dodoma or from Rombo WSSA's offices.

Issued by:
Director General
Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority