



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



PUBLIC NOTICE

A CALL FOR STAKEHOLDERS' VIEWS ON MULTIYEAR TARIFF APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY ROMBO WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION AUTHORITY (ROMBO WSSA)

On 3rd April 2023, the Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority (EWURA) received an application for a multiyear tariff adjustment from Rombo Water Supply and Sanitation Authority (Rombo WSSA). Tables 1 to 3 below present tariffs and fees proposed by Rombo WSSA.

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

Customer Category		Current Tariff	Proposed Tariffs		
		2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26
Domestic	0-5m ³	800	1,362	1,429	1,465
	>5m ³	900	1,455	1,527	1,566
Institutional		900	1,532	1,607	1,648
Commercial		1,200	1,838	1,929	1,978
Car Wash		2,000	2,724	2,858	2,931
Kiosk		1,000	1,447	1,518	1,557
Public Schools		800	1,062	1,114	1,143
Weighted Average Tariff		900	1,532	1,607	1,648

Table 2: Current and Proposed Reconnection Fees (TZS/Reconnection)

Customer Category	Current Fees	Proposed Fees		
	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26
All customers	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000

Table 3: Current and Proposed New Connection Fees (TZS/Connection)

Customer Category	Current Fees	Proposed Fees		
	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26
Domestic	20% of recoverable expenditures as stipulated in Section 26 of Water Supply Regulations, 2019	20% of recoverable expenditures as stipulated in Section 26 of Water Supply Regulations, 2019		
Institutional				
Commercial				
Industrial				

Rombo WSSA explained that the proposed tariff adjustment will enable the utility to implement activities set out in her business plan for the period from 2023/24 to 2025/2026 in order to bring sustainability to water services delivery. Specifically, proposed tariffs and fees will facilitate the utility to recover operational and maintenance costs as well as meet some rehabilitation, replacement and new investment costs hence the provision of adequate, clean and safe water to the Rombo WSSA service area, replacing dilapidated water infrastructure, extending the water network, replacement of working tools and other useful assets, increase customer base and population directly served with water.

Pursuant to Section 19(2) (b) of the EWURA Act, Cap 414, there shall be a public inquiry meeting on **Thursday, 18th May 2023** at **Gosheni Hall in Mkuu, Rombo** from **10:00hrs**. The main objective of the meeting is to collect views of stakeholders including the Government Consultative Council (GCC), Consumer Consultative Council (CCC), Rombo WSSA's customers and the public in general on the reasonableness of the proposed tariff application.

Stakeholders are requested to submit written comments to the Director General through the above-mentioned address at any time by 25th May 2023. More details of the application can be obtained from EWURA **Head Quarters** located at **EWURA House, 3 EWURA Street, 41104 Tambukareli, Dodoma** or **EWURA Northern Zone Offices**, located on the **2nd Floor, PSSF Plaza, Next to Kibo Palace Hotel, Corridor Area, Arusha City**.

**Issued by:
Director General
EWURA**

JAMHURI YA MUUNGANO WA TANZANIA

WIZARA YA NISHATI

MAMLAKA YA UDHIBITI WA
HUDUMA ZA NISHATI NA MAJI
(EWURA)



TAARIFA KWA UMMA

MWITO WA MAONI YA WADAU KUHUSU MAOMBI YA MAREKEBISHO YA BEI YALIYOWASILISHWA NA MAMLAKA YA MAJISAFI NA USAFI WA MAZINGIRA ROMBO (ROMBO WSSA)

Mnamo tarehe 3 Aprili 2023, Mamlaka ya Udhibiti wa Huduma za Nishati na Maji (EWURA) ilipokea maombi ya marekebisho ya bei za maji kutoka Mamlaka ya Majisafi na Usafi wa Mazingira Rombo (Rombo WSSA). Majedwali Na 1 hadi 3 yanaonesha viwango vya bei vinavyopendekezwa na Rombo WSSA.

Jedwali 1: Bei za Maji za Sasa na Zinazopendekezwa (Shilingi kwa Mita ya Ujazo)

Kundi la Wateja		Bei ya Sasa	Bei zinazopendekezwa			
			2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26
Majumbani	0-5m ³	800	1,362	1,429	1,465	
	>5m ³	900	1,455	1,527	1,566	
Taasisi		900	1,532	1,607	1,648	
Biashara		1,200	1,838	1,929	1,978	
Maosheo ya Magari		2,000	2,724	2,858	2,931	
Magati		1,000	1,447	1,518	1,557	
Shule za Umma		800	1,062	1,114	1,143	
Weighted Average Tariff		900	1,532	1,607	1,648	

Jedwali 2: Ada za Sasa na Zinazopendekezwa za Kurejeshewa Huduma (Shilingi kwa Maunganisho)

Kundi la Wateja	Ada ya Sasa	Ada Zinazopendekezwa			
		2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26
Wateja Wote	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	

Jedwali 3: Ada ya Sasa na Inayopendekezwa ya Kuunganishiwa Huduma (Shilingi kwa Maunganisho)

Kundi la Wateja	Ada ya Sasa	Ada Zinazopendekezwa		
		2022/23	2023/24	2024/25
Majumbani	Asilimia 20% ya gharama za maunganisho kama ilivyoelekezwa			
Taasisi				

Kundi la Wateja	Ada ya Sasa	Ada Zinazopendekezwa		
	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26
Biashara	katika Kanuni ya 26 ya Kanuni za Maji za Mwaka 2019	katika Kanuni ya 26 ya Kanuni za Maji za Mwaka 2019		
Viwanda				

Rombo WSSA imeeleza kuwa bei na ada zinazopendekezwa zitaiwezesha kutekeleza shughuli zilizoainishwa kwenye mpango biashara wake kwa kipindi cha kuanzia 2023/24 hadi 2025/2026 ili kuleta uendelevu wa utoaji huduma za maji. Hasa, kuisaidia mamlaka kurejesha gharama za uendeshaji na matengenezo pamoja na kukidhi gharama za ukarabati, ubadilishaji na uwekezaji mpya na hivyo kutoa maji ya kutosha, safi na salama katika eneo la huduma ya mamlaka, kubadili miundombinu chakavu ya maji, kupanua mtandao wa maji, kununua vitendea kazi na mali nyingine muhimu, kuongeza idadi ya wateja na idadi ya watu inayohudumiwa moja kwa moja na maji.

Kwa mujibu wa kifungu Na. 19 (2) (b) cha Sheria Na. 414, kutakuwa na Mkutano wa Taftishi siku ya **Alhamisi, tarehe 18 Mei 2023**, katika **Ukumbi wa Gosheni uliopo Mkuu, Rombo** kuanzia **saa 4:00 asubuhi** kwa ajili ya kupata maoni ya wadau ikiwa ni pamoja na Baraza la Ushauri la Serikali, Baraza la Ushauri la Watumia Huduma Zinazodhibitiwa na EWURA (EWURA CCC) na wananchi wote kwa ujumla, kuhusu uhalali wa bei zinazopendekezwa.

Wadau wanaombwa kuwasilisha maoni ya maandishi kwa Mkurugenzi Mkuu wa EWURA kupitia anuani iliyotajwa hapo juu wakati wowote hadi tarehe 25 Mei 2023. Maelezo zaidi kuhusu maombi ya Rombo WSSA yanaweza kupatikana kwenye ofisi za **Makao Makuu ya EWURA** zinazopatika katika **Jengo la EWURA, 3 Barabara ya EWURA, 41104 Tambukareli, Dodoma** au **Ofisi za EWURA Kanda ya Kaskazini** zilizopo **Ghorofa ya Pili, Jengo la PSSSF, Jirani na Kibo Palace Hotel, Arusha Mjini**.

**Imetolewa na:
Mkurugenzi Mkuu
EWURA**