

Quathiaski Cove Sewer Service Update



Investing in Reliable Service, Planning for the Future

The Strathcona Regional District (SRD) is committed to ensuring safe, reliable, and cost-effective wastewater service for the Quathiaski Cove community.

Here are a few key updates for 2025:

Partnering for a Stronger Future

The SRD is collaborating with the We Wai Kai Nation to explore the potential for joint sewer servicing between Cape Mudge and Quathiaski Cove. This exciting partnership could lead to long-term improvements in service delivery, increased efficiency, and better use of infrastructure for both communities.

System Reliability Improvements

Repairs were completed to the Wastewater Treatment Plant to improve automation and enhance the reliability of the existing system. These targeted repairs help reduce the risk of service disruptions and support continued compliance with environmental regulations.

Although we recognize last year's rate increase, additional adjustments are necessary to build reserves for future system replacements and to fund repairs as we maintain aging infrastructure.

Rate Adjustments for 2025

To continue planning responsibly for the future — ensuring funds are available for unplanned repairs that come with operating aging infrastructure — sewer use rates will need to be increased. The size of the increase will be ~7% for residential classes and ~14% for non-residential.

Rate Classification Review - Coming in 2026

In 2026, the SRD will review non-residential rate classifications to ensure classifications remain relevant to current user types and servicing needs.

Stay Informed

Learn more about the Quathiaski Cover Sewer Service, including how rates are set and how the system is managed at srd.ca/sewer.

Customer Classification	2024 Rate	2025 Rate	\$ Change	% Change
Residential	\$982	\$1,050	\$68	7%
Commercial	\$3,919	\$4,472	\$553	14%
Schools	\$25,461	\$29,026	\$3,565	14%
Other (Gov't & Police)	\$2,938	\$3,360	\$422	14%
Business Unit	\$979	\$1,120	\$141	14%
Residential - STEP	\$934	\$1,000	\$66	7%

