

3-7.8. IMPOSITION OF REGULATORY FEES.

During periods of District-declared drought, and starting after ~~two~~ one full ~~month~~ months of a drought period, a drought management fee (DMF) will be imposed on individual permittees ~~permitted for more than 2,000,000 gallons annually and~~ who exceed their monthly drought allocations (excludes all uses under general permits). This DMF will be invoiced and paid within the permittee's current billing cycle as a condition of permit renewals at the beginning of each fiscal year.

Fees will be assessed in accordance with the outside diameter of the production zone casing (e.g., 5.0 inches or less, between 5.0 and 10.0 inches, and greater than 10.0 inches) and as indicated in the District's Fee Schedule that is updated annually for each new fiscal year.