

**"STATEMENT FROM THE BIGLERVILLE BOROUGH COUNCIL**

***"The Biglerville Borough is increasing water rates effective January 1, 2026. The new rate per quarter will be \$11.00 per 100 cubic feet. The two-dollar increase will appear on the April billing statements. In addition to the water rate increase, a \$5.00 flat rate debt fee will be implemented. The last water increase was in 2024.***

***The Biglerville Borough will be conducting a huge project, a two-million-dollar water main replacement project in Spring and Summer of 2025 on East York Street. The water main project will consist of replacing 3300 lineal feet of antiquated cast iron and transite water main serving the eastern portion of Biglerville Borough. It is estimated that the existing water lines on East York Street were originally installed in the 1930's. Throughout the past few decades, Biglerville Borough has had to constantly deal with these antiquated water lines. The ongoing costs of these repairs have grown in frequency and costs. The water line replacement project will provide a more needed capacity to residents, eliminate the emergency water leak repairs. Included with the project fire hydrants will be replaced along the water line replacement project. The Biglerville Borough has also experienced inflationary increases with all costs of operations for the wells and holding tanks. Additionally, laboratory and chemical costs have increased along with additional testing requirements from PA. Dept of Environmental Resources.***

***The Biglerville Borough appreciates the cooperation we receive from our citizens and customers. On-line payments can be made through the online portal found on the Biglerville Borough website [www.biglerville.us](http://www.biglerville.us) or pay by phone by calling 888-513-8710. Payments can be made at the Borough office. Office hours are Monday – Thursday 7:30 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. and Friday's 7:30 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. NO CASH Accepted, check or money order ONLY.***

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