

## 7.1 METERED WATER SUPPLY POLICY

Date Adopted	Next Review	Officer Responsible
1 December 2016	By 1 June 2021	3 Waters Services Manager

## **Policy Purpose:**

To recover the cost of water supplied to the district. The cost of water supplied is recovered by targeted rates, either as a fixed annual charge, or a metered charge, or a combination of both. The rates for each water scheme are included in Council's Long Term Plan and the Annual Plan (Funding Impact Statement).

## **Policy:**

- That all commercial and industrial premises throughout the District be metered and charged on the metered rate.
- That all rural supplies (which excludes the urban supply area consisting of Central, Eastern and Ngongotaha) are universally metered and charged on the metered rate.
- That future water supplies are universally metered from their inception and charged at the metered rate.
- That all new residential connections shall be able to be metered if required.
- That a regular evaluation of metering and charging at the metered rate for domestic properties within the Urban supply area be undertaken.