

## **MIDDLEBURG MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY NEWS**

### **RATE INCREASE FOR WATER:**

Middleburg Municipal Authority strives to provide safe and adequate drinking water to all customers. Due to rising operational costs to operate the water system, system regulations and aging infrastructure, a water rate increase is needed. The Authority plans to install a water storage tank, replace water mains, rebuild water filters plus other future system improvements to better serve its customers.

The water and sewer bill you are now receiving includes the approved rate increase for water. For example: the base rate for 4,000 gallons of water for residential customers, which had been \$51.00, will now be \$59.00. The rate per each thousand gallons above 4,000, which had been \$6.45, has increased to \$8.00.

Our goal is to serve the public effectively. We will do our best to keep you informed as to what is happening in the future.

### **NEW PAYMENT METHOD FOR WATER AND SEWER BILLS:**

By the time you receive this information, a new method for paying water and sewer bills will be available. As before, you will be able to pay your bill online at [www.middleburgborough.com](http://www.middleburgborough.com) but with a different payment vendor than used previously. You will also be able to pay your bill with a credit/debit card at the office. A pin number for your credit/debit will be required to complete this type of payment transaction. If you do not have a pin number or the correct one, the payment transaction will not go through, however you will still be able to make your payment by cash or check.