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Landis Sewerage Authority adopts longer interest free grace period for paying sewer bills.

At the Board of Commissioner's meeting Monday April 20, 2020, the LSA adopted an extended grace period for which interest will not be applied to the LSA sewer bills. The LSA has been open this entire time as essential utility workers, the lights are on, the pumps are working and we continue to clean water every day. We are on reduced staffing shifts to support social distancing. "We also want to provide customer support by extending the normal 30-day grace period by an additional 60 days, to help our customers to have more time to pay their sewer bill without the concern for interest being applied" said Executive Director Dennis Palmer. "All board members expressed an interest to help our customers" he further stated.

Customers are encouraged to not let their balance grow after this period and if a full payment cannot be made, a partial payment is welcomed and suggested. Send in a check with the account number written on it with whatever they can afford during the longer grace period. Customers can break down their six-month bill into monthly payments over this 90 day extended grace period with no interest.

Customers are also reminded, as noted in the recent Daily Journal article, do not to flush personal wipes or baby wipes down the toilet, only toilet paper. With limited staffing at this point in time, these wipes will clog your residential lines as well as our lines in the street and our pumps.