

THE WATER SERVICE

The water service is taken from the town's mains supply and is similar to the service provided in the capital cities.

The water service is gravitated from a 10,000 gallon tank located on the hill top, north east of the lodge. This tank is fed by electric pump from a dam on the headwaters of Rock Creek. The quality of this water is very good and it is relatively unpolluted.

The National Parks and Wildlife Service request that all Lodge users will observe reasonable water conservation measures.

The water supplied to the Lodge is controlled by 1-1/4 in. cock in footpath box outside the kitchen window. This cock has a 6 ft. Standing Wheel control beside the kitchen window to enable operation of the main control cock when it is inaccessible beneath the winter snow drift at the back of the Lodge.

To minimise the risk of freezing in the pipes, both "hot" and "cold" water is allowed to "leak" continuously from cocks in the Drying Room (over the tub) and beneath the floor of Bedroom No. 6 (accessible through floor trap beside Toilet 6). Please do not attempt to turn off these "dribbling" taps.