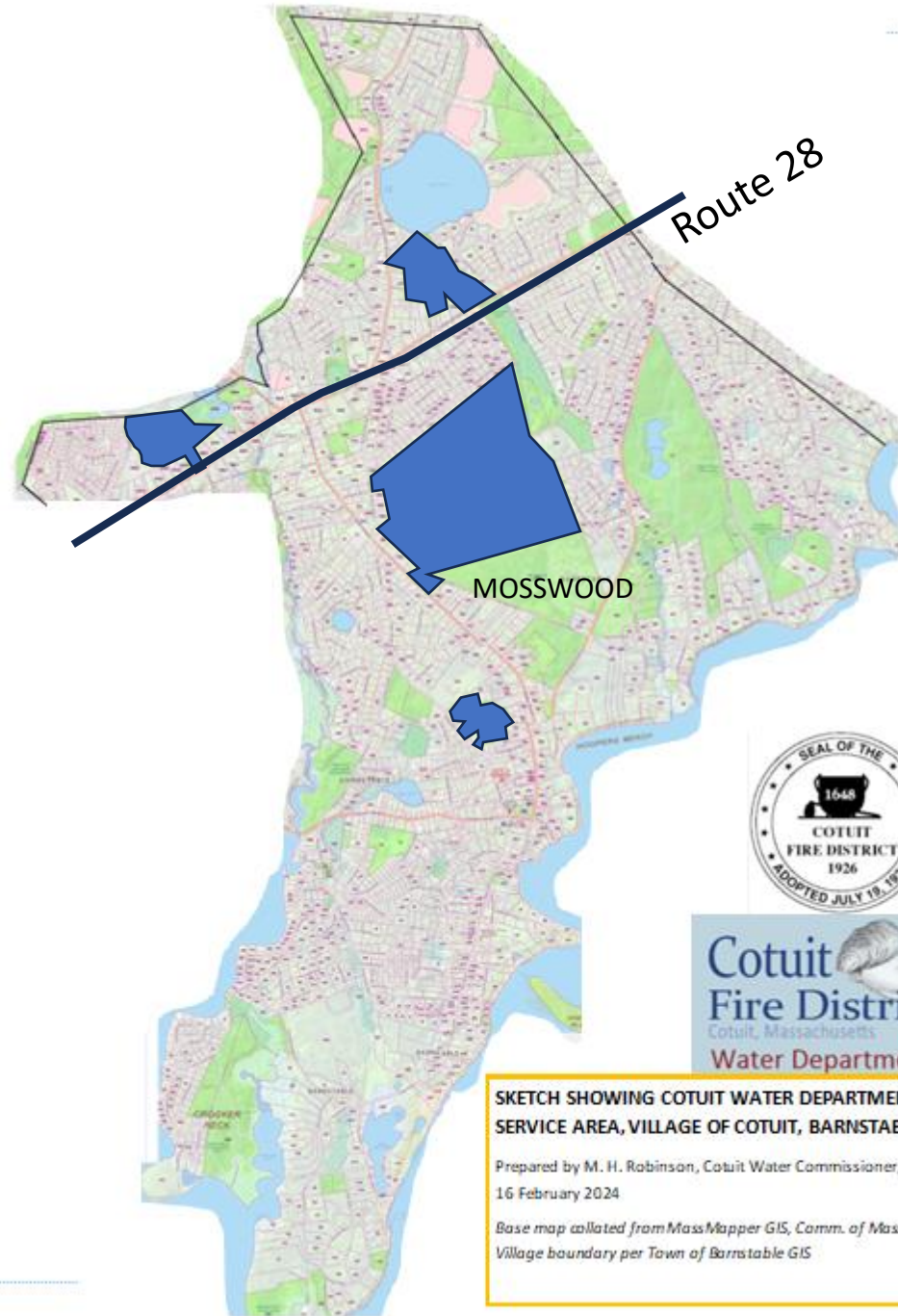


The Water Department controls 244 acres of land, 120 acres of it in the main wellfield behind Mosswood Cemetery.



There are 2,350 households and businesses served via 53 miles of water mains throughout the village.



SKETCH SHOWING COTUIT WATER DEPARTMENT SERVICE AREA, VILLAGE OF COTUIT, BARNSTABLE MA
Prepared by M. H. Robinson, Cotuit Water Commissioner,
16 February 2024
*Base map collated from MassMapper GIS, Comm. of Mass.;
Village boundary per Town of Barnstable GIS*



In the past four years, we have emphasized water conservation by:

- Establishing very high rates for heavy water users, while reducing the rate for lowest volumes
(50% of summer demand is for private lawn irrigation)
- Banning new private irrigation systems hooked to the public water supply
(82 new wells have been installed for home irrigation, 80% outside of our Zone II or well recharge areas)

Water Rates

The following rates are currently in effect:

Minimum Bill: \$40.00 for the first 10,000 GAL.

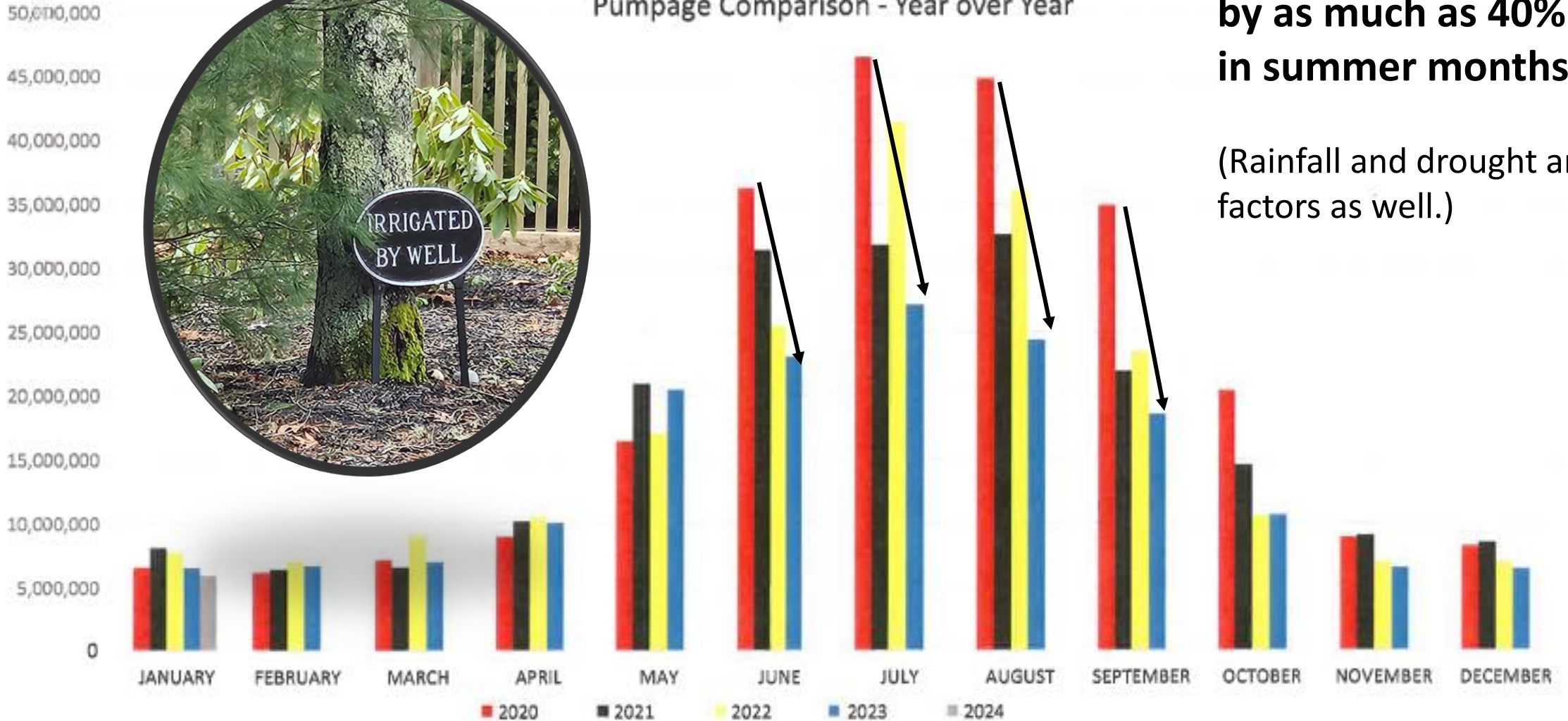
Excess Bill:

Water used over 10,000 gallons is billed at the following rates:

- Water used 10,001 – 20,000 gallons: \$4.00/per 1000 gallons
- Water used 20,001 – 40,000 gallons: \$5.50/per 1000 gallons
- Water used 40,001 – 60,000 gallons: \$7.15/per 1000 gallons
- Water used 60,001 – 100,000 gallons: \$15.00/per 1000 gallons
- Water used 100,001 – 200,000 gallons: 20.00/per 1000 gallons
- Water used over 200,000 gallons: \$30.00/per 1000 gallons



Pumpage Comparison - Year over Year



The effect so far has been to reduce our pumping volumes by as much as 40% in summer months.

(Rainfall and drought are factors as well.)