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Executive Director
Public Service Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
Frankfort, KY 40602-0615

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Sir,

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We are requesting you to intervene on our behalf regarding the sewer-rate and the new surcharge increase being sought by Hillridge-Facilities as per the attached "Notice".

This increase including the new surcharge comes to a whopping 81% increase which is absurd. If these charges prove to be true, then this increase should be spread over a several-year period to allow the home owners to adjust their budgets to meet this added financial burden. The perplexing matter about the Hillridge-Facilities is why it's not been retired given that Louisville's MSD now has sewer-lines in our area. We know of at least one nearby facility that's been retired with homes now joined to the MSD's sewers.

Your attention to this matter is most appreciated.

Regards,

Tom Coffey
Betty Coffey

Tom & Betty Coffey

NOTICE

Hillridge Facilities, Inc. has filed an application with the Public Service Commission proposing to increase its monthly sewer rate from \$24.13 to \$32.50, an increase of 34.7%. Hillridge believes it could justify a rate increase of 55.6% based upon its operating costs, but has requested the much lower increase to reduce the burden upon its customers. Hillridge is also proposing to begin charging a surcharge of \$11.19 per month for 36 months to pay for sewer line repairs and replacements mandated by the Kentucky Division of Water. The proposed effective date of the change is November 29, 2010.

Monthly Rate:

<u>Current</u>		<u>Proposed</u>	
Flat Rate	\$24.13	Flat Rate	\$32.50
Surcharge	\$ 0.00	Surcharge	\$11.19
<u>MONTHLY USAGE</u>	<u>MONTHLY BILL AT CURRENT RATE</u>	<u>MONTHLY BILL AT PROPOSED RATE</u>	<u>PERCENT INCREASE</u>
ALL USAGE	\$24.13	\$32.50	34.7%
SURCHARGE	<u>\$ 0.00</u>	<u>\$11.19</u>	N/A
TOTAL BILL	\$24.13	\$43.69	81.1%

The rates contained in this notice are the rates proposed by Hillridge Facilities, Inc.. However, the Public Service Commission may order rates to be charged that are higher or lower than the rates proposed in this notice.

Any corporation, association, body politic, or person may request leave to intervene, by motion within thirty (30) days after notice of the proposed rate change is given. A motion to intervene shall be in writing, shall be submitted to the Executive Director, Public Service Commission, 211 Sower Boulevard, Post Office Box 615, Frankfort, KY 40602, and shall set forth the grounds for the motion, including the status and interest of the party movant. Copies of the application may be obtained at no charge from the utility office at Hillridge Facilities, Inc., 17825 Bradbe Road, Fisherville, KY 40023. Upon request from an intervenor, the utility shall furnish to the intervenor a copy of the application and supporting documents.

Hillridge Facilities, Inc.