

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ALTERNATIVE RATE ADJUSTMENT FILING OF ) CASE NO. 2013-00170  
WOOD CREEK WATER DISTRICT )

ORDER

The Commission, on its own motion, HEREBY ORDERS that:

1. Wood Creek Water District ("Wood Creek District") shall file with the Commission no later than August 5, 2013:

a. Its written comments on and any objections to the findings and recommendations contained in the Commission Staff Report;

b. Written notice of its position on adjusting its general rates for sewer service to a level that will produce \$878,937 from sewer sales;

c. Written notice of its position on changing the service lives of certain sewer assets to the service lives that Commission Staff has recommended;

d. Any additional evidence for the Commission's consideration; and

e. Written notice as to whether this matter may be submitted for decision based upon the existing record without hearing.

2. Wood Creek District's failure to file with the Commission written objections to a finding or recommendation contained in the Commission Staff Report by August 5, 2013 shall be deemed as agreement with that finding or recommendation and a waiver of any right to object to that finding or recommendation.

3. If Wood Creek District wishes to revise its proposed rates for sewer service to the levels that Commission Staff recommended, Wood Creek District shall file a revised request for rate adjustment with its response to the Commission Staff Report.

4. If Wood Creek District revises its request for rate adjustment, it shall publish notice of its revised request in a newspaper of general circulation in its territory no later than August 10, 2013, and shall provide the Commission with proof of publication of such notice no later than August 20, 2013. Notice shall be in the format set forth in the Appendix to this Order.

5. Unless Wood Creek requests on or before August 5, 2013, that this matter be submitted for decision upon the existing record without hearing,

a. An informal conference shall be held in this matter on August 12, 2013 at 1:00 p.m., Eastern Daylight Time, at the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky.

b. Wood Creek shall file with the Commission, no later than August 19, 2013, a list of the persons it intends to call as witnesses at the scheduled hearing and a summary of each witness's expected testimony.

c. Wood Creek Water District shall publish notice of the scheduled hearing in accordance with 807 KAR 5:076, Section 11, no earlier than August 21, 2013 and no later than September 4, 2013.

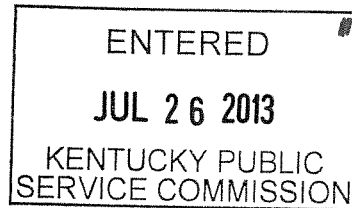
d. A formal hearing in this matter shall be held on September 11, 2013, beginning at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, in the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky.

6. Pursuant to KRS 278.080, James Wood is designated as hearing officer to conduct the scheduled hearing in this matter.

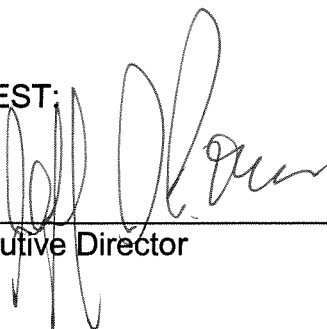
7. Pursuant to KRS 278.360 and 807 KAR 5:001, Section 9(9)(a), the record of the formal hearing in this matter shall be by videotape.

8. Commission Staff shall prepare a written list of all exhibits presented at the hearing and shall file this list with the Commission with all hearing exhibits and a copy of the video transcript of the hearing.

By the Commission



ATTEST:

  
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Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE  
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2013-00170 DATED **JUL 26 2013**

**NOTICE TO THE CUSTOMERS  
OF WOOD CREEK DISTRICT WATER DISTRICT**

On June 3, 2013, Wood Creek Water District applied to the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("PSC") for authority to adjust its rates for sewer service. After performing a review of Wood Creek Water District's application and records, the PSC Staff has recommended to the PSC that Wood Creek Water District be granted an increase greater than that requested. The table below reflects the originally proposed and PSC Staff-recommended rates:

<u>5/8-Inch x 3/4-Inch Meter</u>	<u>Originally Proposed</u>	<u>PSC Staff Recommended</u>
First 2,000 Gallons	\$16.52 Minimum Bill	\$ 28.77 Minimum Bill
Next 1,500 Gallons	5.97 Per 1,000 gallons	10.40 per 1,000 gallons
Next 1,500 Gallons	5.53 Per 1,000 gallons	9.61 per 1,000 gallons
Next 2,500 Gallons	4.96 Per 1,000 gallons	8.64 per 1,000 gallons
Over 7,500 Gallons	4.32 Per 1,000 gallons	4.53 per 1,000 gallons
 <u>1-Inch Meter</u>		
First 5,000 Gallons	\$33.77 Minimum Bill	\$ 58.79 Minimum Bill
Next 2,500 Gallons	4.96 Per 1,000 gallons	8.64 per 1,000 gallons
Over 7,500 Gallons	4.32 Per 1,000 gallons	4.53 per 1,000 gallons
 <u>2-Inch Meter</u>		
First 20,000 gallons	\$100.17 Minimum Bill	\$174.52 Minimum Bill
Over 20,000 gallons	4.32 per 1,000 gallons	4.53 per 1,000 gallons
 <u>3-Inch Meter</u>		
First 30,000 gallons	\$143.37 Minimum Bill	\$249.82 Minimum Bill
Over 30,000 gallons	4.32 per 1,000 gallons	4.53 per 1,000 gallons
 <u>6-Inch Meter</u>		
First 100,000 gallons	\$445.77 Minimum Bill	\$852.22 Minimum Bill
Over 100,000 gallons	4.32 per 1,000 gallons	4.53 per 1,000 gallons

A copy of the PSC Staff report can be found at [http://psc.ky.gov/PSCSCF/2013%20Cases/2013-00170/20130725\\_PSC\\_ORDER.pdf](http://psc.ky.gov/PSCSCF/2013%20Cases/2013-00170/20130725_PSC_ORDER.pdf).

Pursuant to the PSC's Order of June 20, 2013, in Case No. 2013-00170, Wood Creek Water District has requested that the PSC approve the higher rates. Any corporation, association, body politic, or person may submit comments on the proposed request no later than September 1, 2013. Comments shall be in writing and shall be submitted to the Executive Director, Public Service Commission, 211 Sower Boulevard, P.O. Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky, 40602. Comments may also be submitted by electronic mail to [psc.info@ky.gov](mailto:psc.info@ky.gov). If the Commission does not received any objections or requests for intervention or hearing in this matter by September 1, 2013, the Commission will proceed to render a decision in the matter.

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