

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUST-)
MENT OF BUTLER COUNTY) CASE NO. 8384-2
WATER SYSTEM)

O R D E R

On May 19, 1983, Butler County Water System ("Butler") filed its application with the Public Service Commission ("Commission") for authority to adjust its rates in accordance with 807 KAR 5:067, Purchased Water Adjustment Clause.

The Commission, having reviewed the evidence of record and being advised, is of the opinion and finds that:

(1) Butler's supplier, City of Morgantown ("City"), increased the wholesale cost of water from \$.683 to \$.883 per 1,000 gallons effective for the May, 1983, billing.

(2) The statements of water purchased and sold filed by Butler for the 12-month period ending March 31, 1983, show that its line loss is approximately 14 percent which is less than the maximum of 15 percent allowed by the Commission.

(3) The calculations made by Butler are correct and show that the total allowable increase in purchased water costs is \$14,566, resulting in a purchased water adjustment of \$.23 per 1,000 gallons.

(4) The financial exhibits filed by Butler indicate that it cannot absorb an increase of this magnitude in the wholesale cost of water.

(5) The purchased water adjustment in the amount of \$.23 per 1,000 gallons and the rates in Appendix A are fair, just and reasonable and should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the purchased water adjustment in the amount of \$.23 per 1,000 gallons and the rates in Appendix A be and they hereby are approved for service rendered on and after the date of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that for the purpose of future application of the purchased water adjustment clause of Butler, the base rate for purchased water shall be:

<u>Supplier</u>	<u>Rate</u>
City of Morgantown	\$.883 per 1,000 gallons

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that within 30 days of the date of this Order, Butler shall file with the Commisison revised tariff sheets setting out the rates approved herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 7th day of July, 1983.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Secretary

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 8384-2 DATED JULY 7, 1983

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Butler County Water System, Inc. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of this Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

Domestic, Industrial, Farm and Commercial⁽¹⁾

5/8" Meter

<u>Gallonge Block</u>	<u>Monthly Rate Existing-Customers</u>	<u>Monthly Rate Logansport-Dunbar Project 2</u>
First 2,000 gals.	\$ 7.09 minimum	\$ 8.09 minimum
Next 3,000 gals.	2.92 per 1,000 gals.	2.92 per 1,000 gals.
Next 5,000 gals.	2.42 per 1,000 gals.	2.42 per 1,000 gals.
Next 10,000 gals.	2.17 per 1,000 gals.	2.17 per 1,000 gals.
All Over 20,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.

3/4" Meter

First 3,000 gals.	\$10.01 minimum	\$11.01 minimum
Next 2,000 gals.	2.92 per 1,000 gals.	2.92 per 1,000 gals.
Next 5,000 gals.	2.42 per 1,000 gals.	2.42 per 1,000 gals.
Next 10,000 gals.	2.17 per 1,000 gals.	2.17 per 1,000 gals.
All Over 20,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.

1" Meter

First 5,000 gals.	\$15.85 minimum	\$16.85 minimum
Next 5,000 gals.	2.42 per 1,000 gals.	2.42 per 1,000 gals.
Next 10,000 gals.	2.17 per 1,000 gals.	2.17 per 1,000 gals.
All Over 20,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.

1-1/2" Meter

First 10,000 gals.	\$27.95 minimum	\$28.95 minimum
Next 10,000 gals.	2.17 per 1,000 gals.	2.17 per 1,000 gals.
All Over 20,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.

Gallonage Block

Monthly Rate
Existing-Customers

Monthly Rate
Logansport-Dunbar Project 2

2" Meter

First	16,000 gals.	\$40.97 minimum	\$41.97 minimum
Next	4,000 gals.	2.17 per 1,000 gals.	2.17 per 1,000 gals.
All Over	20,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.

3" Meter

First	30,000 gals.	\$68.85 minimum	\$69.85 minimum
All Over	30,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.

4" Meter

First	50,000 gals.	\$107.25 minimum	\$108.25 minimum
All Over	50,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.

6" Meter

First	100,000 gals.	\$203.25 minimum	\$204.25 minimum
All Over	100,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.	1.92 per 1,000 gals.