

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT FILING )  
OF WESTERN LEWIS-RECTORVILLE ) CASE NO. 2009-00338  
WATER & GAS )

ORDER

On May 12, 1993, in Case No. 1992-00331, the Commission approved rates for Western Lewis-Rectorville Water and Gas District (“Western Lewis”) and provided for their further adjustment in accordance with the Western Lewis Gas Cost Adjustment clause.<sup>1</sup>

On August 17, 2009, Western Lewis filed its proposed Gas Cost Recovery Rate (“GCR”) to be effective October 1, 2009.

After reviewing the record in this case and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that:

1. Western Lewis’s notice includes revised rates designed to pass on to its customers its expected change in gas costs.

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<sup>1</sup> Case No. 1992-00331, The Application of Western Lewis-Rectorville for an Adjustment of Rates Pursuant to the Alternative Rate Filing Procedure for Small Utilities (Ky. PSC May 12, 1993).

2. Western Lewis's notice sets out an Expected Gas Cost ("EGC") of \$6.9270 per Mcf, which is an increase of \$1.6728 per Mcf from its previous EGC of \$5.2542 per Mcf.

3. Western Lewis's notice sets out no Refund Adjustment.

4. Western Lewis's notice sets out a current quarter Actual Adjustment ("AA") of (\$.7112) per Mcf. Western Lewis's total AA is (\$2.5970) per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.5626 per Mcf from the previous total AA of (\$2.0344) per Mcf.

5. Western Lewis's notice sets out a current quarter Balance Adjustment ("BA") of (\$.0059) per Mcf. Western Lewis's total BA is \$.0097 per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.0477 per Mcf from the previous total BA of \$.0574 per Mcf.

6. Western Lewis's GCR is \$4.3397 per Mcf, which is an increase of \$1.0625 per Mcf from the previous rate of \$3.2772 per Mcf.

7. The rates in the Appendix to this Order are fair, just, and reasonable, and should be approved for billing for service rendered by Western Lewis on and after October 1, 2009.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The rates in the Appendix to this Order are approved for service rendered on and after October 1, 2009.

2. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Western Lewis shall file with this Commission its revised tariffs setting out the rates authorized herein.

By the Commission

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC  
SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

  
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Executive Director

Case No. 2009-00338

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE  
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2009-00338 DATED **SEP - 1 2009**

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers served by Western Lewis–Rectorville Water and Gas District. 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.

RETAIL RATES:

Customer Charge                                  \$1.00 per month

Monthly usage

	<u>Base Rate</u>	<u>Gas Cost Recovery Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
First 1,000 cubic feet or less (Minimum Bill)	\$3.9883	\$ 4.3397	\$ 8.3280
Next 4,000 cubic feet per 1,000 cubic feet	1.4565	4.3397	5.7962
Next 5,000 cubic feet per 1,000 cubic feet	1.3970	4.3397	5.7367
Over 10,000 cubic feet per 1,000 cubic feet	1.2228	4.3397	5.5625

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