

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT)
FILING OF SOUTH HOPKINS WATER) CASE NO. 2010-00421
DISTRICT)

ORDER

On October 29, 2010, South Hopkins Water District ("South Hopkins") applied for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure.¹

The Commission, having reviewed the record and being sufficiently advised, finds that:

1. South Hopkins purchases water from the city of Dawson Springs ("Dawson Springs").
2. Dawson Springs notified South Hopkins that its wholesale rate to South Hopkins would increase from \$1.59913 per 1,000 gallons to \$1.75421 per 1,000 gallons.
3. South Hopkins proposes a purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.19 per 1,000 gallons.
4. South Hopkins proposes to increase the rates to its customers effective December 1, 2010.
5. During the 12 months ended July 31, 2009, South Hopkins purchased 330,026,278 gallons of water from Dawson Springs and sold 264,985,746 gallons. The

¹ KRS 278.015; 807 KAR 5:068.

increase in the cost of purchased water is \$51,180.48, resulting in a purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.19 per 1,000 gallons.

6. The purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.19 per 1,000 gallons is fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved.

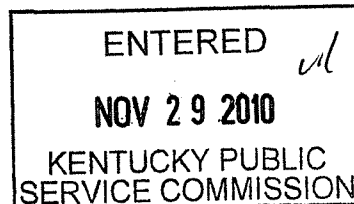
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The rates proposed by South Hopkins are approved.
2. The effective date proposed by South Hopkins is approved.
3. The purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.19 per 1,000 gallons, as calculated in Appendix A, is approved.

4. The rates in Appendix B are approved for services rendered on or after December 1, 2010.

5. The tariff sheet included in South Hopkins' application is accepted as filed.

By the Commission



ATTEST:



Executive Director

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2010-00421 DATED **NOV 29 2010**

	New Rate	Base Rate
Purchases in gallons	330,026,278	330,026,278
Volumetric rate	<u>\$1.75421 /1,000</u>	<u>\$1.59913/1,000</u>
	\$ 578,935.40	\$ 527,754.92
	Increased water cost	\$ 51,180.48
Increased water cost		\$51,180.48
Divided by gallons sold		264,985,746
Purchased water adjustment factor		\$0.19 per 1,000 gallons

APPENDIX B

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2010-00421 DATED NOV 29 2010

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

Monthly Water Rates

5/8 x 3/4 Inch Meter

First	1,000 gallons	\$9.46	Minimum Bill
Next	9,000 gallons	4.99	per 1,000 gallons
Next	10,000 gallons	4.63	per 1,000 gallons
Next	30,000 gallons	4.27	per 1,000 gallons
Over	50,000 gallons	3.60	per 1,000 gallons

1 Inch Meter

First	10,000 gallons	\$54.40	Minimum Bill
Next	10,000 gallons	4.63	per 1,000 gallons
Next	30,000 gallons	4.27	per 1,000 gallons
Over	50,000 gallons	3.60	per 1,000 gallons

2 Inch Meter

First	20,000 gallons	\$100.70	Minimum Bill
Next	30,000 gallons	4.27	per 1,000 gallons
Over	50,000 gallons	3.60	per 1,000 gallons

3 Inch Meter

First	50,000 gallons	\$228.70	Minimum Bill
Over	50,000 gallons	3.60	per 1,000 gallons

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