# COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT	)	
FILING OF NORTH HOPKINS WATER	) CASE NO. 2011-0004	Ю
DISTRICT	)	

### ORDER

On February 4, 2011, North Hopkins Water District ("North Hopkins") applied for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure.<sup>1</sup>

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

- 1. North Hopkins purchases water from the city of Madisonville ("Madisonville").
- 2. Madisonville notified North Hopkins that, effective March 1, 2011, Madisonville's wholesale water rate to North Hopkins would increase from \$3.79 per 1,000 gallons to \$3.95 per 1,000 gallons. North Hopkins proposes to increase the water rates to its customers effective March 1, 2011.
- 3. North Hopkins proposed a purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.20 per 1,000 gallons.
- 4. During the 12 months ending December 31, 2010, North Hopkins purchased 87,261,000 gallons of water and sold 68,899,600 gallons. The increase in

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> KRS 278.015; 807 KAR 5:068.

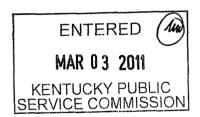
the cost of purchased water is \$13,961.76, resulting in a purchased water adjustment of \$0.20 per 1,000 gallons.

5. The purchased water adjustment of \$0.20 per 1,000 gallons is fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved.

#### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. The rates proposed by North Hopkins are accepted.
- 2. The purchased water adjustment of \$0.20 per 1,000 gallons and the rates shown in Appendix A, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are approved for service that North Hopkins renders on and after March 1, 2011.
- 3. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, North Hopkins shall file a revised tariff sheet with the Commission reflecting the rates approved herein and signed by an officer of North Hopkins authorized to issue tariffs.

By the Commission



Executive Director

### APPENDIX A

## APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2011-00040 DATED MAR 0 3 2011

North Honking Water	New Rate	Base Rate	
North Hopkins Water Purchases in gallons Volumetric rate	87,261,000 \$3.95/1,000 \$344,680.95	• • •	
		Increased water cost	\$13,961.76
Increased water cost Divided by gallons sold		\$ 13,961.76 68,899,600	
Purchased water adjustment factor		\$0.20 per 1,000 gallons	

### APPENDIX B

### APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2011-00040 DATED MAR 0 3 2011

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by North 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-Inch Met	ter			'		
First	2,000	gallons		\$	24.14	Minimum bill
Next	2,000	gallons			11.77	per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000	gallons			9.42	per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000	gallons			8.27	per 1,000 gallons
All Over	10,000	gallons			6.47	per 1,000 gallons
3/4-Inch Me	<u>ter</u>					
First	3,000	gallons		\$	35.91	Minimum bill
Next	1,000	gallons			11.77	per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000	gallons			9.42	per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000	gallons			8.27	per 1,000 gallons
All Over	10,000	gallons			6.47	per 1,000 gallons
1-Inch Meter						
First	5,000	gallons		\$	57.10	Minimum bill
Next	2,000	gallons			9.42	per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000	gallons			8.27	per 1,000 gallons
All Over	10,000	gallons			6.47	per 1,000 gallons
1 1/2-Inch M	leter					
First	10,000	gallons		\$	100.75	Minimum bill
All Over	10,000	gallons			6.47	per 1,000 gallons
2-Inch Mete	r					
First	15,000	gallons		\$	133.10	Minimum bill
All Over	15,000	gallons			6.47	per 1,000 gallons
3-Inch Meter						
First	30,000	gallons		\$	230.15	Minimum bill
All Over	30,000	gallons			6.47	per 1,000 gallons

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