COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT FILING)	
OF WESTERN LEWIS-RECTORVILLE	j	CASE NO. 2013-00326
WATER AND GAS	j	

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 Western Lewis's Gas Cost Adjustment ("GCA") clause.¹

On August 29, 2013, Western Lewis filed its proposed Gas Cost Recovery ("GCR") rate to be effective October 1, 2013.

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.
- 2. Western Lewis's notice sets out an Expected Gas Cost ("EGC") of \$5.3389 per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.6653 per Mcf from its previous EGC of \$6.0042 per Mcf.
 - 3. Western Lewis's notice sets out no Refund Adjustment.

¹ 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).

- 4. Western Lewis's notice sets out a current quarter AA of (\$.4049) per Mcf. Western Lewis's total AA is (\$.9050) per Mcf, which is a decrease of \$.3712 per Mcf from the previous total AA of (\$.5338) per Mcf.
- 5. Western Lewis's notice sets out a current quarter Balance Adjustment ("BA") of (\$.0938) per Mcf. Western Lewis miscalculated its current quarter BA in its subtraction of (\$30,146) from (\$26,117). The Balance Adjustment for the AA should be \$4,029 instead of (\$4,029). Correcting this produces a current quarter BA of \$.0938. Western Lewis's total BA is \$.0304 per Mcf, which is an increase of \$.1895 per Mcf from the previous total BA of (\$.1591) per Mcf.
- 6. Western Lewis's GCR is \$4.4643, which is a decrease of \$.7661 per Mcf from the previous rate of \$5.2304 per Mcf.
- 7. The rates in the Appendix to this Order are fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved for service rendered by Western Lewis on and after October 1, 2013.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. The rates proposed by Western Lewis are denied.
- 2. The rates in the Appendix to this Order are approved for service rendered on and after October 1, 2013.
- 3. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Western Lewis shall file with this Commission, using the Commission's electronic Tariff Filing System, revised tariff sheets setting out the rates approved herein and reflecting that they were approved pursuant to this Order.

By the Commission

ENTERED

SEP 13 2013

KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST

Executive Director

Case No. 2013-00326

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2013-00326 DATED **SEP 1 3 2013**

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

	Gas (
	Base Rate	Recovery <u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>
First 1,000 cubic feet or less (Minimum Bill)	\$3.9883	\$ 4.4643	\$8.4526
Next 4,000 cubic feet per 1,000 cubic feet	1.4565	4.4643	5.9208
Next 5,000 cubic feet per 1,000 cubic feet	1.3970	4.4643	5.8613
Over 10,000 cubic feet per 1,000 cubic feet	1.2228	4.4643	5.6871

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