

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION FOR A FORMAL	)	CASE NO.
MOTION FINDING THAT NO MODIFICATION OF	)	2026-00210
PRESENT RATES IS NECESSARY	)	

COMMISSION STAFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR INFORMATION
TO CHRISTIAN COUNTY WATER DISTRICT

Christian County Water District (Christian District), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, shall file with the Commission an electronic version of the following information. The information requested is due on September 9, 2026. The Commission directs Christian District to the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085¹ regarding filings with the Commission. Electronic documents shall be in portable document format (PDF), shall be searchable, and shall be appropriately bookmarked.

Each response shall include the question to which the response is made and shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided. Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or the person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the

¹ Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-19* (Ky. PSC July 22, 2021), Order (in which the Commission ordered that for case filings made on and after March 16, 2020, filers are NOT required to file the original physical copies of the filings required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8).

response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

Christian District shall make timely amendment to any prior response if Christian District obtains information that indicates the response was incorrect or incomplete when made or, though correct or complete when made, is now incorrect or incomplete in any material respect.

For any request to which Christian District fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, Christian District shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.

Careful attention shall be given to copied and scanned material to ensure that it is legible. When the requested information has been previously provided in this proceeding in the requested format, reference may be made to the specific location of that information in responding to this request. When applicable, the requested information shall be separately provided for total company operations and jurisdictional operations. When filing a paper containing personal information, Christian District shall, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(10), encrypt or redact the paper so that personal information cannot be read.

1. Refer to Application, Exhibit 1, Table E, Current Billing Analysis with 2025 Usage & Existing Rates (Existing Billing Analysis). Explain the adjustments of \$(45,725.74) to the Existing Billing Analysis also shown on Attachment_2_Rate_Study_Christian_Cty_test_year_2025, tab Existing Billing Analysis and its justification and supporting documentation.

2. Refer to the Application, exhibit 1, Schedule of Adjusted Operation (SAO), Purchased Water Expense. For any calculations requested below, provide the response in Excel spreadsheet format with all formulas, rows, and columns unprotected and fully accessible.

a. Confirm that Christian District still purchases water from Barkley Lake District.

b. Provide purchased water gallons and dollars for each supplier for 2025.

c. Calculate the effect of each 2025 purchased water adjustment that is not included in the test year amount (i.e. purchase from Hopkinsville Water Environment Authority {HWEA} for January 1, 2025, through September 30, 2025).

d. Calculate the full year effect of the 2026 purchased water increase from HWEA that will be effective October 1, 2026.

e. State whether the amount calculated in “d” above is included in the submitted pro forma revenue amount of \$4,415,045.

3. Refer to Application, Exhibit 2: KRWA Workpaper Excel File in Support, SAO tab. The Revenue Requirement formula in cell “H57” does not deduct Sales for Resale revenue in determining the Revenue Required from Sales of Water. Explain why Sales of Resale revenue was excluded from the Revenue Requirement formula.

4. Refer to Application, Exhibit 1, SAO and also refer to Application, Exhibit 2: KRWA Workpaper Excel File in Support, Wages tab, and medical tab. The SAO does not reflect test year expenses for Employee Pension and Benefits; however, the rate study work papers include amounts associated with employee pension and medical

benefits costs. Explain why the applicable test year Employee and Pension benefit expenses were omitted from the SAO. Provide a revised SAO that includes the appropriate test year balances and any related adjustments.

5. Refer to Application, Exhibit 1, KRWA Report, SAO. Provide a Depreciation Schedule that reflects each item which, when reconciled, resulted in SAO Depreciation of \$717,751. Include any applicable adjustments for NARUC depreciation lives for each of the items.

6. Refer to Application, Exhibit 2: KRWA Workpaper Excel File in Support, Depreciation tab. Provide an explanation for the proposed 15-year service life for water meters. Include in this explanation, any engineering reports, testing reports, or technical specifications that support the proposed 15-year service life.

7. Provide a revised SAO and Revenue Requirement file in Excel spreadsheet format with all formulas, rows, and columns unprotected and fully accessible that reflects any adjustments or corrections identified above.


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