

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT)	CASE NO.
OF WESTERN ROCKCASTLE WATER)	2005-00428
ASSOCIATION)	

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On October 18, 2005, Western Rockcastle Water Association ("Western Rockcastle") applied for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure. KRS 278.012 and 807 KAR 5:068.

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

1. Western Rockcastle purchases water from the city of Mt. Vernon ("Mt. Vernon") and Southern Madison Water District ("Southern Madison").
2. Mt. Vernon notified Western Rockcastle that, effective November 7, 2005, Mt. Vernon's wholesale water rate to Western Rockcastle would increase from \$2.05 per 1,000 gallons to \$2.16 per 1,000 gallons.
3. During the 12 months ending August 31, 2005, Western Rockcastle purchased 274,246,500 gallons of water from Mt. Vernon and sold 245,669,200 gallons. The increase in the cost of purchased water is \$30,167, resulting in a purchased water adjustment of \$0.12 per 1,000 gallons.
4. The purchased water adjustment of \$0.12 per 1,000 gallons is fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The purchased water adjustment of \$0.12 per 1,000 gallons and the rates in Appendix A, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are fair, just, and reasonable and are approved for services rendered on and after November 7, 2005.

2. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Western Rockcastle shall file with the Commission revised tariff sheets showing an effective date of November 7, 2005.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 23rd day of November, 2005.

By the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director

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APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2005-00428 DATED NOVEMBER 23, 2005

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Western Rockcastle Water Association. 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"x3/4" Meter:

First 2,000 gallons	\$15.28 Minimum Bill
Next 3,000 gallons	5.54 per 1,000 gallons
Next 5,000 gallons	5.14 per 1,000 gallons
Next 15,000 gallons	4.64 per 1,000 gallons
Over 25,000 gallons	3.54 per 1,000 gallons

1" Meter:

First 5,000 gallons	\$31.90 Minimum Bill
Next 5,000 gallons	5.14 per 1,000 gallons
Next 15,000 gallons	4.64 per 1,000 gallons
Over 25,000 gallons	3.54 per 1,000 gallons

1 1/2" Meter:

First 10,000 gallons	\$57.60 Minimum Bill
Next 15,000 gallons	4.64 per 1,000 gallons
Over 25,000 gallons	3.54 per 1,000 gallons

2" Meter:

First 25,000 gallons	\$127.20 Minimum Bill
Over 25,000 gallons	3.54 per 1,000 gallons