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Kentucky Public Service Commission
P.O. Box 615
Frankfort, KY 40602

Re: Case no. 2007 - 00134

Dear Sirs:

I am writing to ask you to deny Kentucky American Water Company's proposed pipeline from "Pool 3" in Owen County to Fayette County. I am a property owner in Franklin and Owen Counties. I have a deep love of our state and I think that we Kentuckians value our rural lands, and wish to preserve the woods and waters for our future generations.

The KAW proposed pipeline would cut an ugly gash across some of our most precious and scenic natural areas. While Central Kentucky needs ever-growing quantities of water to supply the growth of people and industry, there is a much better solution. The Louisville Water proposal will provide water for Central Kentucky customers at a cheaper rate, with less damage and disruption to private property and the environment.

I am incensed that a private, for-profit corporation has control of our water resources and that they stand ready to seize private property by eminent domain in order to increase their corporate earnings and shares values. I believe nothing Kentucky American Water Company representatives say about being "good corporate citizens" who will "return the land they cut through to "as good or better condition than before." What recourse will anyone have after their trees have been killed, their wells polluted, their springs dried up and their landscape forever defiled?

I strongly urge you to protect Kentucky, its lands and people, and to refuse to allow Kentucky American Water to steal our land and resources from us. Please do the right thing for Kentucky.

Yours truly,


Jane Bogardus