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Re: Case No. 2013-00027
North Shelby Water Company

Dear Mr. Derouen:

Enclosed are the original and ten (10) copies of the letter to Jeff Derouen, Executive Director, and responses of Bobby Cowherd, Shelby County Fire Department and Willard Tucker, Shelbyville Fire Department to be filed to the record of this case.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to call me.

Yours truly,

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By: Donald T. Prather
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cc: Jerry Ruble, President
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Dear Mr. Derouen:

A conference call was held with Public Service Commission staff members on March 19, 2013. During that telephone conversation North Shelby agreed to contact fire chiefs in its service area and solicit their comments upon the tariff changes being proposed in this case. Attached are the responses of Bobby Cowherd, Shelby County Fire Department and Willard Tucker, Shelbyville Fire Department. These are the only two responses to those inquiries received by North Shelby. Please file these responses to the record of this case.

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From: Pete Hedges [petehedges@bellsouth.net]
Sent: Wednesday, June 12, 2013 9:07 AM
To: Don Prather
Subject: Fw: RE: North Shelby Water

--- On Tue, 5/21/13, Bobby Cowherd <bc3301@insightbb.com> wrote:

From: Bobby Cowherd <bc3301@insightbb.com>
Subject: RE: North Shelby Water
To: "Pete Hedges" <petehedges@bellsouth.net>
Date: Tuesday, May 21, 2013, 3:09 PM

Pete,

Sorry for the delay in replying to your request, I have reviewed the Rules and Regulations regarding fire hydrants and fire protection of the North Shelby Water Company and found no issues or have any problems with the documentation.

Bobby Cowherd

Chief

Shelby County Fire & Rescue

bc3301@insightbb.com

502-633-6648 Office

502-633-7033 Fax

From: Pete Hedges [mailto:petehedges@bellsouth.net]
Sent: Monday, April 29, 2013 3:06 PM
To: bc3301@insightbb.com
Subject: North Shelby Water

Dear Chief:

6/12/2013

Several months ago, at the urging of former Shelbyville fire chief Shelby County Judge/Executive Rob Rothenberger, North Shelby Water Company began a review of its Rules and Regulations regarding fire hydrants and fire protection. Part of the effort was to make the wording consistent with what has actually been the practice over the years.

Representatives of the Shelby County and Simpsonville fire departments attended one North Shelby board meeting and gave their input regarding a common sense division of labor regarding testing and maintenance of fire hydrants, and in particular the fire department's need to be able to use North Shelby's easement rights to remove tall weeds, saplings, and even occasionally bushes planted or a fence erected by a landowner, any of which can obscure or make access to a fire hydrant difficult. The proposed Rules and Regulations adopt many of their suggestions.

Enclosed is a copy of these new Rules and Regulations. The Kentucky Public Service Commission is presently reviewing these. We would very much appreciate it if you could review the sections of these rules entitled "Public and Private Fire Suppression" and in particular "Fire Hydrants" and let us know if you have any problems with the wording or suggestions on how it could be improved.

The PSC staff has requested they be provided within 60 days this input of the fire departments in North Shelby's service area. We would really appreciate it if you could let us know within the next six weeks if you are ok with the wording of these sections or if you have any suggested changes. This will give us time to forward the responses to the PSC staff.

Thanks for your help in this matter.

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--- On Fri, 5/3/13, Chief Willard Tucker <sfd500@insightbb.com> wrote:

From: Chief Willard Tucker <sfd500@insightbb.com>
Subject: RE: North Shelby Water
To: "Pete Hedges" <petehedges@bellsouth.net>
Date: Friday, May 3, 2013, 2:02 PM

I have review the document and have no real problems with them. Thanks for the heads up! Chief Tucker

From: Pete Hedges [mailto:petehedges@bellsouth.net]
Sent: Monday, April 29, 2013 3:10 PM
To: sfd500@insightbb.com
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