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Kentucky Public Service Commission
P.O. Box 615
211 Sower Boulevard
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Dear Sir or Madam,

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It has recently been called to our attention that the Mountain Water District has petitioned for a water rate increase that will affect our wholesale water purchase. The City of Elkhorn City purchases water from the Mountain Water District wholesale to supply the citizens of Elkhorn City.

The City of Elkhorn City is a very small community of around 900. We have approximately 600 water customers. Some of our customers are outside the city limits of Elkhorn City. We also live in a community that has a lot of elderly and retirees. A big majority of our citizens are low income. If a rate increase was approved, the increase would have to be passed on to our customers. Therefore, putting a financial strain on our citizens in our community. We feel that this would be an unnecessary burden to them at this time.

We urge you to consider to not consider the rate increase on our city. Times are already hard and the financial impact could be devastating to our town and our citizens. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 606-253-1720.

Sincerely,

Mike Taylor
Mayor