COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT FILING OF)CASE NO.FARMDALE WATER DISTRICT)2015-00375

<u>ORDER</u>

On November 17, 2015, Farmdale Water District ("Farmdale") applied for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure.¹ The Commission, having reviewed the record and being sufficiently advised, finds that:

1. Farmdale purchases water from the Frankfort Plant Board ("Frankfort").

2. Frankfort notified Farmdale that effective November 1, 2015, Frankfort would increase its wholesale rate to Farmdale from \$2.25 per 1,000 gallons to \$2.35 per 1,000 gallons.² Farmdale proposed to increase the water rates to its customers effective November 1, 2015, to reflect the increased cost of purchased water.³

3. Farmdale proposed a purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.16 per 1,000 gallons.

4. During the 12 months ended August 30, 2015, Farmdale purchased 261,762,000 gallons of water from Frankfort and sold 155,299,000 gallons. The

¹ KRS 278.015; 807 KAR 5:068.

² TFS 2014-00774 (Ky. PSC filed Dec. 14, 2014); The tariff was accepted for filing by the Commission by letter dated Jan. 9, 2015.

³ Letter from Clifford Toles, Chairman, Farmdale Water District to Jeff Derouen, Executive Director, Public Service Commission, filed Nov. 25, 2015.

increase in the cost of purchased water is \$26,176.20, resulting in a purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.16 per 1,000 gallons.

5. The purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.16 per 1,000 gallons as calculated in Appendix A to this Order is fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved, as requested by Farmdale.

6. Farmdale's proposed rates should be approved.

7. The rates as set forth in Appendix B to this Order are fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved for water service rendered on and after December 1, 2015.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Farmdale's proposed rates are approved.

2. The purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.16 per 1,000 gallons, as requested by Farmdale, is approved.

3. The rates as set forth in Appendix B to this Order are approved for water service rendered on and after December 1, 2015.

4. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Farmdale shall file with the Commission, using the Commission's electronic Tariff Filing System, revised tariff sheets showing the rates approved herein.

By the Commission

ATTEST Executive Director

ENTERED DEC 0 7 2015 KENTUCKY PUBLIC RVICE COMMISS

Case No. 2015-00375

APPENDIX A

•

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2015-00375 DATED **DEC 0 7 2015**

Farmdale	New Rate		Base Rate
Purchases in gallons Frankfort Volumetric rate	261,762,000 <u>\$2.35/1,000</u> \$615,140.70	<u>)</u>	261,762,000 <u>\$ 2.25/1,000</u> \$588,964.50
Increased water cost		\$26	,176.20
Increased water cost Divided by gallons sold/1,000 Purchased water adjustment factor		, \$ 26,176.20 <u>155,299,000</u> \$ 0.16855 per 1,000 gallons or \$ 0.16 per 1,000 gallons as requested by Farmdale	

APPENDIX B

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2015-00375 DATED **DEC 0 7 2015**

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Farmdale Water District. 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- x 3/4-Inch Meter

First	2,000	gallons
Next	3,000	gallons
Next	5,000	gallons
Over	10,000	gallons

1-Inch Meter

First	5,000	gallons
Next	5,000	gallons
Next	140,000	gallons
Over	150,000	gallons

<u>4-Inch Meter</u>

First	50,000	gallons
Next	50,000	gallons
Next	50,000	gallons
Over	150,000	gallons

\$ 17.26 per 1,000 gallons
5.63 per 1,000 gallons
5.17 per 1,000 gallons
4.69 per 1,000 gallons

\$ 34.15 per 1,000 gallons 5.63 per 1,000 gallons 5.17 per 1,000 gallons 4.69 per 1,000 gallons

\$247.60 per 1,000 gallons
5.63 per 1,000 gallons
5.17 per 1,000 gallons
4.69 per 1,000 gallons

*Farmdale Water District 100 Highwood Drive, Route 8 Frankfort, KY 40601

*Clifford Toles Chairman Farmdale Water District 100 Highwood Drive Frankfort, KENTUCKY 40601