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To the Kentucky Public Service Commissioners: Michael J. Schmitt, Kent A Chandler and Talina R. Mathews,

I am writing this letter as a plea for intervention and rejection of the application submitted by Bluegrass Water Utility Operating Company to adjust rates for their service. Bluegrass Water Company has submitted a proposal to increase the water rate for the Center Ridge District by 364.4%. Our current water rate is \$22.79 a month and the new proposed rate will be \$105.84. I find this to be an outrageous, ridiculous, and an extreme rate increase.

A lot of the residents on the Center Ridge water system are only here a total of a few months during the year. Many of the families are on fixed incomes that live paycheck to paycheck and struggle to make ends meet. Such a large increase would place a financial burden on the people of our community. It is totally an unrealistic rate increase and I urge you to reject their application for the Center Ridge water district increase.

Thank You,

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