


Dear Mr. Gabhart :

Your comments have been received and will be placed into the case file for the commission's consideration as it deliberates in this matter. For your reference, the case number in this matter is 2007-00134. Please reference this number in any future correspondence with the PSC.
Thank you for your interest.

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Dear PSC Members,

I am writing to express my support for Kentucky American Waters proposal to tap into Ky River pool 3 and construct a treatment facility and pipeline back to northern Fayette County where it will tie in with the existing infrastructure. I realize there are other options, chief among them a pipeline from Louisville Water and Jefferson County along I-64, but I would ask that you seriously consider KAW's proposal as the more viable alternative.

I will readily admit I am neither a civil engineer nor a public policy expert. I am a retired military man who now makes his living as a logistical planner and project manager. As such, I can't imagine that this is a very difficult decision. Given the choice between two options:

- one involving a treatment facility that will benefit central KY, have a shorter pipeline, and solve Central Ky's problems for years to come while empowering the local water company: to solve their customers problems;

or

- a much longer pipeline that will take many more years to construct while NOT adding a treatment facility and making Central Ky dependant upon Louisville's Water company and thereby undermining KAW as Central Ky's water supplier;

I don't need much prompting to cast my support for the logical choice. While I feel confident that there are many more issues than the few I've mentioned, I have a hard time believing that KAW's proposal isn't the best for all concerned. I ask that you weigh your options carefully before rendering a decision and that you make the decision based on common sense and the future needs of Central KY. This decision will impact people for years to come and should not be taken lightly.

Please don't hesitate to contact me should you have any questions about this email, its content or my reasons for expressing myself.

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Sincerely,

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