

2008-00431

EAST CLARK COUNTY WATER DISTRICT  
P.O. BOX 112 – WINCHESTER, KENTUCKY 40302

Ms. Stephanie Stumbo  
Kentucky Public Service Commission  
211 Sower Blvd.  
P.O. Box 615  
Frankfort, KY 40602

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PUBLIC SERVICE  
COMMISSION

RE: APPLICATION FOR NONRECURRING CHARGE INCREASE

Dear Ms. Stumbo:

The East Clark County Water District ("East Clark") is requesting the PSC approve the nonrecurring charges listed herein. In support of its application, East Clark states:

- Cost justification forms are included and show a full description of the equipment or service provided. The proposed rates cover incremental costs and a reasonable contribution to overhead. A full description of each charge is set out in East Clark's tariff on file with the PSC. Further, East Clark will file a new tariff if and when the proposed nonrecurring charges are approved which will set out an explanation of each charge.
- A copy of the notice that will be filed in the newspaper along with verification from the newspaper that the notice will be published for three (3) consecutive weeks is included in this application.
- A copy of this application has been filed with the Office of the Attorney General, Rate Intervention Division.
- East Clark has not filed a general rate case since 1998 due to growth in the county. Since that time, the costs of performing the services associated with the nonrecurring charges listed herein have drastically increased. East Clark has reviewed its income and expenses and does not require a general rate case at this time. East Clark cannot absorb the expenses associated with the nonrecurring charges until its next general rate case.
- The group of customers affected by the increase in nonrecurring charges will be the customers who cause East Clark to incur the expense. It is unfair for all customers to absorb the cost East Clark must incur due to a specific customer.

Ms. Stumbo  
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- A copy of the utility's income statement and balance sheet for 2007 is on file with the PSC.
- The additional revenue will not exceed five (5) percent of the total revenues provided by all miscellaneous and non-recurring charges for 2007.
- East Clark has not made more than 2 non-recurring filings between its last general rate case.

Should the PSC require additional information, please contact William Ballard, Manager of East Clark.

Sincerely,

  
Chairman  
East Clark County Water District

## NOTICE

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FOR East Clark County, Kentucky  
Community, Town or City

P.S.C. KY. NO. 1

First Revised SHEET NO. 7

CANCELING P.S.C. KY. NO. 1

Original SHEET NO. 7

East Clark County Water District  
(Name of Utility)

RULES AND REGULATIONS

E. SPECIAL NON-RECURRING CHARGES:

Connection/Turn-on Charge	30.00
Turn on After Hours	95.00
Field Collection	30.00
Damage to Meter Lid	Actual Cost
Meter Relocation	Actual Cost
Late Payment	10%
Meter Reread	30.00
Meter Reread After Hours	95.00
Meter Test	55.00
Reconnect Charge	55.00
Reconnection After Hours	100.00
Service Call/Investigation	30.00
Service Call/After Hours	95.00
Returned Check	25.00

Regular working hours for maintenance staff is 8:00 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. excluding holidays. Maintenance staff is guaranteed to be paid for a minimum of 3 hours for all after hour's work.

DATE OF ISSUE 9/30/2008  
Month / Date / Year

DATE EFFECTIVE \_\_\_\_\_  
Month / Date / Year

ISSUED BY Fred Farmer  
(Signature of Officer)

TITLE Chairman

BY AUTHORITY OF ORDER OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
IN CASE NO. \_\_\_\_\_ DATED \_\_\_\_\_

## NONRECURRING CHARGE COST JUSTIFICATION

Type of Charge: Connection/Turn On, Field Collection, Meter Reread,  
Service Call

1. Field Expense:

A. Materials (Itemize)

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

B. Labor (Time and Wage)

1 hr. @ 19.00 \$19.00

**Total Field Expense** \$ 19.00

2. Clerical and Office Expense

A. Supplies \$ 1.00

B. Labor \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Clerical and Office Expense**

3. Miscellaneous Expense

A. Transportation \$ 10.00

**Total Miscellaneous Expense** \$ 10.00

**Total Nonrecurring Charge Expense** \$ 30.00  
**USE:** 30.00

## NONRECURRING CHARGE COST JUSTIFICATION

Type of Charge: Connection/Turn On After Hours, Meter Reread After Hours, Service Call After Hours

1. Field Expense:

A. Materials (Itemize)

<hr/>	\$ <hr/>
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B. Labor (Time and Wage)

<u>3.0 hours @ \$27.00</u>	<u>81.00</u>
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<b>Total Field Expense</b>	<b>\$ <u>81.00</u></b>
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2. Clerical and Office Expense

A. Supplies	\$ <u>1.00</u>
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B. Labor	<u>3.00</u>
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**Total Clerical and Office Expense**

3. Miscellaneous Expense

A. Transportation	\$ <u>10.00</u>
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B. Other (Itemize)

<b>Total Miscellaneous Expense</b>	<b>\$ <u>10.00</u></b>
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<b>Total Nonrecurring Charge Expense</b>	<b>\$ <u>95.00</u></b>
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<b><u>USE:</u></b>	<b><u>95.00</u></b>
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## NONRECURRING CHARGE COST JUSTIFICATION

Type of Charge: Meter Test, Reconnection Charge

1. Field Expense:

A. Materials (Itemize)

<hr/>	\$ <hr/>
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B. Labor (Time and Wage)

<u>1.5 hours @ \$19.00</u>	<u>28.50</u>
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<b>Total Field Expense</b>	<b>\$ <u>28.50</u></b>
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2. Clerical and Office Expense

A. Supplies	\$ <u>1.00</u>
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B. Labor	<u>12.00</u>
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<b>Total Clerical and Office Expense</b>	<b><u>13.00</u></b>
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3. Miscellaneous Expense

A. Transportation	\$ <u>15.00</u>
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B. Other (Itemize)

<b>Total Miscellaneous Expense</b>	<b>\$ <u>15.00</u></b>
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<b>Total Nonrecurring Charge Expense</b>	<b>\$ <u>56.50</u></b>
<b><u>USE:</u></b>	<b><u>55.00</u></b>

## NONRECURRING CHARGE COST JUSTIFICATION

Type of Charge: Reconnection After Hours

1. Field Expense:

A. Materials (Itemize)

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

B. Labor (Time and Wage)

3 hrs. @ 27.00 \$81.00

**Total Field Expense** \$ 81.00

2. Clerical and Office Expense

A. Supplies \$ 1.00

B. Labor 5.00

**Total Clerical and Office Expense**

3. Miscellaneous Expense

A. Transportation \$ 15.00

**Total Miscellaneous Expense** \$ 15.00

**Total Nonrecurring Charge Expense** \$ 102.00  
**USE:** 100.00



**NONRECURRING CHARGE COST JUSTIFICATION**

Type of Charge: Returned Check

1. Field Expense:

A. Materials (Itemize)

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

B. Labor (Time and Wage)

\_\_\_\_\_

**Total Field Expense** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

2. Clerical and Office Expense

A. Supplies \$ \_\_\_\_\_

B. Labor 1 hr @ \$15.00 15.00

**Total Clerical and Office Expense**

3. Miscellaneous Expense

A. Transportation \$ \_\_\_\_\_

B. Other - Bank Chg 10.00

**Total Miscellaneous Expense** \$ 25.00

**Total Nonrecurring Charge Expense** \$ 25.00  
USE: 25.00

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

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D. METER CONNECTION/TAP-ON CHARGES:

5/8 Inch X 3/4 Inch \$907.00

All Larger Meters Actual Cost

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ISSUED BY Ked Harris  
(Signature of Officer)

TITLE Chairman

BY AUTHORITY OF ORDER OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
IN CASE NO. \_\_\_\_\_ DATED \_\_\_\_\_

AVERAGE METER CONNECTION EXPENSE  
COST JUSTIFICATION

Name of Utility EAST CLARK COUNTY WATER DISTRICT

The following is an itemization of expenses for providing a metered service connection.

**A. Meter Size**

5/8-Inch     3/4-Inch     1-Inch     1 1/2-Inch     2-Inch

Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**B. Materials Expense**

	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Unit Cost</u>	<u>Total Cost</u>
1. Water Meter	_____	\$ _____	\$ <u>98</u>
2. Meter Yoke	_____	_____	<u>139</u>
3. Corporation Stop	_____	_____	<u>22.50</u>
4. Meter Box and Top	_____	_____	<u>54</u>
5. Miscellaneous Fittings	_____	_____	<u>10</u>
6. Other (Itemize) <i>saddle &amp; pressure reducer</i>	_____	_____	<u>74</u>
<b>Total Materials Expense</b> (add total cost)			<b>\$ <u>397.50</u></b>

**C. Service Pipe Expense**

Type of Service Pipe POLY Size of Service Pipe 3/4"

	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Unit Cost</u>	<u>Total Cost</u>
1. Short Side Service	<u>8</u>	<u>\$ .28</u>	<u>\$ 2.24</u>
2. Long Side Service	<u>40</u>	<u>.68</u>	<u>27.20</u>
<b>Average Cost</b> (Add total cost and divide by 2)			<u>\$ 14.72</u>

**D. Installation Expense**

Labor

	<u>Total Hours</u>	<u>Hourly Rate</u>	<u>Total Cost</u>
1. Short Side Service	<u>3</u>	<u>\$30</u>	<u>\$ 90</u>
2. Long Side Service	<u>6</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>240</u>
<b>Average Cost</b> (Add total cost and divide by 2)			<u>\$ 165</u>

Equipment

	<u>Total Hours</u>	<u>Hourly Rate</u>	<u>Total Cost</u>
1. Short Side Service	<u>2</u>	<u>\$45</u>	<u>\$ 90</u>
2. Long Side Service	<u>6</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>330</u>
<b>Average Cost</b> (Add total cost and divide by 2)			<u>\$ 210</u>

Installation Expense continued

	<u>Total Hours</u>	<u>Hourly Rate</u>	<u>Total Cost</u>
1. Inspection	<u>1</u>	<u>\$ 40</u>	<u>\$ 40</u>
2. Site Clean-up	<u>1</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>60</u>
3. Other (Itemize)	<u>      </u>	<u>      </u>	<u>      </u>
<b>Total Miscellaneous</b> (add total cost)			<u>\$ 100</u>

E. Overhead Expense

1. Installation expense (\$ \_\_\_\_\_) times overhead rate ( \_\_\_\_\_ %) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

F. Administrative Expense

1. Office expense for establishing a new account and billing record. \$ 20

G. Total Expense

1. Total of all items:

Materials Expense	<u>\$ 397.50</u>
Service Pipe Expense	<u>14.72</u>
Installation Labor Expense	<u>165</u>
Installation Equipment Expense	<u>210</u>
Equipment Expense	<u>100</u>
Miscellaneous Expense	<u>      </u>
Overhead Expense	<u>      </u>
Administrative Expense	<u>20</u>
<b>Total Connection Expense</b>	<u>\$ 907.22</u>

USE :

907

**EAST CLARK COUNTY WATER DISTRICT  
P.O. BOX 112  
WINCHESTER, KY 40392  
(859-745-1458)**

September 25, 2008

Office of the Attorney General  
700 Capital Avenue Suite 118  
Frankfort, KY 40601

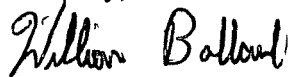
Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find a copy of the application filed with Public Service Commission to increase our nonrecurring charges.

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We appreciate your assistance.

Sincerely,



William Ballard, Manager  
East Clark County Water District

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September 30, 2008  
October 7, 14, 2008

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