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MR. JEFF DEROLIEN,

I'M WRITING TO PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN REGARDS TO A NOTICE OF WATER RATE INCREASE FOR CENTER RIDGE WATER DISTRICT, INC. OF NEW CONCORD, KY. THE RATE INCREASE WILL CONSTITUTE A 39.6% INCREASE OVER THE JAN. 1<sup>ST</sup> 2011 RATE. MR WILLIAM DUNCAN OWNS CENTER RIDGE WATER DISTRICTS 1, 2 AND 3. ONE IN DEXTER, KY. ABOUT 35 MILES FROM KENIAMA AND PINE BLUFF SHORES. DO RECEIPTS OF WORK DONE STIPULATE WHICH WATER DISTRICT WAS ACTUALLY BENEFITED? I MOVED TO KENIAMA SUBDIVISION IN JULY OF 1972 AND I CAN HONESTLY SAY NOTHING HAS IMPROVED OVER THE PAST 39 YEARS. WATER PRESSURE IS THE SAME, I KNOW OF NO WATER LINES THAT HAVE BEEN TAKEN OUT AND REPLACED OTHER THAN TO REPAIR A LEAK, AND WE ONLY PAID \$60 YEARLY FOR WATER! NOW I'M PAYING \$321<sup>98</sup> AND CAN'T SEE ANYTHING THAT WOULD BE EVEN REMOTELY CLOSE TO JUSTIFYING THAT KIND OF RATE INCREASE! IT'S RIDICULOUS AND ASSININE NOT TO MENTION PLACING A HARDSHIP ON SOME WHO ARE ALREADY DEPENDING ON FOOD STAMPS JUST TO SURVIVE FROM ONE MONTH TO THE NEXT.

WHAT PROBLEMS WITH CENTER RIDGE WATER DISTRICT #3 HAVE ARISEN THAT ENTITLES A RATE INCREASE FROM \$230<sup>64</sup> A YEAR TO A STAGGERING \$321<sup>98</sup>?!?

I DONT HAVE INTERNET SERVICE SO I CANT GO ON A COMPUTER AND DELVE INTO ANYTHING, IT GOT TOO EXPENSIVE SO I HAD TO DROP IT

ONE MORE THING, SHOULD THE RATE INCREASE STAND, HOW CAN I BE SURE EVERY CUSTOMER IN ALL THREE DISTRICTS ARE BEING CHARGED THE SAME? NO FAVORITISM FOR FRIENDS, FAMILY AND CO-WORKERS?

I'M SORRY BUT MY SERVICE ISNT ANY BETTER NOW THAN WHEN I

WAS PAYING SIXTY DOLLARS A YEAR. A RATE INCREASE OF \$91<sup>34</sup> A YEAR SHOULD SHOW ME SOME TYPE OF IMPROVEMENT IN MY SERVICE.

WHEN THE ELECTRICITY GOES OFF WITHIN AN HOUR ALL WATER SUPPLY CEASES. IF MR. DUNCAN WAS USING THE INCREASE FOR A GENERATOR TO KEEP THE PUMP OPERATING DURING A POWER OUTAGE THAT MIGHT BE A VIABLE REASON FOR AN INCREASE, OTHERWISE I SAY NO!!

THANK YOU FOR TAKING THE TIME TO READ THIS LETTER.

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