

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT FILING OF)	CASE NO.
WEST MCCRACKEN COUNTY WATER DISTRICT)	2019-00223

ORDER

On June 27, 2019, West McCracken County Water District (West McCracken District) applied for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure.¹

Having reviewed the record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that:

1. West McCracken District purchases water from the Paducah Water Works (Paducah).
2. Paducah notified West McCracken District that its wholesale rate would increase from \$2.10 per 1,000 gallons to \$2.157 per 1,000 gallons, effective July 1, 2019. West McCracken District proposes to increase the water rates to its customers effective July 1, 2019, to reflect the increased cost of purchased water from Paducah.
3. West McCracken District proposed a purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.08 per 1,000 gallons in its application.
4. During the 12 months ended May 31, 2019, West McCracken District purchased 143,682,500 gallons of water from Paducah. During the same period, West

¹ KRS 278.015; 807 KAR 5:068.

McCracken District sold 106,064,468 gallons of water. The increase in the cost of purchased water is \$8,189.90, resulting in a purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.08 per 1,000 gallons.

5. The purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.08 per 1,000 gallons, as calculated in Appendix A to this Order, is fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved.

6. West McCracken District'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 by West McCracken District on and after July 1, 2019.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.08 per 1,000 gallons is approved.

2. The rates proposed by West McCracken District are approved.

3. The rates as set forth in Appendix B to this Order are approved for water service rendered by West McCracken District on and after July 1, 2019.

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

5. This case is hereby closed and removed from the Commission's docket.

By the Commission

ENTERED
JUL 23 2019
KENTUCKY PUBLIC
SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

A. H. Pinner
Executive Director *for* *Robert Pinson*

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APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2019-00223 DATED **JUL 23 2019**

	New Rate	Base Rate
Paducah		
Purchases in gallons	143,682,500	143,682,500
Wholesale rate	<u>\$2.157/1,000</u>	<u>\$2.10/1,000</u>
	\$309,923.15	\$301,733.25
Total	\$309,923.15	\$ 301,733.25
Increased water cost		\$ 8,189.90
Increased water cost		\$ 8,189.90
Divided by Gallons sold/1,000		<u>106,064,468</u>
Purchased water adjustment factor		\$ 0.0772 per 1,000 Gallons
		or \$ 0.08 per 1,000 Gallons

APPENDIX B

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2019-00223 DATED **JUL 23 2019**

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by West McCracken County Water District. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under the authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

Monthly Water Rates

All Water Usage

First 100,000 Gallons
Over 100,000 Gallons

\$7.08 Minimum Bill
5.04 Per 1,000 Gallons

Bulk Sales

\$7.59 Per 1,000 Gallons

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