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Dear Sirs.

This is a request of intervention on the proposed water rate increase. I am opposed to another rate increase. There was a rate increase implemented last year. To implement an increase of a needed utility during a national pandemic while unemployment rates are higher than ever, landlords are not permitted to evict, state- wide food assistance programs are in effect, it should be illegal and forbidden by local government.

The State of Kentucky has been declared by our governor as a state of emergency. It is not of high moral standard for a company that has a monopoly on a needed resource to take advantage of its customers during a crisis in order to profit and inflict even more hardships onto the residents of our county. It needs to be brought to Andy Beshear's attention of the immoral and greedy endeavors by your proposal.

Sincerely,

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