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From: Kevin and Kathy Bolger
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Persimmon Ridge Subdivision
Case: 2020-00290

Recently, we received a notice of a proposed rate increase in our sewer rate for Persimmon Ridge subdivision from our provider, Bluegrass Water Utility Operating Company, Inc. (Bluegrass Water). Our current rate is now \$35.00 per month. The proposed rate is \$96.14 per month, an increase of over 174%!

We understand that costs may go up periodically for capital improvements, but an increase this large is overburdening and unacceptable. Bluegrass Water Utility Operating Company, Inc. (Bluegrass Water) took over as our provider on September 30, 2019. Bluegrass Water stated in its purchase application that the rates for each utility initially will remain unchanged, but that it will eventually apply to the PSC for a unified rate for all their systems. Any changes in rates will have to be approved by the PSC.

We ask that the PSC deny this massive rate increase for all service areas as being excessive.

Sincerely,

Kathy and Kevin Bolger