## OWEN Electric

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public service COMMISSION
Jeff Derouen
Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
P. O. Box 615

Frankfort, KY 40602
Dear Mr. Derouen:
Please find enclosed a response to the Public Service Commission's Order dated August 5, 2009 in Case No 2009-00010.

Please contact me with any questions regarding this filing.
Respectfully submitted,

Rebecca Witt
SR VP, Corporate Services
Owen Electric Cooperative, Inc.
Enclosure

# COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION 

| In the Matter of: |  |
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| APPLICATION OF OWEN ELECTRIC | , |
| COOPERATIVE, INC. FOR AN ORDER | , |
| PURSUANT TO KRS 278.300 AND 807 KAR | , |
| 5:001. SECTION 11 AND RELATED SECTIONS, |  |
| AUTHORIZING THE COOPERATIVE TO | , |
| OBTAIN A LOAN UNDER THE RUS/COBANK | CO-LENDING PROGRAM NOT TO EXCEED |
| \$28,083,OOO AT ANY ONE TIME FROM | , |
| RURAL UTILITY SERVICE AND COBANK |  |

CASE NO. 2009-00010

RESPONSE TO ORDER IN CASE NO 2009-00010
Comes now Owen Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("Owen") in response to the Commission's Order in Case No. 2009-00010 dated August 5, 2009 requiring that Owen shall file with the Commission information regarding the loan that was obtained.

Owen received the first draw of the CoBank loan on August 4, 2011. Information relating to that draw was previously provided to the Commission.

Owen received a second draw of the loan on October 7, 2011. The principal amount of the second draw was $\$ 1,500,000$. Owen selected a thirty year maturity with a three (3) year fixed interest rate option for this loan. The interest rate for the 3 Year Fixed Option selected is 2.0104\%. Owen based its decision relating to the selection of this rate upon the savings it could achieve by taking advantage of historically low interest rates during the first 3 years of this loan payback period.

Attached is a schedule outlining the interest rate options Owen considered for this draw and the estimated savings obtained by selecting the 3 year option. At the end of the three year fixed period, Owen will evaluate the interest rate options available, and make a decision regarding what interest rate and period to select that will provide the maximum savings over the remaining life of the loan.


## OWEN ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

## INTEREST RATE ANALYSIS

## CASE NO. 2009-00010

LOAN TERM PRINCIPAL AMOUNT

30 Year Maturity
$\$ 1,500,000.00$

Loan date October 7, 2011

Total Interest Total savings of 3 year Expesne over 3 year fixed over alternate
INTEREST RATE

3 Year Fixed
5 Year Fixed
7 Year Fixed
10 Year Fixed
30 Year Fixed
2.0104\%
$2.5711 \%$
$3.2655 \%$
$3.8654 \%$
$4.8563 \%$

2012
2013 Jan-October 2014
Fixed Period option

| $\$$ | $5,026.00$ | $\$$ | $30,156.00$ | $\$$ | $30,156.00$ | $\$$ | $25,130.00$ | $\$$ | $90,468.00$ |  |  |
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| $\$$ | $6,427.75$ | $\$$ | $38,566.50$ | $\$$ | $38,566.50$ | $\$$ | $32,138.75$ | $\$$ | $115,699.50$ | $\$$ | $25,231.50$ |
| $\$$ | $8,163.75$ | $\$$ | $48,982.50$ | $\$$ | $48,982.50$ | $\$$ | $40,818.75$ | $\$$ | $146,947.50$ | $\$$ | $56,479.50$ |
| $\$$ | $9,663.50$ | $\$$ | $57,981.00$ | $\$$ | $57,981.00$ | $\$$ | $48,317.50$ | $\$$ | $173,943.00$ | $\$$ | $83,475.00$ |
| $\$$ | $12,140.75$ | $\$$ | $72,844.50$ | $\$$ | $72,844.50$ | $\$$ | $60,703.75$ | $\$$ | $218,533.50$ | $\$$ | $128,065.50$ |

