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Executive Director Public Service Commission P.O. Box 615 Frankfort, Kentucky 40602

RE: Purchase Water Adjustment

Dear Sir or Madam:

We were contacted by Mr. Beavers last week with questions about our Purchased Water Adjustment, Case NO. 2019-00223. During our conversation, Mr. Beavers stated that the Commission has requested additional information due to Water Loss vs Sales and Purchasing. After looking at the 2017 Annual Report, page 56 of 66, Line 21, it shows the Total Other Water Used was 23,543,000 gallons. This number is a combination of System Flushing and Fire Department use. Unfortunately, in order to maintain the water quality standard set by the Division of Water (DOW), this amount of flushing is necessary. WMWD maintains over 100 miles of water line that is sized to provide fire protection to the community residents. That being said, there are some over-sized lines in the system that have very few customers tied on. In order to stay in compliance with DOW, flushing is a necessity. Please let me know if you need any additional information.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office at 270-442-3337 or email westmccrackenwater@comcast.net

Sincerely.

April Reed-Warriner

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Superintendent