

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT)
FILING OF NORTH HOPKINS WATER) CASE NO. 2013-00073
DISTRICT

ORDER

On February 22, 2013, North Hopkins Water District (“North Hopkins”) applied for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure.¹

The Commission, having reviewed the record and being sufficiently advised, finds that:

1. North Hopkins purchases water from the city of Madisonville, Kentucky (“Madisonville”).
2. On March 1, 2013, Madisonville increased its wholesale water rate to North Hopkins from \$3.63 per 1,000 gallons to \$3.65 per 1,000 gallons.
3. North Hopkins increased its rates for service to its customers on March 1, 2013, to reflect the increased cost of its purchased water.
4. During the 12 months ending December 31, 2012, North Hopkins purchased 87,125,000 gallons of water and sold 71,342,220 gallons.
5. The increase in the cost of purchased water is \$1,742.50, resulting in a purchased water adjustment of \$0.02 per 1,000 gallons.

¹ KRS 278.015 and 807 KAR 5.068

6. The purchased water adjustment of \$0.02 per 1,000 gallons, as calculated in Appendix A to this Order, is fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved.

7. North Hopkins' proposed rates, which are set forth in Appendix B, are fair, just, and reasonable.

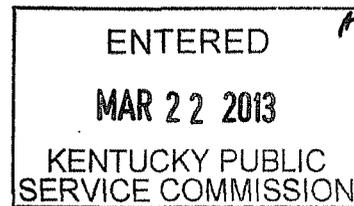
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. North Hopkins' proposed water adjustment of \$0.02 per 1,000 gallons is approved for water service rendered on and after March 1, 2013.

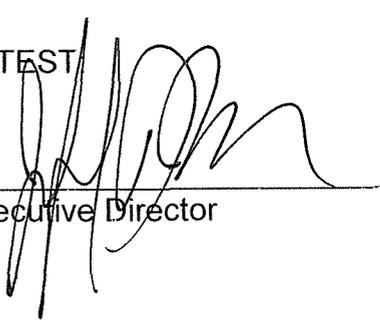
2. North Hopkins' proposed rates are approved.

3. North Hopkins' tariff sheet, submitted with its application, is approved as filed.

By the Commission



ATTEST



Executive Director

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2013-00073 DATED **MAR 22 2013**

	New Rate	Base Rate
North Hopkins Water		
Purchases in gallons	87,125,000	87,125,000
Volumetric rate	<u>\$ 3.65/1,000</u>	<u>\$ 3.63/1,000</u>
	\$318,006.25	\$316,263.75
Increased water cost		\$1,742.50
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Divided by gallons sold/1,000		<u>71,342,220</u>
		\$0.024
Purchased water adjustment factor		\$0.02 Per 1,000 Gallons

APPENDIX B

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2013-00073 DATED ~~MAR 22 2013~~

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

Monthly Water Rates

5/8-Inch Meter

First	2,000	gallons	\$ 23.40	Minimum bill
Next	2,000	gallons	11.40	per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000	gallons	9.05	per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000	gallons	7.90	per 1,000 gallons
All Over	10,000	gallons	6.10	per 1,000 gallons

3/4-Inch Meter

First	3,000	gallons	\$ 34.80	Minimum bill
Next	1,000	gallons	11.40	per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000	gallons	9.05	per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000	gallons	7.90	per 1,000 gallons
All Over	10,000	gallons	6.10	per 1,000 gallons

1-Inch Meter

First	5,000	gallons	\$ 55.25	Minimum bill
Next	2,000	gallons	9.05	per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000	gallons	7.90	per 1,000 gallons
All Over	10,000	gallons	6.10	per 1,000 gallons

1 1/2-Inch Meter

First	10,000	gallons	\$ 97.05	Minimum bill
All Over	10,000	gallons	6.10	per 1,000 gallons

2-Inch Meter

First	15,000	gallons	\$ 127.55	Minimum bill
All Over	15,000	gallons	6.10	per 1,000 gallons

3-Inch Meter

First	30,000	gallons	\$ 219.05	Minimum bill
All Over	30,000	gallons	6.10	per 1,000 gallons

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