

NOTARIZED PROOF OF PUBLICATION

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

COUNTY OF Franklin

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said county and state, this 19th day of November, 2012, came Rachel McCarty, personally known to me, who, being duly sworn, states as follows: that she is the Advertising Assistant of the Kentucky Press Service, Inc.; that she has personal knowledge of the contents of this Affidavit; that the newspapers shown on Attachment No. 1 to this Affidavit published the Notice of Public Hearing, on the dates shown thereon at the request of Kentucky Press Service, Inc. for Kentucky Utilities Company; that the form and content of the Notice submitted for publication to each paper is shown in Attachment No. 2 to this Affidavit; and that the Kentucky Press Service, Inc. has presented to Kentucky Utilities Company proof of these publications in the form of "tear sheets" for retention in its files. Said Notice pertains to the Public Hearing scheduled for November 27, 2012, as ordered by the Kentucky Public Service Commission in Case No. 2012-00221.

Rachel McCarty
Signature

Bonnie J. Howard
Notary Public
My Commission Expires: 9-18-16

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[Attachments: (1) List of publications and dates of publication; (2) sample published notice]

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Rachel McCarty Advertising Dept.

-List of newspapers running the Notice to Kentucky Utilities Company Customers. Attached tearsheets provide proof of publication:

Barbourville Mnt. Advocate: 11-8
Bardstown KY Standard 11-7
Bardwell Carlilse Co. News: 11-8
Bardwell Carlilse Weekly: 11-6
Beattyville Enterprise: 11-8
Bedford Trimble Banner: 11-7
Berea Citizen: 11-8
Brooksville Bracken Co.: 11-8
Brownsville Edmonson New: 11-8
Calhoun McLean Co. New: 11-8
Campbellsville Central KY: 11-8
Carlisle Mercury: 11-7
Carrollton News Democrat: 11-7
Cave City Barren Progress: 11-8
Central City Leader News: 11-6
Central City Times Argus: 11-7
Clinton Hickman Co. Gaz: 11-6
Columbia Adair Progress: 11-8
Corbin Times Tribune: 11-8
Cumberland Tri City News: 11-7
Cynthiana Democrat: 11-8
Dawson Springs Progress: 11-8
Eddyville Herald Ledger: 11-7
Elizabethtown Hardin Inde: 11-8
Elizabethtown News Enter: 11-7
Falmouth Outlook: 11-6
Flemingsburg Gazette: 11-7
Florence Boone Recorder: 11-8
Frankfort State Journal: 11-7
Fulton Leader: 11-7
Georgetown Graphic: 11-8
Glasgow Daily Times: 11-7
Greensburg Record Herald: 11-7
Harlan Enterprise: 11-8
Harrodsburg Herald: 11-8
Hartford Ohio Co. Times: 11-7
Henderson Gleaner: 11-8
Hickman Courier: 11-8
Hodgenville Larue Herald: 11-7
Hopkinsville KY New Era: 11-7
Irvine Citizen Voice Times: 11-8
Irvine Estill Co. Tribune: 11-7
Lagrange Oldham Era: 11-8
Lancaster Central Record: 11-8
Lawrenceburg Ander. News: 11-7
Lebanon Enterprise: 11-7
Leitchfield News Gazette: 11-7
Leitchfield Record: 11-8
Lexington Herald Leader: 11-7
Liberty Casey Co. News: 11-7
London Sentinel Echo: 11-7
Louisville Courier Journal: 11-7
Madisonville Messenger: 11-7
Manchester Enterprise: 11-8
Marion Crittenden Press: 11-8
Maysville Ledger Indep: 11-7
Middlesboro Daily News: 11-8
Morehead News: 11-6
Morganfield Union Co.: 11-7
Mt. Sterling Advocate: 11-8
Mt. Vernon Signal: 11-8
Munfordville Hart Co. News: 11-8
New Castle Henry Co. Local: 11-7
Nicholasville Jessamine: 11-8
Owensboro Messneger Inq: 11-8
Owenton News Herald: 11-7
Owingsville Bath Outlook: 11-8
Paducah Sun: 11-7
Paris Bourbon Citizen: 11-7
Pineville Sun: 11-8
Princeton Times Leader: 11-7
Providence Journal Enter: 11-8
Richmond Register: 11-7
Robertson Co. News: 11-8
Russell Springs Times: 11-8

Sebree Banner: 11-8
Shelbyville Sentinel News: 11-7
Shepherdsville Pioneer: 11-7
Smithland Livingston Ledger: 11-7
Somerset Commonwealth: 11-7
Springfield Sun: 11-7
Stanford Interior Journal: 11-8
Sturgis News: 11-7
Taylorsville Spencer Magnet: 11-7
The Advocate Messenger: 11-7
Three Forks Tradition: 11-7
Versailles Woodford Sun: 11-8
Warsaw Gallatin News: 11-7
Whitley City McCreary Record: 11-6
Whitley City McCreary Voice: 11-8
Wickliffe Advance Yeoman: 11-7
Williamsburg News Journal: 11-7
Williamstown Grant Co. News: 11-8
Winchester Sun: 11-7

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Public Service Commission of Kentucky issued an order on September 20, 2012, scheduling a hearing to be held on November 27, 2012, at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, in Hearing Room 1 of the Commission's offices located at 211 Sower Boulevard in Frankfort, Kentucky, for the purpose of cross-examining witnesses of Kentucky Utilities Company ("KU") and Intervenor in Case No. 2012-00221, which is the Application of KU for an Adjustment of Its Electric Rates.

**KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY
220 West Main Street
Louisville, Kentucky**