

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF THE ADAIR)
COUNTY WATER DISTRICT TO ISSUE)
SECURITIES IN THE APPROXIMATE PRINCIPAL)
AMOUNT OF \$5,405,000 FOR THE PURPOSE)
OF REFUNDING CERTAIN OUTSTANDING) CASE NO. 2020 - 00148
OBLIGATIONS OF THE DISTRICT PURSUANT)
TO THE PROVISIONS OF KRS 278.300 AND)
807 KAR 5:001)

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RESPONSE TO COMMISSION STAFF'S INITIAL REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

The Applicant, Adair County Water District d/b/a Columbia/Adair Utilities District (the "District"), by Counsel, files this Response to the June 18, 2020 Commission Staff's Initial Request for Information set forth below.

The witness responsible for responding to all of the questions is: Mr. Lenny Stone, General Manager, Adair County Water District d/b/a Columbia/Adair Utilities District.

Request No. 1. Refer to Adair District's 2018 Annual Report, page 57, line 21, Total Other Water Used, lists 126,061,000 gallons, which equates to 17.94 percent of the water produced by Adair District.

(a). Provide a detailed explanation how the amounts were determined for each of the categories listed as Other Water Used.

Response No. 1(a). Utility/Water Treatment Plant (line 16) and Wastewater Plant (line 17): The Water Treatment Plants and Wastewater Plant both have meters that meter the amount of water that flows through both plants daily. System Flushing (line 18): This is determined by metering the water that is flushed through the master meters. Line breaks are determined the same way - the master meters are read daily and we subtract any flushing that may have occurred and determine how much would be attributed to any line breaks. Fire Department (line 19): Each fire department in the County submits a report each month on how much water they use for fighting fires, filling tanks, etc. Other (line 20): This figure is the total of Unaccounted Water minus Fire Department minus line breaks plus adjustments.

Request No. 1(b). Provide copies of all documents relied upon to support the amounts of water usage for each of the categories listed as Other Water Used.

Response No. 1(b). The Master Meter Readings/Usage reports, the 2018 Water Loss Report and Monthly Water Use Reports are being filed with this Response.

Request No. 1(c). In the event that any of the usage is estimated, provide the basis for the amount of the estimate.

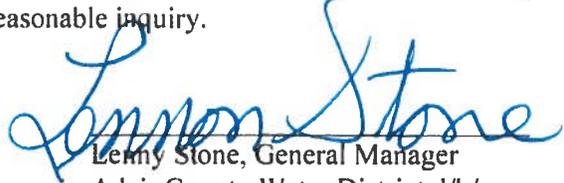
Response No. 1(c). Please see the Response to Request No. 1(a).

Request No. 1(d). Provide an explanation of Adair District's high volume of system use.

Response No. 1(d). The bulk of the "other water used" is for system flushing which is necessary for the operation of the System, including required cleanings of the equipment.

Verification of Response to Commission Staff's Initial Request for Information

The undersigned, Lenny Stone, being duly sworn, deposes and states that he is the General Manager of the Adair County Water District d/b/a Columbia/Adair Utilities District and that he has personal knowledge of the matters set forth in the Responses for which he is identified as the witness, and the answers contained in said Responses are true and accurate to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.


Lenny Stone, General Manager
Adair County Water District d/b/a
Columbia/Adair Utilities District

SUBSCRIBED, SWORN TO AND ACKNOWLEDGED before me by Lenny Stone, General Manager of the Adair County Water District d/b/a Columbia/Adair Utilities District, on this June 24, 2019.

My Commission expires: 9-12-2020.


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8, hereby certifies that Adair County Water District d/b/a Columbia/Adair Utilities District's electronic filing of the foregoing Response is a true and accurate copy of the same document being filed in paper medium; that the electronic filing was transmitted to the Kentucky Public Service Commission on June 24, 2020; that there are currently no parties that the Kentucky Public Service Commission has excused from participation by electronic means in this proceeding; and that within 30 days following the end of the state of emergency announced in Executive Order 2020-215, this Response in paper medium will be delivered to the offices of the Kentucky Public Service Commission in Frankfort, Kentucky.



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