


Western Mason Water District

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Ms. Linda Bridwell
Executive Director
Public Service Commission
211 Sower Blvd
Frankfort, KY 40601

RE: Case No. 2023-00182
Western Mason Water District
Alternative Rate Filing Application Revised for 2022 Test Year

Dear Ms. Bridwell:

Enclosed for filing in the referenced case is Western Mason Water District's revised application for an adjustment to its water rates. This ARF Application is being filed pursuant to 807 KAR 5:076 and uses calendar year 2022 as the test year with appropriate adjustments to normalize revenues and expenses.

The proposed rate increase is primarily due to the inclusion of depreciation expenses in the computation of the revenue requirement. Depreciation expenses have not been recovered in previous rates. Because of the substantial size of the proposed increase, we respectfully request that consideration be given to implementing the increase over multiple years.

Western Mason Water District has developed a five-year capital improvement plan for using these depreciation funds for investments to ensure reliable and sustainable operations based upon sound asset management practices.

The Attorney General's Office of Rate Intervention has also been provided a copy of this application by electronic mail.

My electronic mail address is wmwd@maysvilleky.net.

Sincerely,



David French
Manager