

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

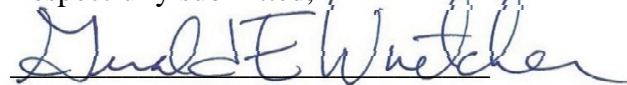
ELECTRONIC PURCHASED WATER)	
ADJUSTMENT FILING OF BIG SANDY)	CASE NO. 2025-00056
WATER DISTRICT)	

PROOF OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE

Pursuant 807 KAR 5:068, Section 5(3), Big Sandy Water District files proof of publication of notice of the authorized rates. A copy of the notice and publisher's affidavit is attached as Exhibit A. The notice appeared in the April 17, 2025 edition of the *Daily Independent*, a newspaper of general circulation in Big Sandy Water District's territory. Big Sandy Water District first issued bills reflecting the authorized rates on or about May 1, 2025.

Dated: May 7, 2025

Respectfully submitted,

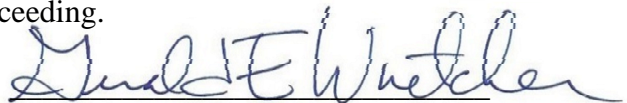


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

In accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8, and the Public Service Commission's Order of July 22, 2021 in Case No. 2020-00085, I certify that East Logan Water District's electronic filing of this Proof of Publication was transmitted to the Public Service Commission on May 7, 2025 and that there are currently no parties that the Public Service Commission has excused from participation by electronic means in this proceeding.



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EXHIBIT A

BIG SANDY WATER DISTRICT
OPERATION & MAINTENANCE
18211 KY-3
CATLETTSBURG KY 41129

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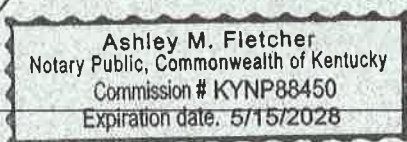
I, KIMBERLY PRATT, ADVERTISING COORDINATOR OF THE DAILY INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN ASHLAND, AND HAVING THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY NEWSPAPER IN THE BOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT FROM MY OWN KNOWLEDGE AND A CHECK OF THE FILES OF THIS NEWSPAPER THAT THE FOLLOWING ADVERTISEMENT WAS INSERTED IN THE DAILY INDEPENDENT.

SIGNATURE: Kimberly Pratt

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME BY THE ABOVE, THIS 17th DAY OF April, 2025

NOTARY PUBLIC Ashley M Fletcher

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES _____



COMMENTS	EXPIRED DATE	AD CAPTION	#TIMES	AMOUNT
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On March 1, 2025, Big Sandy Water District adjusted its rates by \$0.06 per 1,000 gallons to reflect the increase in its cost of purchased water due to the increase in the rates of the City of Ashland and Rattlesnake Ridge Water District for wholesale water service. On March 4, 2025, Big Sandy Water District applied to the Public Service Commission for approval of those adjusted rates. On April 2, 2025, the Public Service Commission approved the rates set forth below for service rendered on and after March 1, 2025.

	Present Rate	Proposed Rate	Change (\$)	Change (%)
5/8-Inch Meters				
First 1,000 Gallons	\$ 19.83 Minimum Bill	\$ 19.89 Minimum Bill	\$ 0.06000	0.03
Next 9,000 Gallons	0.01022 Per Gallon	0.01028 Per Gallon	\$ 0.00006	0.59
Next 10,000 Gallons	0.00696 Per Gallon	0.00702 Per Gallon	\$ 0.00006	0.86
Next 20,000 Gallons	0.00647 Per Gallon	0.00653 Per Gallon	\$ 0.00006	0.93
Over 40,000 Gallons	0.00619 Per Gallon	0.00625 Per Gallon	\$ 0.00006	0.97
1-Inch Meter				
First 10,000 Gallons	\$ 111.77 Minimum Bill	\$ 112.37 Minimum Bill	\$ 0.60000	0.54
Next 10,000 Gallons	0.00696 Per Gallon	0.00702 Per Gallon	\$ 0.00006	0.86
Next 20,000 Gallons	0.00647 Per Gallon	0.00653 Per Gallon	\$ 0.00006	0.93
Over 40,000 Gallons	0.00619 Per Gallon	0.00625 Per Gallon	\$ 0.00006	0.97
1 1/2-Inch Meter				
First 20,000 Gallons	\$ 181.32 Minimum Bill	\$ 182.52 Minimum Bill	\$ 1.20000	0.66
Next 20,000 Gallons	0.00647 Per Gallon	0.00653 Per Gallon	\$ 0.00006	0.93
Over 40,000 Gallons	0.00619 Per Gallon	0.00625 Per Gallon	\$ 0.00006	0.97
2-Inch Meter				
First 40,000 Gallons	\$ 310.63 Minimum Bill	\$ 313.03 Minimum Bill	\$ 2.40000	0.77
Over 40,000 Gallons	0.00619 Per Gallon	0.00625 Per Gallon	\$ 0.00006	0.97
3-Inch Meter				
First 100,000 Gallons	\$ 682.29 Minimum Bill	\$ 688.29 Minimum Bill	\$ 6.00000	0.88
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00619 Per Gallon	0.00625 Per Gallon	\$ 0.00006	0.97
4-Inch Meter				
First 200,000 Gallons	\$1,301.70 Minimum Bill	\$1,313.70 Minimum Bill	\$12.00000	0.92
Over 200,000 Gallons	0.00619 Per Gallon	0.00625 Per Gallon	\$ 0.00006	0.97
Wholesale Rate	0.00619 Per Gallon	\$ 0.00625 Per Gallon	\$ 0.00006	0.97

The approved rates will have the following effect on a customer's monthly bill:

Meter Size*	Average Monthly Usage	Current Monthly Bill	Adjusted Rates Monthly Bill	Increase (\$)	Change (%)
5/8-Inch Meter	3,700	\$ 46.43	\$ 47.65	\$ 1.22	2.62
1-Inch Meter	11,100	\$ 164.02	\$ 165.07	\$ 1.05	0.64
2-Inch Meter	4,100	\$ 310.63	\$ 313.03	\$ 2.40	0.77
3-Inch Meter	36,100	\$ 682.29	\$ 688.29	\$ 6.00	0.88
4-Inch Meter	307,000	\$1,964.03	\$1,982.45	\$18.42	0.94
* No customers currently take wholesale service.					

Big Sandy Water District has available for inspection at its office the application submitted to the Public Service Commission. The office is located at 18211 Kentucky Route 3, Catlettsburg, Kentucky 41129 and can be reached at (606) 928-2075. The Public Service Commission docketed Big Sandy Water District's application as Case No. 2025-00056. Any person may examine the record of that proceeding at the Public Service Commission's offices located at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., or through the Public Service Commission's Web site at <https://psc.ky.gov/Case/ViewCaseFilings/2025-00056>.

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