

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT)
OF WEST DAVIESS COUNTY) CASE NO. 2009-00152
WATER DISTRICT)

O R D E R

On April 10, 2009, West Daviess County Water District (“West Daviess”) 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. West Daviess purchases water from Owensboro Municipal Utilities (“Owensboro”).
2. Owensboro notified West Daviess that it will increase its wholesale water rate effective June 1, 2009. Owensboro’s wholesale water rate to West Daviess would increase from \$1.516 per 1,000 gallons to \$1.602 per 1,000 gallons. West Daviess proposes to increase the water rates to its customers effective June 1, 2009.
3. During the 12 months ending March 31, 2009, West Daviess purchased a total of 423,450,300 gallons of water from Owensboro and sold a total of 377,010,730 gallons of water. The increase in the cost of purchased water is \$36,416.73, resulting in a purchased water adjustment of \$0.10 per 1,000 gallons.

¹ KRS 278.015; 807 KAR 5:068.

4. A purchased water adjustment of \$0.10 per 1,000 gallons is fair, just, and reasonable.

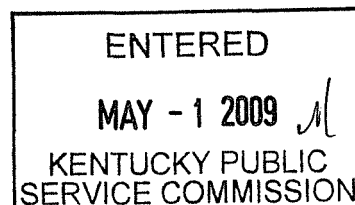
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. West Daviess' proposed rates are approved.

2. The purchased water adjustment increase of \$0.10 per 1,000 gallons as calculated in Appendix A is approved and the rates in Appendix B, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are fair, just, and reasonable and are approved for services rendered on and after June 1, 2009.

3. The proposed tariff sheets filed by West Daviess are accepted as filed.

By the Commission



ATTEST:



Executive Director

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2009-00152 DATED **MAY - 1 2009**

	New Rate	Base Rate
West Daviess Water District		
Purchases in gallons	423,450,300	423,450,300
Volumetric Rate	\$1.602/1,000	\$1.516/1,000
	\$678,367.38	\$641,950.65
Increased water cost		\$36,416.73
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Divided by gallons sold		<u>377,010,730</u>
Purchased water adjustment increase factor		\$0.10 per 1,000 gallons

APPENDIX B

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The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by West Daviess County 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" Meter

Customer Charge		\$1.49	per Month
First	20,000 gallons	3.44	per 1,000 gallons
Over	20,000 gallons	2.67	per 1,000 gallons

1" Meter

Customer Charge		\$3.73	per Month
First	20,000 gallons	3.44	per 1,000 gallons
Over	20,000 gallons	2.67	per 1,000 gallons

1 1/2" Meter

Customer Charge		\$7.46	per Month
First	20,000 gallons	3.44	per 1,000 gallons
Over	20,000 gallons	2.67	per 1,000 gallons

2" Meter

Customer Charge		\$14.93	per Month
First	20,000 gallons	3.44	per 1,000 gallons
Over	20,000 gallons	2.67	per 1,000 gallons

Wholesale Water Rates

McLean County Water District		\$2.36	per 1,000 gallons
Beech Grove Water Association		2.36	per 1,000 gallons

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