

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF SYMSONIA WATER)	
DISTRICT FOR APPROVAL OF A)	
CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE)	CASE NO.
AND NECESSITY FOR CONSTRUCTION)	2012-00517
OF WATER FACILITIES, FINANCING AND)	
INCREASED RATES FOR WATER AND)	
SEWER SERVICE)	

COMMISSION STAFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR INFORMATION
TO SYMSONIA WATER DISTRICT

Symsonia Water District ("Symsonia"), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, shall file with the Commission the original and eight copies of the following information, with a copy to all parties of record. The information requested herein is due on or before March 22, 2013. Responses to requests for information shall be appropriately bound, tabbed and indexed. Each response shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided.

Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

Symsonia shall make timely amendment to any prior response if it obtains information which indicates that the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect. For any request to which Symsonia

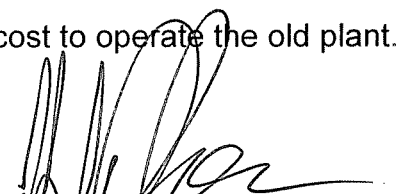
fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, Symsonia shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.

Careful attention should be given to copied material to ensure that it is legible. When the requested information has been previously provided in this proceeding in the requested format, reference may be made to the specific location of that information in responding to this request. When applicable, the requested information shall be separately provided for total company operations and jurisdictional operations.

1. List and describe all alternative construction projects that were considered.
2. Explain why the proposed construction project was selected.
3. Provide an explanation as to the need for the new plant versus the rehabilitation of the existing plant.
4. Explain the need for the new wells and the new 150,000-gallon ground storage tank.
5. State whether the emergency connection with the city of Benton will provide adequate water service to all Symsonia customers.
6. Refer to Item 13 of Exhibit 10. Provide a detailed breakdown of the first-year cost to operate the new plant in comparison with the cost to operate the old plant.

DATED MAR 07 2013

cc: Parties of Record



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