

Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)

From: PSC - Public Information Officer
Sent: Friday, May 31, 2013 12:06 PM
To: 'J D'
Subject: your comments in case 2012-00520 - Kentucky-American Water Co. request for rate adjustment

Dear Mr. Elliott:

Thank you for your comments regarding the rate increase proposed by Kentucky-American Water Co. Your comments will be placed into the case file for the Commission's review as it considers this matter. As you noted, the case number in this matter is 2012-00520. Please cite it in any future correspondence regarding this case so that your comments may be readily directed to the case file.

Thank you again for your interest.

Andrew Melnykovych

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By Kentucky Public Service Commission at 12:15 pm, May 31, 2013

From: J D [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, May 31, 2013 11:45 AM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer
Subject: 2012-00520

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am writing my **STRONG OPPOSITION** to the proposed 17.6 percent rate increase by Kentucky American Water in Fayette County. This amount is absurdly obscene and should be flatly rejected.

Kentucky American has repeatedly lied, manipulated, and strong-armed Lexington long enough. Do **NOT** approve of this request and tell Kentucky American to be a more respectful company.

NO NO NO to the increase!

Sincerely,

Eric Elliott
616 Price Avenue
Lexington, KY 40508

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From: PSC - Public Information Officer
Sent: Friday, May 31, 2013 12:07 PM
To: 'Sara Gibson-West'
Subject: your comments in case 2012-00520 - Kentucky-American Water Co. request for rate adjustment

Dear Ms. Gibson-West:

Thank you for your comments regarding the rate increase proposed by Kentucky-American Water Co. Your comments will be placed into the case file for the Commission's review as it considers this matter. As you noted, the case number in this matter is 2012-00520. Please cite it in any future correspondence regarding this case so that your comments may be readily directed to the case file.

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From: Sara Gibson-West [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, May 31, 2013 11:34 AM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer
Subject: 2012-00520

I am writing to state my opposition to the proposed 17.6 percent rate increase by Kentucky American Water in Fayette County. This amount is extreme and will harm families who struggle to pay their utility bills. There have been numerous rate increases in the last several years and it needs to be curbed by the PSC. This company needs to be fair to consumers who have no other water options in this county. Please protect the public in this matter.

Best,

Sara Gibson-West

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From: PSC - Public Information Officer
Sent: Friday, May 31, 2013 11:03 AM
To: 'Kevin & Laura Schoedinger'
Subject: your comments in case 2012-00520 - Kentucky-American Water Co. request for rate adjustment

Dear Ms. Schoedinger:

Thank you for your comments regarding the rate increase proposed by Kentucky-American Water Co. Your comments will be placed into the case file for the Commission's review as it considers this matter. As you noted, the case number in this matter is 2012-00520. Please cite it in any future correspondence regarding this case so that your comments may be readily directed to the case file.

Thank you again for your interest.

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From: Kevin & Laura Schoedinger [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, May 30, 2013 7:26 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer
Subject: case number (2012-00520)

Kentucky Public Service Commission,

I am one of the many Lexington residents that agrees one hundred percent with the views of Mayor Jim Gray in regards to the recent rate increase requested by American Water Works. Please don't take the low attendance at the meeting as a sign that people don't care about the rate increase. People are so busy working and taking care of their families that they can't take time to dispute every extra \$5 a month they have to deal with. Every expense we have is increasing while our salaries have been stagnant for some time now.

I truly believe when American Water Works stopped doing the billing for Lexington sewer fees, one of the reasons was so that their customers felt as if their water bill went down so that it would seem like less of an increase when they raised the rates. It was their choice to stop the service. Lexington now has to pay more to have another company do it and the water company complains about the lost revenue. Please don't make us pay twice for a decision that was out of our control.

You are the KENTUCKY public service commission. We need you to have the best interest of the people of Lexington, not a big New Jersey corporation that has a monopoly on a basic necessity of life.

Thank you for your consideration,
Laura Schoedinger