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RE: Case 2013-00258

Commissioners,

In the case of Classic Construction raising their sewage rates (2013-00258), I have a couple of comments to make. Costs are constantly rising, we all know that. My costs are rising, such as food, fuel, water, and taxes. I try to take them in stride just like everyone else. What is frustrating is the fact that in my last four years as a state employee, I got no raises. My wife, also a state employee, has not seen one in 6 years. We make the same money as we did in 2007 and we can't do anything about that. I'm certain that Classic Construction's costs have risen considerably since 2003. But they can mitigate this by raising their fees. We get the pleasure of supplying those increases.

I can only hope that the accounting wing of the PSC will go over Classic Construction's test year very carefully. It would be nice to know how much money went to real costs in some of their categories. I would also like to suggest picking a random test year between 2003 and 2011 just to provide a second set of numbers to work with. I think that 2 data points would be more favorable than one. I trust the true working values will be found by the PSC accounting folks.

In the end, I believe the PSC and the Attorney Generals Office will come to a reasonable agreement with Classic Construction that is Fair, Just, and Reasonable for all parties involved. I know that the job that you folks do is the fairest to both parties that can be obtained!

Thank you for your time and effort,

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