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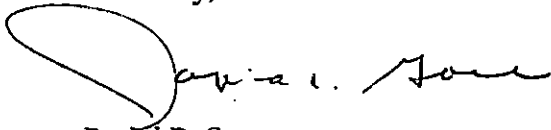
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Dear Sir/Madam:

The purpose of my letter is to protest the application from Kentucky-American Water Company filed on January 29, 2016, requesting a 15.2% increase of water service revenues. Individuals on fixed income won't be receiving a 15.2% increase in their social security or government benefits. Kentucky-American has a monopoly on delivering water to their customers and is free to set whatever increased rates they please since they have no competition.

I might understand a 5% or even 10% increase in water rates, but in my opinion, Kentucky-American's increase of 15.2% is ridiculous. They need to live within their means like the average American consumer and not pass rate increases on to their customers.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David R. Gore". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped initial "D".

David R. Gore