

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC SOUTHERN MADISON WATER)	
DISTRICT UNACCOUNTED-FOR WATER LOSS)	CASE NO.
REDUCTION PLAN, SURCHARGE AND)	2023-00070
MONITORING)	

COMMISSION STAFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR INFORMATION
TO SOUTHERN MADISON WATER DISTRICT

Southern Madison Water District (Southern Madison District), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, shall file with the Commission an electronic version of the following information. The information requested is due on September 26, 2023. The Commission directs Southern Madison District to the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085¹ regarding filings with the Commission. Electronic documents shall be in portable document format (PDF), shall be searchable, and shall be appropriately bookmarked.

Each response shall include the question to which the response is made and 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 the person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the

¹ Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-19* (Ky. PSC July 22, 2021), Order (in which the Commission ordered that for case filings made on and after March 16, 2020, filers are NOT required to file the original physical copies of the filings required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8).

response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

Southern Madison District shall make timely amendment to any prior response if Southern Madison District obtains information that indicates the response was incorrect or incomplete when made or, though correct or complete when made, is now incorrect or incomplete in any material respect.

For any request to which Southern Madison District fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, Southern Madison District shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.

Careful attention shall be given to copied and scanned 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. When filing a paper containing personal information, Southern Madison District shall, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(10), encrypt or redact the paper so that personal information cannot be read.

1. Refer to the water loss reports for April 2023 to July 2023 filed on August 24, 2023.

a. Explain why Southern Madison District chose to use a different method rather than the required Water Loss calculation form from the Utility Forms page on the Commission website.²

b. Provide the water loss percentages for April 2023 to July 2023 calculated by the using the Commission form identified above.

2. Refer to the surcharge account reports for April 2023 to July 2023 filed on August 24, 2023.

a. Confirm the surcharge funds collected so far have been deposited into a separate interest-bearing account.

b. Provide the bank statements from the separate interest-bearing account for April 2023 through July 2023 showing beginning monthly account balance, any deposits or withdrawals into the account, any interest collected for the account, and ending monthly account balance.

c. Provide the values for the surcharge funds billed, collected and deposits monthly for April 2023 through July 2023 using the Surcharge Reporting form from the Utility Forms page on the Commission website.³

² The report format is found at <https://psc.ky.gov/Home/UtilForms> under “Water Use & Loss Calculations (Excel format).”

³ The Surcharge Reporting form can be found at <https://psc.ky.gov/Home/UtilForms> under the Water tab.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'Linda C. Bridwell', written over a horizontal line.

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DATED SEP 07 2023

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