

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF THE VERIFIED)	
JOINT APPLICATION OF BLACK MOUNTAIN)	
UTILITY DISTRICT AND KENTUCKY-AMERICAN)	CASE NO.
WATER COMPANY FOR A DECLARATORY)	2026-00213
ORDER, OR, IN THE ALTERNATIVE, APPROVAL)	
OF THE TRANSFER OF CONTROL OF SEWER)	
ASSETS)	

COMMISSION STAFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR INFORMATION
TO KENTUCKY-AMERICAN WATER COMPANY

Kentucky-American Water Company (Kentucky-American), 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 4, 2026. The Commission directs Kentucky-American 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

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).

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.

Kentucky-American shall make timely amendment to any prior response if Kentucky-American 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 Kentucky-American fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, Kentucky-American 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, Kentucky-American 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 Application, page 3, Item 6. State whether Kentucky-American would charge the residents a fee for the operation cost of the septic tank if the Commission declares the Closplint cluster sewer system a non-jurisdictional sewer system. If yes, provide the fee amount.

2. Describe the following:

- a. Kentucky-American's technical ability and resources to manage and operate the Closplint cluster sewer system.
- b. Kentucky-American's financial ability and resources to manage and operate the Closplint cluster sewer system, including but not limited to, available funds, lines of credit, loans, grants, or other financial support.
- c. Kentucky-American's managerial ability and resources to manage and operate the Closplint cluster sewer system.


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