

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF KENTUCKY

IN RE: CITY OF AUGUSTA NATURAL GAS SYSTEM

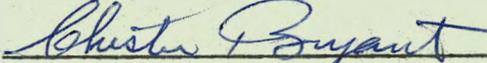
REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF \$ 4.50 RECONNECT CHARGE

1. A reconnect charge of \$ 4.50 will be made by the City to cover the expenses incurred in reconnecting the meter or service when:
  - a. Customer's gas service has been disconnected for non-payment of bills or for violation of the City's rules and regulations, and the customer has qualified for and requested the service to be reconnected.
  - b. Customer discontinues using gas and at any time within twelve (12) months thereafter resumes service at the same location.
  
2. The City of Augusta, still in the process of constructing it's natural gas system, has not had sufficient experience to determine accurately the costs incurred in reconnecting meters or service.

The area served is geographically similar to Maysville, Kentucky (approximately 18 miles east of Augusta), served by the Limestone Gas Company, the costs of materials, labor, supplies and density of population are also similar, as are freight, express and storage costs.

The limestone gas company has recently been allowed a "reconnect" charge of \$4.50 by the Public Service Commission,

WHEREFORE, it is prayed that a cost of \$4.50 for reconnecting services will be allowed.

  
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