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Chairman David Danner
Commissioner Jeff Golz
Commissioner Philip Jones
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: Rainier View Water Company, Inc. - UW-141363

Dear Commissioners,

At the Open Meeting of August 14, 2014, Chairman Danner asked me if I knew how many customers had reached the third usage block. I replied that I was not sure, but based upon my memory from a few years ago I thought it was a few hundred customers. That is not an accurate statement.

Looking at the 2013 data, specifically August (which is usually the peak month), there were 2,816 customers that were in the third block. That was significantly higher than what had been the case two years earlier. Of those 2,816, a 159 were non-residential customers.

Please note that these readings are based on a meter reading basis. That means for the non-residential customers, it is highly likely there are fewer than 159 non-residential customers affected since some non-residential customers have multiple meters.

I apologize for my faulty memory.

Richard A. Finnigan

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