## COMMENT FORM FOR: CAROL MARCIN - ID# 3040 **Consumer Information** Contact Method ■ Email ○ Mail ○ None Confidential ○ Yes ● No Comment Name CAROL MARCIN Organization Company Address ! City, State, EASTSOUND WASHINGTON 98245 Zip Code Email . Fax # Primary Phone # Secondary Phone # **Comment Information** Open Date 05/22/2007 Theme O Undecided Closed Date Filing Support O Yes No. Source ○ Email ○ Mail ○ Phone ● Web Web Create 05/20/2007 Date Pubilc Involvement John Cupp Lead Duplicate Comment ○ Yes ○ No Description If Washington Water is with holding purchase of Rosario Utilities awaiting rate increase - WHY? After purchase will they come back and ask for another increase the following year, since Rosario had asked for the increase. I think the WUTC should deny this increase, until after the Utility has been purchased. Then the WW can review the books & then come and ask for the rate increase. So we do not get d double hit. What makes us think that a rate increase should be granted based on Rosario's Financials especially when they acknowledge a lack of an ability to run a profitable company? After all the last rate increase was most certainly based on similar projections for costs & profitability - and they failed at running an efficient/profitable utility. So what make us think they can do it with this rate increase????? Will the new plant & higher rates finally accommodate the entire build out for all

Our proposed rates penalize the people who conserve & use less buy increasing their

Why not agree to an "all-in" rate based per gallon which includes operating expenses, growth & profit. This assures that what any party uses they pay a fair & equitable part

rates - mean while commercial & abuser rates are not as impacted??

residents & Resort expansion?

Useless payless Use more pay more

of the water.