



December 28, 2017

Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
ATTN: Mr. Steven V. King, Executive Director and Secretary
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW
P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: Request for Rate Review

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Records Management
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State Of WASH.
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COMMISSION

Dear Mr. King,

Please find enclosed our application for rate adjustments within the Northwest Water Services, LLC tariff. The rates have not been addressed since 2007 based on the previous water company owners of the systems this will affect. We are issuing the request December 29th, 2017 and requesting the Effective Date of the submission to be February 5, 2018. In this request for rate review is the following:

1. Notice to Customers.
2. Copy of our general ledger for the test period.
3. General Rate Case workbook.
4. New or altered tariff pages for the rates being changed and included in this filing:
 - a. Index Page
 - b. Rule 20 (Backflow Assembly Testing and Inspection) and Rule 21 (Credit/Debit Card Processing)
 - c. Rule 22 (Unauthorized Use of Service) and Rule 23 (Damage and Repairs Charge/ Service Visit)
 - d. Schedule No 1, Flat Rate
 - e. Schedule No 2, Metered Rate
 - f. Schedule No 3, Ready to Serve
 - g. Schedule No 8, Ancillary Charges.
 - h. Schedule No. 4 Connection Charges

The revenue impact of this filing, based on a 2016 test year, will be an annual increase of \$28,450, or 32% (approx. 3%/yr. over past 10 yrs.). The average customer bill would increase by \$9.30 per month based on our limited usage data. The revenue impact on each customer class affected is presented in an enclosed tabulation with supporting calculations, and is summarized as follows:

Metered Rate Service, 3/4 inch or smaller	\$9.30 (19%)
Metered Rate Service, 1 inch	No Prior customers



Un-Metered Rate Service	\$3.00 (7%)
Ready-to-Serve Service	(\$7.00) (-16%)

We appreciate your time and attention in this matter. We believe it is critical in order to support the systems we own and deliver the requirements of the regulatory bodies.

Sincerely,

Carol Rofkar & Kelly Wynn,
Owners, Northwest Water Services