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From: Pearson, Rayne (UTC)
Sent: Thursday, September 03, 2015 3:58 PM
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Hello,

Will you please file this in Consolidated Dockets UW-143617 and UW-150791? Thank you.

From: Robin Moeur [mailto:robinmo@outlook.com]
Sent: Thursday, September 3, 2015 8:23 AM
To: Pearson, Rayne (UTC) <rpearson@utc.wa.gov>
Cc: Shearer, Brett (UTC) <bshearer@utc.wa.gov>; cheri_thurston@msn.com; robert_thurston@msn.com; vvalpaugh@aol.com; jason@ynkr.org; Ward, Jim (UTC) <jward@utc.wa.gov>
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Judge Pearson

In response to your email yesterday, I wanted to share this email with you and the other parties in this matter.

Despite the earlier communication from Barry Loveless, Public Works Director City of Bainbridge Island (CoBI), regarding the inability of CoBI to provide water service for the Piper System customers, it appears that Doug Schulze, City Manager of Bainbridge Island is pursuing this matter with the CoBI City Council.

I have not yet received an update from Jason Nutsford, KPUD regarding the City Council decision. I am seeking the minutes of the City Council meeting to see if there may be relevant information there.

This will have bearing on any potential transfer. If we become obliged to CoBI for water service, then it would not be likely that we would want or need to accept transfer of the Piper System.

I realize this is being submitted outside of the hearing process, but it may have bearing on the ultimate transfer decision.

Regards-

Robin

From: jason@kpud.org
To: robinmo@outlook.com
Subject: FW: Crystal Springs Water District /Piper Water system
Date: Tue, 1 Sep 2015 20:42:28 +0000

Hello robin,

I have forwarded you an email that we received from Doug Schulze, with the City of Bainbridge Island, about the possibility of the City extending their water line as a possibility for the Piper community following the email conversation that you had with Barry Loveless.

I have called and am awaiting a return to my phone call on what this possibility means for the Piper community and how this could play out if the City was willing to extend the water main. I am unsure of the funding process and how much involvement the City would participate but I would hope to get clarification from Doug when we speak. I will be sending him an email as well and will cc you to keep you in the loop. I will call you today to discuss if you have a minute.

Regards,

Jason Nutsford

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From: Doug Schulze [<mailto:dschulze@bainbridgewa.gov>]
Sent: Wednesday, August 26, 2015 12:51 PM
To: Jason Nutsford; Bob Hunter
Cc: Barry Loveless
Subject: RE: Crystal Springs Water District /Piper Water system

Jason,

Public Works Director Barry Loveless has had some communications with Robin Moeur, but reports that Robin and the other homeowners on the Piper Water system have been opposed to making a change since they feel they've invested so much time working with KPUD. While I understand the position of the homeowners, I also consider this to be the appropriate time for the City water system to be extended rather than to continue operation of a small water system, which is inconsistent with the Washington Department of Health priority to consolidate water systems.

As you may know, the City of Bainbridge Island is currently in the process of updating our Comprehensive Plan, which includes policies related to the water and sanitary sewer systems on the island. Ideally, we would like to address these policies prior to making additional extension decisions. However, this specific water system appears to need attention before our Comprehensive Plan update will be completed. As such, I intend to bring this matter before the City Council in September to seek authorization for extension of the City system.

I have discussed this matter individually with members of the City Council and have received favorable feedback so, I believe there will be serious consideration given to extension of the City water system.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

Doug Schulze, ICMA-CM
City Manager

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