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MARCH 31, 2008
CASE NO. ISL-W-08-01
TO: ISLAND PARK WATER COMPANY, INC.

REF: YOUR LETTER DATED MARCH 25, 2008

TO WHOM IT MIGHT CONCERN:

IN YOUR LETTER YOUR ASKING FOR A RATE INCREASE OF 224 %, FROM $125 YR TO $280, THIS IS EXTREMELLY UN-FAIR TO A LOT OF PROPERT, OWNER'S. LET ME GIVE YOU AN EXAMPLE:
I OWN THE FOLLOWING: SHOTGUN VILLAGE ESTATES, DIVISION #5, BLOCK 23, LOTS 2 & 4. NO WATER ON LOT 2, A HYDRANT ON LOT 4. IN THE SUMMER I PUT OUR TRAVEL TRAILER ON LOT 4, 4044 CHEROKEE RD. MY WIFE AND I USE IT TUESDAY, WEDNSDAY, & THURSDAY EACH WEEK FROM JUNE, JULY, AND AUGUST EACH YEAR. THAT IS NOT MUCH TIME. AT $280 A YEAR THAT COMES TO $93.00 A MONTH FOR WATER FOR ONLY THREE DAYS A WEEK FOR THE MONTHS OF JUNE, JULY & AUGUST. I WOULD CONSIDER THIS ROBBERY.
AS YOU KNOW THERE ARE PEOPLE WHO LIVE THERE YEAR AROUND. AS AN EXAMPLE: THE HOUSE ON THE CORNER OF CHICKSAW DR AND MONTAUK DR, THEIR LOT SIZE IS APPROX 1.6 ACRES, MY LOT #4 IS .3 ACRES.

THE People WITH THE HOUSE & 1.6 ACRES OF GRASS RUN THEIR "RAIN-BIRDS" USING WATER ALL DAY AND NIGHT EVERY DAY DURING THE SUMMER, TO KEEP THEIR LAWN GREEN. THERE ARE NUMBEROUS People DOING THE SAME AND THAT live THERE year AROUND. I BELIEVE THE RATE INCREASE NEEDS TO Be PROPORTIONED FAIRLY. I would ACCEPT A SLIGHT INCREASE BUT NOT THE SAME RATE FOR year AROUNDERS.

YOURS TRULY

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