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Board of Commissioners
Public Utilities Commission
P. O. Box 83720
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Re: Rate Increase

Gentlemen:

I received a letter from the Spirit Lake Water Company, in which they advised that they are requesting a 110% increase in rates. I wish to lodge my objection to an increase of any more than about 5%. In as much as the present economy is quite depressed, some fifty million Americans are without work, anything more than 5% would be ludicrous and oppressive.

The present economy suggests that everyone is suffering in an effort to survive. Taking into consideration the fact that I appreciate Spirit Lake Water Company's need to receive permission to increase their income to help them through these times, anything more than 5% would be extremely destructive to their customers.

Please appreciate that we in the Spirit Lake complex are a captured cliental without options to switch to another supplier as well as being prohibited from digging wells and thus subject to an oppressive environment that puts us at the mercy of a company that has a monopoly.

Thank you for your consideration,

Sincerely



Anthony Mangan
Homeowner