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Jean Jewell

From: sbrocksome@cableone.net
Sent: Thursday, October 29, 2009 2:47 PM
To: Jean Jewell; Beverly Barker; Gene Fadness; Ed Howell
Subject: PUC Comment Form

A Comment from Stephen Brocksome follows:

Case Number: UWI-W-09-01
Name: Stephen Brocksome
Address: 5654 S. Kalmia
City: Boise
State: Idaho
Zip: 83716
Daytime Telephone: 208 331 7351
Contact E-Mail: sbrocksome@cableone.net
Name of Utility Company: United Water
Add to Mailing List:

Please describe your comment briefly:

The propose rate increase desired by United Water is at best, too much and provides little in the way of incresed service to existing customers. I live in Columbia Village. I pay an extra rate from April through mid October for 'peak water use'. United Water is the only irrigation I have for my property and for my residence. I cannot control the weather but I do try to conserve water as best I can. However for then to stat that the average annual bill is misleading. My bill for the spring and sumer monts exceeds two hundred dollars and most recently the bill through mid October was over \$130, the previous bill in excess of \$250.00. I don't get a 15% annual increase nor an average of 5% over three years. With the economy in the ditch, nowe in not the time for a substantial increase. I have served on thre Board of director and as President of the Columbia Village HomeOwners Association for over 10 years and am well versed in the difficulty surrounding water issues as the residents here pay for all water fo0r over 75 acres of common area. This does not include the Simplot Sports Complex. I think it is outrageous to seek a 15.21% increase citing, power, chemicals and depreciation. Neither I nor my 1750 neghbor's get any increase in customer service or added value for this requested the company's increase. Please deny this request or reduce it to a more reasonable amount like 3%. Thanks for your time.

Steve Brocksome

The form submitted on <http://www.puc.idaho.gov/forms/ipuc1/ipuc.html>
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Jean Jewell

From: skopke@msn.com
Sent: Thursday, October 29, 2009 1:29 PM
To: Jean Jewell; Beverly Barker; Gene Fadness; Ed Howell
Subject: PUC Comment Form

A Comment from Cathy Kopke follows:

Case Number: UWI-W-09-01
Name: Cathy Kopke
Address: 3576 S. Ticonderoga Way
City: Boise
State: ID
Zip: 83706-5656
Daytime Telephone: 342-7199
Contact E-Mail: skopke@msn.com
Name of Utility Company: United Water Idaho Add to Mailing List:

Please describe your comment briefly:

It is totally absurd for United Water to be asking for a 15.21% rate increase given the state of the economy. Working people cannot even get raises and this type of an increase is so out of line. I sincerely hope that this rate increase is rejected. Thank you for allowing one to respond.

The form submitted on <http://www.puc.idaho.gov/forms/ipuc1/ipuc.html>
IP address is 71.220.182.68

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Jean Jewell

From: JamesMatthewOrr@gmail.com
Sent: Friday, October 30, 2009 6:50 AM
To: Jean Jewell; Beverly Barker; Gene Fadness; Ed Howell
Subject: PUC Comment Form

A Comment from James Orr follows:

Case Number: UWI-W-09-01
Name: James Orr
Address: 1905 W Overland
City: Boise
State: ID
Zip: 83705
Daytime Telephone: 208-412-4434
Contact E-Mail: JamesMatthewOrr@gmail.com Name of Utility Company: United Water Add to
Mailing List: no

Please describe your comment briefly:

I would love to be able to have united water average my water bill throughout the year so that I have one consistent payment. I have this done through Idaho Power, and don't understand why you haven't approved it for United Water yet.

Thank you.

James

The form submitted on <http://www.puc.idaho.gov/forms/ipuc1/ipuc.html>
IP address is 71.220.182.88

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Jean Jewell

From: gbarton@alsco.com
Sent: Friday, October 30, 2009 4:30 AM
To: Jean Jewell; Beverly Barker; Gene Fadness; Ed Howell
Subject: PUC Comment Form

A Comment from AlSCO, Inc. follows:

Case Number: UWI-W-09-01
Name: AlSCO, Inc.
Address: 2254 E. Braniff St.
City: Boise
State: Idaho
Zip: 83716
Daytime Telephone: 208-343-6473
Contact E-Mail: gbarton@alsco.com
Name of Utility Company: United Water
Add to Mailing List: no

Please describe your comment briefly:

AlSCO believes that an water rate increase of 15.21% is very substantial. We understand all that United Water has invested in the infrastructure and technology but we also know that with such investments comes savings in labor as well as other savings. We do understand a rate increase. We are not denying that. We at AlSCO just believe that 15% is way too aggressive and if we put forth a 15% increase to our customers, we would lose at least half of our customer base.

The form submitted on <http://www.puc.idaho.gov/forms/ipuc1/ipuc.html>
IP address is 208.30.83.3
