11 January 2013

State of New Hampshire

Public Utilities Commission

21 Fruit St #10

Concord, NH 03301-2429

Re: DW 12-254

To whom it may concern,

We have been homeowners in Forest Edge since 1979. We have always paid our utilities, including water, promptly.

We, however, must object to the most recent proposal by Forest Edge Water Company to increase our rates by 41%. This is addition to a "temporary" proposed increase of 20%.

It is my experience that once a temporary increase is ratified or approved, it is very difficult to rescind or revoke. Further, the rate of the permanent increase is at least TEN times any cost of living or inflationary index used in everyday life.

We join our fellow Forest Edge residents in adamant opposition to these exorbitant and prohibitive rate increases.

Sincerely,

Renee Arakelian

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No Conway, NH 03860

cc: Bob DeFeyter