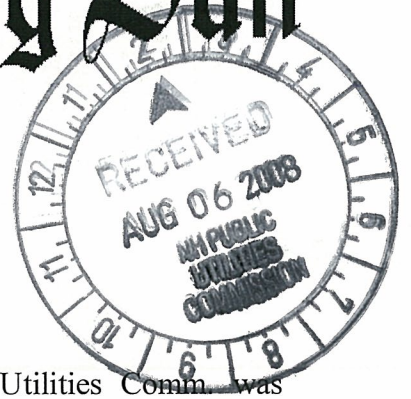


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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, ss.

Subscribed and sworn to by Diane Salazar,
This 5th day of August, 2008. Before me,

Notary Public

My Commission Expires April 9th, 2013

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC
STATEMENT HEARING
Pittsfield Aqueduct Company
Increase in Rates**

**August 7, 2008
6:00 p.m.**

**Kennett High School
409 Eagles Way
North Conway**

On May 2, 2008, Pittsfield Aqueduct Company (PAC) filed a petition with the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission (Commission) for temporary rates and for an increase in permanent rates. PAC currently provides water service to approximately 650 customers in Pittsfield and to approximately 1,109 customers in what PAC refers to as its North County systems: Birch Hill in Conway, Sunrise Estates in Middleton, and Locke Lake Colony in Barnstead.

PAC is requesting separate rates for its Pittsfield customers and for its North County customers. According to the petition, the proposed rate increases would result in an increase of \$181.76 to the average annual residential bill for Pittsfield customers and an increase of \$682.72 to the average annual residential bill for North County customers.

PAC requests temporary rates to take effect on June 1, 2008 on a service-rendered basis, or the date of which customers are notified, whichever is sooner. PAC proposes a 33.01 percent temporary rate increase from customers in Pittsfield and a 179.64 percent temporary rate increase from North County customers.

The Commission will hold a public statement hearing to receive comment on the proposed rates at the Kennett High School in North Conway on August 7, 2008 at 6:00 p.m.

Further information can be obtained by contacting the Commission at 1-800-852-3793 (NH only) or 603-271-2431.



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