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Aquarion Water Company's Responses to Staff Data Requests-Set 2

Data Request Received: September 26, 2012 Request No.: Staff 2-25

Date of Response: October 10, 2012 Witness: T. Dixon

- REQUEST: Aquarion has stated that its sales volume has declined and for temporary rates, Aquarion estimated the average annual residential ratepayer usage at 53,300 gallons, or 7,100 ccf. Please provide information documenting this decline such as a calculation of the average annual residential consumption for each of the past three years.
- RESPONSE: The average residential consumption takes the annual residential consumption divided by the year end residential customers. The table provided below illustrates the annual average residential consumption for the last five years.

	2007	2008	2009	2010	<u>2011</u>
Residential Consumption	483,835	440,067	411,267	451,899	428,762
Residential Customers	7,794	7,885	7,933	7,967	8,042
Consumption/Customers	62.1	55.8	51.8	56.7	53.3

