From: **Board of Directors** Orchard Hill Condo Association Belmont, NH 03220

To PUC of NH,

This letter is to inform PUC of NH that we strongly object to the proposed rate increase by Abenaki Water Company, Inc. due to the proposed consolidated rates in docket DW 20-112.

We are writing this to specifically state that we strongly object to the gouging from this private company that would result in the water service provided on Orchard Hill Rd in Belmont. We am also writing so that this letter will become part of the docket and our objection will be noted.

Abenaki Water Company, Inc. application to the PUC of NH for consolidation would result in an increase of 91.34 percent for water. This is the exact same water which regularly cause odors inside the units and, depending on the day, different colored slime to grow in the sinks. Being able to charge a captive customer the current rates is one issue. Being able to have the rates increase by 91.34 percent for the same water is totally unacceptable.

Sincerely, **Board of Directors** 

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