

STATE OF INDIANA

INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION)
OF BLOOMINGTON, INDIANA, FOR)
AUTHORITY TO ISSUE BONDS, NOTES,)
OR OTHER OBLIGATIONS, FOR)
AUTHORITY TO INCREASE ITS RATES) CAUSE NO. 44855
AND CHARGES FOR WATER SERVICE,)
AND FOR APPROVAL OF A NEW)
SCHEDULE OF WATER RATES AND)
CHARGES)

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP WATER AUTHORITY'S
NOTICE OF COMPLIANCE WITH IC 8-1-2-61.6(g)

Comes now Washington Township Water Authority (“Washington Township Water”), by counsel, and for its Notice of Compliance with IC 8-1-2-61.6(g) states:

1. Washington Township Water was formerly a not-for-profit public utility corporation but has been reconstituted as a “water authority” pursuant to IC 13-18-16-16 with its principal place of business located at 1100 East Chambers Pike, Bloomington, Indiana. Washington Township Water has the lawful power and authority to provide water utility service and does so in Washington, Bloomington, and Bean Blossom Townships of Monroe County, Indiana, and Baker and Washington Townships of Morgan County, Indiana. Washington Township Water provides water utility service to approximately 1,425 residential customers and 25 commercial and institutional customers. Washington Township Water purchases all of its water for resale from the City of Bloomington Water Utility (“Bloomington”).
2. On September 22, 2016, Bloomington petitioned the Commission for an increase in its water rates and charges, including the wholesale rates paid by Washington Township Water.

3. On September 28, 2016, Washington Township Water filed its Request for Simultaneous Water Tracker and Notice to Secretary of the Commission All Pursuant to IC 8-1-2-61.6 requesting approval of a wholesale water tracker to track the amount of Bloomington's rate increase, simultaneous with the approval of Bloomington's rate increase.
4. IC 8-1-2-61.6(g) requires that Washington Township Water file its Water Tracker Application to simultaneously track Bloomington's proposed increase within fourteen (14) days of the filing of Bloomington's case-in-chief, which was filed on September 22, 2016.
5. Washington Township Water filed its Water Tracker Application on October 5, 2016. A copy of Washington Township Water's Water Tracker Application as filed with the Commission is attached hereto.
6. Washington Township Water has complied with IC 8-1-2-61.6(g) and has now satisfied all applicable requirements of IC 8-1-2-61.6.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Mark W. Cooper
Mark W. Cooper, Attorney for
Washington Township Water Authority

Certificate of Service

I certify that a copy of the foregoing Notice of Compliance has been, on the 6th day of October, 2016, electronically served upon the following:

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October 5, 2016

Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission
101 W. Washington St., Ste. 1500 East
Indianapolis, IN 46204

RE: Washington Township Authority
Filing for Simultaneous Revision to Wholesale Water Cost Tracking Factor

This filing is being made on behalf of the Washington Township Water Authority (“Washington Township”) under the Commission’s Thirty-Day Administrative Filing Procedures and Guidelines pursuant to 170 IAC 1-6-1, *et seq.*, and IC 8-1-2-61.6. Washington Township’s wholesale water supplier, Bloomington Municipal Water Utility (“Bloomington”), has requested a rate increase for its wholesale rates under IURC Cause No. 44855. Please find enclosed, a verified Water Tracker Application proposing to simultaneously track Washington Township’s increase in purchased water cost resulting from the Bloomington increase to be approved in Cause No. 44855, together with the copy of the Corporation Resolution approving the same, and as Exhibit 1 an original and three (3) copies of the filing, including revisions to Washington Township’s Tariff for Water Service Appendix A reflecting the revised proposed changes, and work papers showing the current proposed wholesale water costs supporting the requested water tracking rate.

Washington Township affirms that it is providing notice pursuant to 170 IAC 1-6-6. Specifically, a notice regarding the filing is attached hereto as Exhibit 5 and will provide proof of publication as it receives them.

The filing is an allowable request under 170 IAC 1-6-1, *et seq.*, because it is a change in its wholesale water rate paid to Bloomington, is across-the-board, and does not reflect an increase by Washington Township other than in costs from its wholesale supplier.

Any questions concerning this submission should be directed to Bonnie Mann, who can be contacted at the address below or Bonnie.Mann@lwgcpa.com

Sincerely,



Bonnie Mann, CPA

cc: Mark Schmitter, Manager, Washington Township Water Authority
Mark Cooper, Attorney for Washington Township Water Authority

Certified Public Accountants

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Washington Township Water Authority
Water Tracker Application

Verified Statement in Support of Change in Schedule of Rates

1. *Kenny Bryant, Water Board President*, under and pursuant to the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission Act, as amended, hereby files with the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission, an *increase* in its schedule of rates for water sold in the amount of \$0.52 per 1,000 gallons.
2. The accompanying changes in the schedule of rates are based solely upon the change in the cost of water purchased by this utility computed in accordance with 170 IAC 6-5-1.
3. All of the matters and facts stated herein and in the attached exhibits are true and correct. The rate changes shall take effect for the next practical consumption period following final approval by the Commission

By: Kenny L. Bryant
[Signature] - President

State of Indiana)
 County of MONROE)

Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, this 4th day of OCTOBER, 2016, KENNY BRYANT, who after having been duly sworn according to law, stated that he is an officer of the *Washington Township Water Corporation*; that he has read the matters and facts stated above and in all exhibits attached hereto and that the same are true; and that he is duly authorized to execute this instrument for and on behalf of the applicant herein.

[Signature]
 Notary Public
Mark R. Schmitter
 Notary Public, Owen Co, Indiana
 My Commission Expires 2-21-2023

My Commission expires:



Washington Township Water Authority
Bloomington, Indiana

Schedule of Water Purchases and Sales
For the year ending August 31, 2016

(1) Month	(2) 1,000 Gallons Purchased From Supplier	(3) 1,000 Gallons Sold To Customers
September	7,917.0	6,702.9
October	7,346.0	5,525.1
November	5,829.0	5,981.8
December	7,377.0	5,195.2
January, 2016	6,542.0	5,259.2
February	5,858.0	5,232.7
March	6,895.0	5,363.5
April	6,231.0	5,447.5
May	6,526.0	7,063.3
June	9,271.0	7,178.7
July	6,927.0	7,426.3
August	8,481.0	7,309.2
Total	<u>85,200.0</u>	<u>73,685.4</u>

Washington Township Water Authority
Bloomington, Indiana

Computation of Change in Cost of Wholesale Water Purchased

Company Name Washington Township Water Authority
Address 1100 E. Chambers Pike
Phone Number (812) 332-3230

Name of Wholesale Water Supplier(s) City of Bloomington Water Utility
Effective Date of Rate/Supplier Change
Based Upon Water Purchased for Twelve Months Ended August 31, 2016

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Supplier's Rates			Annual Cost of Wholesale Water Purchased		
Rate Component	At Rate Effective Immediately Prior to Change	Changed Rate	Purchased Water 1,000 gals	At Rate Effective Immediately Prior to Change	At Changed Rate

Monthly Service Charge:

	<u>Meter Size</u>					
3980 N Kinser	2"	\$ 21.82	\$ 26.62		\$ 261.84	\$ 319.44
716 W Bayles Rd	2"	21.82	26.62		261.84	319.44
5100 N State Rd 37	4"	82.93	101.17		995.16	1,214.04
6900 N Showers Rd	4"	82.93	101.17		995.16	1,214.04
5600 N Bottom Rd	6"	164.19	200.31		1,970.28	2,403.72

Gallonge Charge:

All Usage	\$ 1.99	\$ 2.43	<u>85,200</u>	\$ 169,548.00	\$ 207,036.00
Total Cost of Water Purchased			<u>85,200</u>	\$ <u>174,032.28</u>	\$ <u>212,506.68</u>

Washington Township Water Authority
Bloomington, Indiana

Computation of Water Tracker

1	Cost of Purchases from Exhibit 3, Col. 6	New Cost	\$ 212,506.68
2	Cost of Purchases from Exhibit 3, Col. 5	Prior Cost	\$ <u>174,032.28</u>
3	Increase Purchased Water Cost: (1) - (2)		\$ 38,474.40
4	Increase in Gross Receipts Tax and Other Similar Revenue Based Tax charges @ _____%		<u> </u>
5	Increase Revenue Requirements: 3 + 4		\$ 38,474.40
6	Total Metered Water Sales: In 1000 gals from Exhibit 2, Col. 3		<u>73,685.4</u>
7	Increase in Tracking Factor (5) ÷ (6) per 1,000 gallons		\$ 0.52
8	Current Tracking Factor per 1,000 gallons		\$ <u>0</u>
9	Requested Tracking Factor per 1,000 gallons		\$ <u><u>0.52</u></u>

**LEGAL NOTICE OF FILING FOR A CHANGE IN WATER RATES BY
WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP WATER AUTHORITY**

Notice is hereby given that on September 30, 2016, Washington Township Water Authority under and pursuant to the Public Service Commission Act, as amended, has filed with the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission an increase in the schedule of rates and charges for water sold by its water utility in the amount of **\$0.52 per 1,000 gallons**. wholesale water cost tracker.

This utility purchases all of its water from the City of Bloomington, Indiana, and Bloomington has petitioned the Commission for an increase in its water rates. Bloomington's rate request has not yet been ruled on by the Commission. It is not now known when Bloomington's rate increase may be approved by the Commission, or in what amount. The changes to the schedule of rates and charges submitted are based on the increase requested by Bloomington. However, the change will be adjusted to reflect the rate increase the Commission finally approves for Bloomington. The rate changes shall apply for the next practical consumption period following final approval by the Commission in accordance with IC § 8-1-2-42.

This is a wholesale water cost tracker that is applicable to all classes of customers. Objections can be made to the Secretary of the Commission: IURC, 101 W. Washington St., Ste. 1500E, Indianapolis, IN, 46204, and the Office of Utility Consumer Counselor (OUCC): OUCC, 115 W. Washington St., Ste. 1500S, Indianapolis, IN, 46204 or at 1-888-441-2494.

Washington Township Water Authority

By:


Executive Officer

