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Jerry Rudibaugh
Chief Hearings Officer
Arizona Corporation Commission
1200 W. Washington Street
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

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RE: Rate Case #T-01051B-99/105

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Dear Mr. Rudibaugh:

This letter is to request that the Town of Gila Bend be designated as an intervener in the rate case noted above because of our interest in being included in the 623 local calling area. As you may already know, we feel that including us in the 623 area is appropriate because of our affinity with the area in terms of services that we utilize on a daily basis, ranging from hospitals to supermarkets to dry cleaning, and because our calling area is contiguous to the 623 area. We also relate constantly to Maricopa County offices because of our contracts with them for judicial and law enforcement services, flood control and drainage services, as well as dog control, illegal dumping, special transportation services, community development and community services. In addition, except for one other Town, we are the only jurisdiction in Maricopa County that does not have local access to our own county seat.

We will be providing you shortly with a copy of a petition that is currently circulating in our Town regarding this request. Thank you for your consideration.

Yours very truly,

[Signature]

Chuck Turner
Mayor

cc: Corporation Commissioners
Citizens Communications
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