

File in Docket No. ORIGINAL
W-03512A-03-0279



ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION
UTILITY COMPLAINT FORM

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Priority: Respond Within Five Days

Opinion No. 2005 - 42476 Date: 2/25/2005

Complaint Description: 04C Service - Restrictions of

Complaint By: First: Lee Last: Ferguson

Account Name: Lee Ferguson Home: (602) 840-7566

Street: 4217 N. 45th Street Work: (000) 000-0000

City: Phoenix CBR:

State: AZ Zip: 85018 is:

Utility Company: Pine Water Co., Inc.

Division: Cool Pines

Contact Name: n/a Contact Phone:

Nature of Complaint: Arizona Corporation Commission

Correspondence received stating the following:

Feb. 21, 2005

Attn: Jeff Hatch-Miller

Dear Commissioner,

Arizona Corporation Commission
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Due to my work schedule, I will be unable to attend the meeting pertaining to the proposal of the moratorium on any new service connection for the Pine Water Co. This falls under the Docket No. W-03512A-03-0279 scheduled for Feb. 25, 2005 at 10:00 a.m. I do however wish to express my opinion on this matter.

As a property owner in the Town of Pine, Az. Since 1958 I have seen considerable growth in the area. As the area grew, the existing water company at the time was not keeping pace with expansion plans to provide water for future growth. This finally came to a head several years ago when the taps went dry and Gila County had to truck in water for about half the community. It was also recommended to us in the community that still had water service to drastically restrict our water usage. It was about this time the existing water company was sold to the present owner. They made numerous improvements including a hydrology report of the area that the previous owner had never done.

This report agreed with the State of Arizona, who did a hydrology report at about the same time, and the conclusion of both reports were the same. There was not major aquifer to tap into and that the supply is limited. Both the State and the present owner of Pine Water company agreed that additional growth should be limited. I have no idea where they are getting their information from, but the realtors and the developers in the area seem to think there is no problem.

In conclusion, I support the moratorium on new service connections for the Pine Water Company and I would hope the State would discourage any additional growth on an already limited resource. While the Pine Water Company may not be the best, it is far superior to what we have had in the past. If you would like to speak

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further with me about this issue, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,
Lee Ferguson (602) 840-7566
End of Complaint

Utilities' Response:

Investigator's Comments and Disposition:

Comments filed in docket no. W-03512A-03-0279. closed
End of Comments

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