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Ashcreek Water RECEIVED

965-2934 for emergencies

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P.O. Box 825 Thatcher, AZ 85552

428-3357 for billing questions

3776 Main St, Thatcher, AZ 85552
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428-5420 for all other contact

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Arizona Corporation Commission

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Ashcreek Water Company
Rate Case Customer Notification

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The Customer Notification for a Rate Case was mailed to all of the Ashcreek Water Company customers on September 7, 2006.

A copy of both notices as they appeared to the customer are attached.

STATE OF ARIZONA

COUNTY OF (COUNTY NAME)

GRAHAM

I, THE UNDERSIGNED

NAME (OWNER OR OFFICIAL)

BEVAN BARNEY

TITLE

INTERIM MANAGER

OF THE

COMPANY NAME

ASHCREEK WATER COMPANY

SIGNATURE OF OWNER OR OFFICIAL

928 428 5426

TELEPHONE

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME

A NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF

THIS

7th

DAY OF

NOTARY PUBLIC NAME

Kris A. Lemon

COUNTY NAME

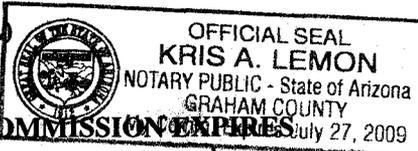
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September

2006

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MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 7/27/09

X SIGNATURE OF NOTARY PUBLIC

CUSTOMER NOTIFICATION

Ashcreek Water Company has applied to the Arizona Corporation Commission for an adjustment in rates. The current rates have been in effect since September, 1987. An increase in rates is necessary at this time due to the need for Additional Storage and to Upgrade the Distribution System. Based on the Company's un-audited Test Year results, Ashcreek Water Company realized an operating loss of \$967.64. The Company is requesting a revenue increase of \$16,210 or 32% of total revenues. Please see the attached pages 9 and 11 of the Company's application for the current and proposed rates.

The Application is available for inspection during regular business hours at the offices of the Commission in Phoenix at 1200 West Washington Street (for Tucson, call 800-535-0148 if located outside the Tucson local calling area or 520-628-6555 if inside the Tucson local calling area) and at Ashcreek Water Company at 3776 Main Street in Thatcher, AZ 85552. Please be advised that the rates and charges ultimately approved by the Commission may be higher or lower than the rates and charges requested in the Application.

Customer input is an important part of the Commission's Analysis of the requested adjustment and is a factor in determining whether a hearing will be conducted. Customers should bring to the Commission's attention any questions or concerns related to the Company's Application, including service, billing procedures or other factors important in determining the reasonableness of charges. Customers may have the right to intervene in this matter. Customers wishing to communicate with the Commission, or request information on intervention in the proceeding, should contact the Commission's Consumer Services Section at 800-222-7000 (if located outside the Phoenix local calling area) or 602-542-4251 in the Phoenix local calling area. Customers may also contact the Tucson Commission office by calling 800-535-0148 (if located outside the Tucson local calling area) or 520-628-6555 in the Tucson local calling area.

Customers are advised that the Commission may act upon the Application without a hearing. Regardless of whether a formal hearing is held, customer comments submitted in writing will be placed in the office file, which the Commission reviews prior to making its final decision on the Application. It is important that customers contact the Commission within 15 days of the receipt of this notice so that the Commission's Staff can consider customer comments and concerns in developing its recommendations to the Commission.

September 7, 2006

Company Name: <i>ASH CREEK WATER COMPANY</i>	Test Year Ended: <i>12/31/05</i>
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CURRENT AND PROPOSED RATES AND CHARGES

CUSTOMER CLASS: Residential Commercial Industrial
 Irrigation All Other, specify _____

	CURRENT RATES	PROPOSED RATES
MINIMUM OR SERVICE CHARGES	\$ GALLONS	\$ GALLONS
5/8" x 3/4" Meter	<i>1,110</i> for <i>18.00</i>	<i>0</i> for <i>18.00</i>
3/4" Meter	for	<i>0</i> for <i>27.00</i>
1" Meter	for	<i>0</i> for <i>45.00</i>
1-1/2" Meter	for	<i>0</i> for <i>90.00</i>
2" Meter	for	<i>0</i> for <i>144.00</i>
3" Meter	for	for
4" Meter	for	for
6" Meter	for	for

GALLONS IN EXCESS OF MINIMUM
Commodity Charge in Excess of Minimum (Charge Per 1,000 Gallons)
First Tier <i>1.95</i>
Second Tier <i>2.75</i>
Third Tier <i>4.65</i>
FLAT RATE

Current Rates		Proposed Rates	
Rate	Gallons	Rate	Gallons
\$ <i>1.95</i>	Up to <i>4,000</i>	\$ <i>1.95</i>	Up to <i>4,000</i>
\$ <i>1.95</i>	<i>4,000</i> to <i>16,000</i>	\$ <i>2.75</i>	<i>4,000</i> to <i>16,000</i>
\$ <i>1.95</i>	Over <i>16,000</i>	\$ <i>4.65</i>	Over <i>16,000</i>
\$ <i>NA</i>	Per Month	\$ <i>NA</i>	Per Month

Note: If rates and charges vary across customer classes, duplicate the form and complete one for each rate class. (e.g., residential, commercial) unless "All" is checked.

Company Name: ASH CREEK WATER COMPANY	Test Year Ended: 12/31/05
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CURRENT AND PROPOSED SERVICE CHARGES

CUSTOMER CLASS: Residential Commercial Industrial
 Irrigation All Other, specify _____

SERVICE LINE AND METER INSTALLATION CHARGES	CURRENT CHARGES	PROPOSED CHARGES
5/8" X 3/4" Meter	\$ 180	\$ 580
3/4" Meter	\$ 220	\$ 620
1" Meter	\$ 250	\$ 700
1-1/2" Meter	\$ 375	\$ 875
2" Meter	\$ 500	\$ 1000
3" Meter	\$	\$
4" Meter	\$	\$
6" Meter	\$	\$

Establishment	\$ 15.00	\$ 40.00
Establishment (after hours)	\$ 20.00	\$ 80.00
Reconnection (delinquent)	\$ 15.00	\$ 40.00
Reconnection (delinquent) after hours	\$ 15.00	\$ 80.00
Meter Test	\$ 30.00	\$ 50.00
Deposit	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
Deposit Interest		6%
Re-establishment (within 12 months)	\$ 18.00 X No of Mts. (A.A.C. R14-2-407, 20)	\$
NSF Check	\$ 10.00	\$ 25.00
Deferred Payment		18%
Meter Re-read	\$ 10.00	\$ 25.00
Late Fee	\$ 5	\$ 15.00

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