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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF QUEEN CREEK WATER COMPANY
FOR APPROVAL OF SALE OF ASSETS
AND CONDITIONAL CANCELLATION OF
ITS CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE
AND NECESSITY

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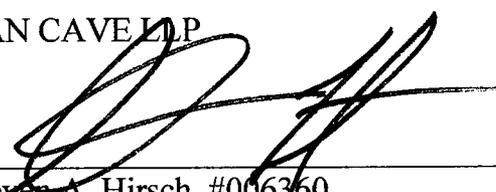
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In accordance with the requirements of the Amended Procedural Order, dated December 28, 2007, Applicant Queen Creek Water Company hereby provides notice of the filing of the Affidavit of Publication received from the East Valley Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation in the County of Maricopa, State of Arizona. The Affidavit of Publication is attached as Exhibit "A".

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 17th day of January, 2008.

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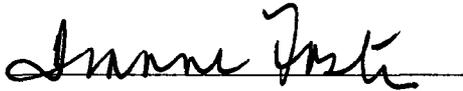
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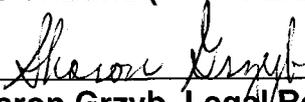
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On JAN. 7, 2008 Sharon Grzyb personally appeared before me, whom I know personally to be the person who signed the above document and he/she proved he/she signed it



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**PUBLIC NOTICE OF THE HEARING ON THE APPLICATION OF
QUEEN CREEK WATER COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF SALE OF
ASSETS AND CONDITIONAL CANCELLATION OF ITS CERTIFICATE
OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY.
(Docket No. W-01395A-07-0556)**

On September 28, 2007, Queen Creek Water Company ("QCWC") filed with the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") an application for approval to sell its assets and operations to the Town of Queen Creek ("Town") and to cancel its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity ("CC&N") upon consummation of the sale of QCWC to the Town. The Commission's Utilities Division ("Staff") has not yet made a recommendation regarding QCWC's application, and the Commission is not bound by the proposals made by QCWC, Staff, or any intervenors. The Commission will issue a decision regarding QCWC's application following consideration of testimony and evidence presented at an evidentiary hearing. Copies of the application are available at QCWC's offices at 22713 S. Ellsworth Road, Queen Creek, Arizona and the Commission's offices at 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, Arizona, for public inspection during regular business hours and on the internet via the Commission website (www.azcc.gov) using the e-docket function.

The Commission will hold a hearing on this matter beginning February 4, 2008, at 10:00 a.m., at the Commission's offices, 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, Arizona. Public comments will be taken on the first day of the hearing. Written public comments may be submitted via email (visit <http://www.azcc.gov/utility/cons/index.htm> for instructions), or by mailing a letter referencing Docket Number W-01395A-07-0556 to: Arizona Corporation Commission, Consumer Services Section, 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, AZ 85007.

The law provides for an open public hearing at which, under appropriate circumstances, interested parties may intervene. Any person or entity entitled by law to intervene and having a direct and substantial interest in the matter will be permitted to intervene. If you would like to intervene, you must file a written motion to intervene with the Commission, and you must send copies of the motion to the Company or its counsel, and to all parties of record in the case. Your motion to intervene must contain the following:

1. Your name, address, and telephone number, and the name, address, and telephone number of any party upon whom documents are to be served in your place, if desired;
2. A short statement of your interest in the proceeding (e.g., a customer of the Company, a shareholder of the Company, etc.); and
3. A statement certifying that a copy of your motion to intervene has been mailed to the Company or its counsel and to all parties of record in the case.

The granting of motions to intervene shall be governed by A.A.C. R14-3-105, except that all motions to intervene must be filed on or before January 18, 2008. If representation by counsel is required by Rule 31 of the Rules of the Arizona Supreme Court, intervention will be conditioned upon the intervenor obtaining counsel to represent the intervenor. For information about requesting intervention, visit the Arizona Corporation Commission's webpage at <http://www.azcc.gov/divisions/utility/forms.asp>. The granting of intervention, among other things, entitles a party to present sworn evidence at hearing and to cross-examine other witnesses. However, failure to intervene will not preclude any customer from appearing at the hearing and making a statement on such customer's own behalf.

If you have any question about this application, you may contact QCWC at 480-987-3240. If you wish to file written comments on the application or want further information on intervention you may contact the Consumer Services Section of the Commission at 1200 West Washington St., Phoenix, AZ 85007, or call 1-800-222-7000.

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