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**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF PICACHO PEAK WATER CO., INC.,
FOR A RATE INCREASE**

Docket No. W-02351A-07-0319

Docket No. W-02351A-07-0686

**IN THE MATTER OF THE
APPLICATION OF PICACHO PEAK
WATER CO., INC., FOR AUTHORITY
TO INCUR DEBT TO FINANCE
WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS**

**FILING OF CERTIFICATION OF
MAILING**

Pursuant to Procedural Order dated August 19, 2008, Picacho Peak Water Company, Inc. ("Company") hereby files an affidavit verifying that the Company has mailed to each customer the Notice of Staff's Recommended Rates for Picacho Peak Water Company Docket No. W-02351A-07-0686 and Public Notice of an Application for an Order Authorizing the Issuance of Debt by Picacho Peak Water Company Docket No. W-02351A-07-0319, which is set forth in Attachment 1. Although the Procedural Order stated this notice was to be mailed to the Company's customers by no later than August 25, 2008, the Company did not receive the procedural order until that same day. Accordingly, the Company mailed the notice to its customers the next day.

1 Respectfully submitted on August 28, 2008.

2 **MOYES SELLERS & SIMS**

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5 Steve Wene
6 Attorneys for Picacho Peak Water Co.

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8 Original and 15 copies of the foregoing
9 filed August 28, 2008, with:

10 Docket Control
11 Arizona Corporation Commission
12 1200 West Washington
13 Phoenix, Arizona 85007

14 Copy of the foregoing mailed this
15 August 28, 2008, to:

16 Kevin Torrey
17 Attorney, Legal Division
18 Arizona Corporation Commission
19 1200 West Washington Street
20 Phoenix, Arizona 85007

21 Dennis Rogers
22 Utilities Division
23 Arizona Corporation Commission
24 1200 West Washington Street
25 Phoenix, Arizona 85007

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ATTACHMENT 1

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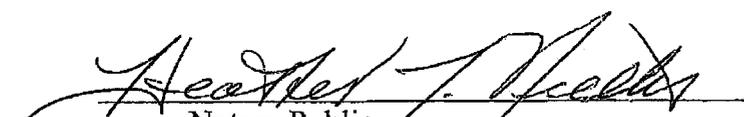
I, the undersigned, after being first duly sworn upon my oath, hereby affirm as follow:

- 1) I am over the age of eighteen.
- 2) I have personal knowledge of the statements set forth herein and I am competent to testify at a hearing or trial with respect to the same.
- 3) I certify that on behalf of the Picacho Peak Water Company, Inc. ("Company"), on August 26, 2008, I mailed to each Company customer a copy of the Notice of Staff's Recommended Rates for Picacho Peak Water Company Docket No. W-02351A-07-0686 and Public Notice of an Application for an Order Authorizing the Issuance of Debt by Picacho Peak Water Company Docket No. W-02351A-07-0319, attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

DATED this 27th day of August, 2008.


William J. McCabe

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me, a Notary Public, this 27th day of August, 2008.


Notary Public

My Commission Expires:
10/25/08

EXHIBIT 1

**NOTICE OF STAFF'S RECOMMENDED RATES FOR
PICACHO PEAK WATER COMPANY
Docket No. W-02351A-07-0686**

AND

**PUBLIC NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR AN ORDER
AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF DEBT BY PICACHO PEAK WATER COMPANY
Docket No. W-02351A-07-0319**

On December 13, 2007, Picacho Peak Water Company ("Company") filed an application with the Arizona Corporation Commission for an overall revenue increase of \$26,980, which is an increase of approximately 84.77 percent. On June 9, 2008, the Company filed a revised rate proposal, for an overall revenue increase of \$34,296, which is an increase of approximately 107.75 percent.

Under the Company's June 9, 2008, proposal, the typical residential customer on a ¾" meter, with a median usage of 7,750 gallons per month, would experience a monthly increase of \$10.97, 35.2 percent. The typical commercial customer on a ¾" meter, with a median usage of 10,929 gallons per month, would experience a monthly increase of \$17.97, or 16.1 percent. The commercial customer on a 2" meter, with a median usage of 164,825 gallons per month, would experience a monthly increase of \$1,266.41 or 198.3 percent.

The Commission's Utilities Division Staff ("Staff") has recommended an overall revenue increase of \$34,572, which is an increase of approximately 108.6 percent. Under Staff's proposal, the typical residential customer on a ¾" meter, with a median usage of 7,750 gallons per month, would experience a monthly increase of \$14.76, or 47.4 percent. The typical commercial customer on a ¾" meter, with a median usage of 10,929 gallons per month, would experience a monthly increase of \$76.94, or 68.7 percent. The commercial customer on a 2" meter, with a median usage of 165.825 gallons per month would experience a monthly increase of \$1,674.02, or 262.1 percent.

Additionally, on May 23, 2007, the Company filed a financing application with the Arizona Corporation Commission for an order authorizing the company to issue \$150,000 of debt.

Customers should bring to the Commission's attention any questions or concerns related to either of the Company's applications, including service, billing procedures or other factors important in determining the reasonableness of the charges or of the financing. Copies of the applications and Staff's recommendations are available at the Company's offices, 150 Louisiana NE, Albuquerque, NM 87108, and the Commission's offices at 1200 W. Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007 and 400 West Congress, Suite 218, Tucson, Arizona 85701, for public inspection during regular business hours and on the internet via the Commission Website (www.azcc.gov) using the e-docket function. If you have any questions about this application, you may contact the Company at 505-266-5985. If you wish to file written comments on the applications or want further information you may contact the Consumer Services Section of the Commission by calling 1-800-222-7000 or 1-602-542-4251 (Phoenix) or 1-800-535-0148 or 1-520-628-6550

(Tucson). Written public comments may also be filed by mailing the original and 13 copies (referencing Docket Numbers W-02351A-07-0676 or W-2315A-07-0319) to the Commission's Docket Control, 1200 W. Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007.

Customer comments submitted in writing will be placed in the file, which the Commission reviews prior to making its final decision on the Application. It is important that customers wishing to contact the Commission do so by September 5, 2008, so that the Commission can consider customer comments and concerns in reaching its decision.

Intervention in the Commission's proceedings on the applications shall be permitted to any person entitled by law to intervene and having a direct substantial interest in this matter. Persons desiring to intervene must file a Motion to Intervene with the Commission, which must be served upon the Company and which, at minimum, shall contain the following information:

1. The name, address and telephone number of the proposed intervenor and of any person upon whom service of documents is to be made if differed than the intervenor.
2. A short statement of the proposed intervenor's interest in the proceeding.
3. Whether the proposed intervenor desires a formal evidentiary hearing on the application and the reasons for such a hearing.
4. A stating certifying that a copy of the Motion to Intervene has been mailed to the Company.

The granting of Motions to Intervene shall be governed by Arizona administrative Code R14-3-105, except that all Motions to Intervene must be filed with the Commission not later than September 5, 2008.