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Sent: Tuesday, November 11, 2008 10:37 AM  
To: Mayes-WebEmail  
Subject: Groom Creek Water Users Association - Rate Increase

W-01865A-07-0384  
W-01865A-07-0385

Dear Ms. Mayes,

I understand that the Corporation Commission is considering the rate increase requested by the board of the Groom Creek Water Users Association. I hope that you approve the requested rate increase. Yavapai County is prepared to pave the roads in the area. After the paving, replacing the deteriorating water lines will be much more expensive. This is our last opportunity to replace the aging water lines that are already breaking down and leaking at an alarming rate without incurring the substantial additional expense of cutting through and replacing the paving. No one, including me, wants to pay more for water. But I'd prefer to pay this amount now than face a much larger special assessment in the future.

Thank you for your consideration.

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**From:** Debbie Opitz [advantageplus@cableone.net]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 11, 2008 7:05 PM  
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**Subject:** Groom Creek Water Users Association

November 11, 2008

To: Kristin Mayes, Commissioner of Arizona Corporation Commission  
Re: Docket No. W-01865A-07-0384/0385  
Groom Creek Water Delivery System Upgrade Project

Dear Commissioner Mayes,

My husband and I would like to express our support for the improvement project that the Groom Creek Water Users have set forward. As members and full-time residents, we agree that a new base rate of \$50.00 per month is necessary in order to install new main lines and systems for the provision of water. We live at the very end of one of the lines and believe me, as I grew up in Prescott during the summers, we have no desire to have water outages like I experienced when I was a child. We really need your help to assure the success of the improvement project to keep the water flowing.

Thank you in advance for your support.

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P.S. I read your bio on the web page and I am very impressed with your work and career. I use to teach at Prescott High and it is nice to know one of our students has gone on to much bigger and better things, as I don't always get to see this type of achievement. Congratulations.