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ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

August 17, 2009

To: Docket Control

RE: Black Mountain Sewer Corp. – Customer Comments
Docket No. SW-02361A-08-0609

(LATE FILING)

Please docket the attached 11 customer comments **OPPOSED** of the above filed rate case.

Customer comments can be reviewed in E-docket under the above docket number.

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YOUR NAME Ray Neil & Bonnie Coffey	DATE 7/18/2009
ADDRESS, CITY, STATE AND ZIP 7423 E. Sunset Sky Circle	YOUR PHONE NUMBER (480) 575-9036
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CASE OR UTILITY NAME Black Mountain Sewer Corporation	YOUR POSITION ON THE DOCKET PRO <input type="radio"/> CON <input checked="" type="radio"/> OTHER <input type="radio"/>
YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS rncaz@q.com	

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We encourage the ACC to not grant the BMSC rate increase requested on 12/19/09. This rate increase combined with the 2006 increase which BMSC was granted, would make our residential sewer rate increase from approximately \$38 to \$71 (70-80%) in a 2-3 year time period. This is much more than the inflation rate of the Consumer Price Index. By comparison, the average City of Scottsdale sewer rate is only \$25-&30 a month.

Per the City of Scottsdale, the sewer which serves our residence is interconnected to the City's sewer system and not the BMSC Carefree Sewer Plant. Therefore, we should not be subsidizing the maintenance, operation and capitol improvements to the BMSC Sewer Plant. In addition, our system is only 10-12 years old therefore, it should require very little maintenance.

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YOUR NAME WILLIAM NEWELL	DATE 7-11-09
ADDRESS, CITY, STATE AND ZIP 7395 QUIEN SABE SCOTTSDALE ⁸⁵²⁶⁶	YOUR PHONE NUMBER 480 575 0209
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YOUR NAME <i>JOANN EHLEY</i>	DATE <i>7-9-09</i>
ADDRESS, CITY, STATE AND ZIP <i>33290 N 73 PL</i>	YOUR PHONE NUMBER <i>480 488 6457</i>
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Please do not raise in these hard times. Hardship beyond for most of us. Thank You

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ADDRESS, CITY, STATE AND ZIP <i>33596 N. 79th ST</i>	YOUR PHONE NUMBER <i>480-595-1944</i>
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Ms. Ann E. Alpeter
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YOUR NAME Robert Cappel, President, Winfield Board of Directors	DATE 5/27/2009
ADDRESS, CITY, STATE AND ZIP 33600 N. 79th Way, Scottsdale, AZ 85266	YOUR PHONE NUMBER (480) 595-1805
DOCKET YOU WISH TO COMMENT ON: BMSC Rate Increase Application	DOCKET NUMBER SW-02351A-08-0609
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YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS r-cappel1@msn.com	

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I am the President of Winfield's Board of Directors, which is a homeowners association representing 511 homeowners. Winfield is located in north Scottsdale and discharges homeowners wastewater to Black Mountain Sewer Corporation (BSCM). BSCM has filed this application to increase their monthly customer charge from the current \$45.67 to \$71.08. According to the monthly sewer charges published by the Arizona Republic on May 27, 2009, even the BSCM monthly charge of \$45.67 is extremely high compared to these city sewer monthly charges: Mesa \$24.23; Phoenix \$28.51; Scottsdale \$22.52; Glendale \$30.07; Peoria \$21.90; Gilbert \$24.28; Tempe \$17.34; & Chandler \$17.67. Winfield's 511 homeowners request that the Arizona Corporation Commission deny this application for this monthly charge increase, and to instruct BSCM that they must reduce their current monthly customer charges to be more comparable to other local sewer company monthly charges.

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YOUR NAME RAY AND RHODA SILVERSTEIN	DATE 7/10/09
ADDRESS, CITY, STATE AND ZIP 7426 E. QUIEN SABE SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85266	YOUR PHONE NUMBER 480 686-9099
DOCKET YOU WISH TO COMMENT ON: BMSC Rate Increase Application	DOCKET NUMBER SW-02351A-08-0609
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ADDRESS, CITY, STATE AND ZIP 7378 E. Quien Sabe Way, Scottsdale, AZ 85266	YOUR PHONE NUMBER 630-964-6786
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ADDRESS, CITY, STATE AND ZIP <i>7457 E. Soaring Eagle, Scott AZ 85266</i>	YOUR PHONE NUMBER
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ADDRESS, CITY, STATE AND ZIP SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85266 7425 E. SOARING EAGLE WAY	YOUR PHONE NUMBER 480-544-1468
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WE VEHEMENTLY OBJECT TO THIS OUTRAGEDOUS INCREASE!!!

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