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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
FOR APPROVAL OF NORTHERN SUNRISE
WATER COMPANY'S TARIFF
ADDRESSING MAIN EXTENSION
CHARGES FOR PROPERTY OWNERS
WITH FAILED WELLS LOCATED WITHIN
THE COMPANY'S EXTENSION AREA
GRANTED IN DECISION NO. 70955

DOCKET NO.: W-20453A-_____
NEW TARIFF FILING - MAIN
EXTENSION TARIFF REGARDING
PROPERTY OWNERS WITH
FAILED WELLS

Pursuant to Decision No. 70955 (April 7, 2009), Northern Sunrise Water Company ("Northern Sunrise" or "Company") hereby gives notice of filing a main extension tariff which applies to property owners with failed wells located within the Company's extension area. Attached hereto as Exhibit 1 is Northern Sunrise's proposed main extension tariff ("New Tariff"), which was crafted with, and in response to, Staff's input.

The New Tariff governs that a property owner within the service extension area granted in Decision No. 70955 who experiences the loss of a water well, and who is not currently a customer of Northern Sunrise, shall be able to connect to the Company's water system without paying a hook-up fee. However, should Northern Sunrise need to construct a new water main or extend an existing water main in order to extend water service, then the Company is authorized to charge for the construction of the new or extended water main pursuant to the New Tariff. Furthermore, if a property owner qualifies under the New Tariff and wishes to become a customer of Northern Sunrise, but requires construction of a water main in order to receive service, the Company is

1 authorized to enter into a main extension agreement requiring the property owner to
2 advance the costs of construction on the methodology set forth in the New Tariff.

3 Northern Sunrise respectfully requests that the Commission approve the New
4 Tariff in a timely manner.

5 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 5th day of June, 2009.

6 FENNEMORE CRAIG, P.C.

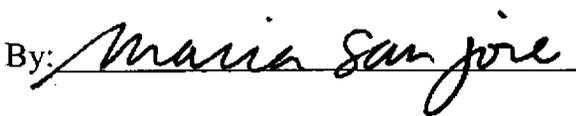
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EXHIBIT

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		Revised	SHEET NO.	
Northern Sunrise Water Company	WATER SERVICE TARIFF SCHEDULE	Revised	SHEET NO	
Decision No.				

MAIN EXTENSION TARIFF – FAILED WELLS

This main extension tariff applies only to those persons located within the service extension area granted to Northern Sunrise Water Company (“Northern Sunrise” or “Company”) in Decision No. 70955 (April 7, 2009). A map depicting the extension area is attached hereto. Any person within the extension area who experiences the loss of a water well, for any reason, and who is not currently a customer of Northern Sunrise, shall be able to connect to the Company’s water distribution system without paying any applicable water hook-up fee at the time of the interconnection. However, in the event that Northern Sunrise is required to construct a new water main, or extend an existing water main, in order to extend water service to any such person who qualifies under this Tariff, then the Company is authorized to charge that person for the construction of a new or extended water main. Attached hereto is an Opinion of Probable Construction Costs (“OPCC”) to construct a water main from the furthest point in the extension area to the Company’s existing facilities. As a result of the OPCC, the **per linear-foot** cost of extending a water main is approximately **\$67.88**.

In the event that a person who qualifies under this tariff seeks to become a water customer of Northern Sunrise, but requires the construction of a water main in order to receive service, the Company is hereby authorized to enter in a main extension agreement requiring said person to advance the costs of construction, to be calculated at no more than **\$67.88** per linear foot.

The Company may revise the OPCC estimates from time to time as conditions change concerning the location of existing facilities and/or the cost of materials. Any change to this Tariff requires the formal approval of the Commission.

Issued: _____

Effective : _____

ISSUED BY:

Greg Sorensen
Northern Sunrise Water Company
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OPINION OF PROBABLE CONSTRUCTION COST

Project Name: Northern Sunrise Water System
 Project No. 1428.10
 Location: Whetstone, Cochise County Area
 Description: Service to most remote property in CC&N extension area

Prepared by: KDF Date: 6/3/09
 Checked by: MDO Date: 6/3/09
 Client: Northern Sunrise Water Company

Item No.	Item Description	Unit	Quantity	Unit Price	Amount	Remarks
1	6-inch PVC main and fittings	LS	2,020	\$45	\$90,900	Includes testing, chlorination and tie ins. Excludes pavement patch.
2	6-inch valve	EA	4	\$1,100	\$4,400	Estimated quantity.
3	¾-inch ARV	EA	1	\$2,200	\$2,200	Estimated quantity.
4	Copper service and meter	EA	7	\$1,600	\$11,200	Estimated quantity, assumes service to all properties along alignment.
5	2-inch drain valve assembly	EA	1	\$800	\$800	
	Sub-total				\$109,500	
	25% Engineering & Contingencies				\$27,375	
	TOTAL				\$136,875	