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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
WILLOW VALLEY WATER CO., INC FOR
FINANCING APPROVAL IN CONNECTION
WITH THE AMERICAN RECOVERY AND
REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009.

DOCKET NO.: W-01732A-09-0182

NOTICE OF FILING

Willow Valley Water Co., Inc. ("Willow Valley") files a form of notice agreed by Willow Valley and Staff. Willow Valley requests that the Administrative Law Judge approve the form of notice as soon as possible.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 5th day of August 2009

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PUBLIC NOTICE
APPLICATION OF WILLOW VALLEY WATER CO., INC.
FOR FINANCING APPROVAL IN CONNECTION WITH THE
AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT ("ARRA") OF 2009.
(DOCKET NO. W-01732A-09-0182)

Summary of Application

On April 17, 2009, Willow Valley Water Company, Inc. ("Willow Valley", or "Company"), a subsidiary of Global Water filed with the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") an application in the above-captioned docket seeking approval to incur long-term indebtedness.

Willow Valley is seeking a \$435,000 Water Infrastructure Finance Authority of Arizona ("WIFA") loan for the purposes of replacing water meters in its service territory. Willow Valley anticipates receiving \$174,000, or forty percent (40%) of the loan amount as forgivable principal reducing the effective amount of the loan to \$261,000. The forgivable principal is contingent upon compliance with ARRA. A 20-year amortizing loan at approximately 5.25 percent per annum is anticipated.

The Commission staff recommends an interim rate surcharge to generate additional funds needed to achieve the minimum debt service coverage ratio recommended by Commission staff. **The additional monthly charges for a 5/8 x 3/4 inch meter are anticipated to be \$3.67.** If authorized, this surcharge would be collected monthly from the date of the Commission order, until eliminated at the completion of the Company's general rate filing currently under review at the Commission (Docket No. W-01732A-09-0079).

How You Can View or Obtain a Copy of the Application

Copies of the application and proposed Surcharge are available for public inspection during regular business hours at Global Water's offices, 21410 N. 19th Avenue, Suite 201, Phoenix, AZ 85027 (623) 580-9600 and at the Commission's Docket Control Center at 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, Arizona. Electronic copies may be obtained from the Commission's website (www.azcc.gov) using the e-Docket function.

Arizona Corporation Commission Public Hearing Information

The Commission may hold a formal hearing on this matter, or it may conduct an informal hearing. If a formal hearing is scheduled, you will be informed of the date and time in advance. Public comments will be taken on the first day of the hearing. If an informal hearing is scheduled, it will take place as part of a Commission open meeting. Agendas for Commission open meeting are available on the Commission's website (www.azcc.gov).

Public comment can be provided in this matter by contacting the Consumer Services Section at the number below or may be submitted in writing by mailing a letter referencing Docket No. W-01732A-09-0182 to Arizona Corporation Commission,

Consumer Services Section, 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, AZ 85007, or by e-mail. For a form to use and instructions on how to e-mail comments to the Commission, go to http://www.azcc.gov/divisions/utilities/forms/public_comment.pdf. If you require assistance, you may contact the Consumer Services Section at 602-542-4251 or 1- 800-222-7000.

About Intervention

The law provides that interested parties may intervene under appropriate circumstances. 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 wish to intervene, you must file an original and 13 copies of a written motion to intervene with the Commission no later than **August 28, 2009**, and send a copy of the motion to Global Water or its counsel and to all parties of record. 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 service of documents is to be made, if not yourself;
2. A short statement of your interest in the proceeding (e.g., a customer of Willow Valley, a shareholder of Willow Valley, etc.); and
3. A statement certifying that you have mailed a copy of the motion to intervene to Willow Valley 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 **August 28, 2009**. 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 Commission's website at <http://www.azcc.gov/divisions/utilities/forms/interven.pdf>.

The granting of intervention, among other things, entitles a party to present sworn evidence at a formal hearing and to cross-examine other witnesses. Intervenors also have the opportunity to request a full evidentiary hearing. However, **failure to intervene will not preclude any interested person or entity from appearing at the formal hearing or open meeting and providing public comment on the application or from filing written comments in the record of the case.**

ADA/Equal Access Information

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