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UTILITY COMPLAINT FORM

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Investigator: Brad Morton

Phone: [REDACTED]

Fax: [REDACTED]

Priority: Respond Within Five Days

Opinion No. 2009 - 80948

Date: 8/7/2009

Complaint Description: 08A Rate Case Items - Opposed
N/A Not Applicable

Complaint By: First: Paul B. Last: Richard

Account Name: Paul B. Richard

Home: [REDACTED]

Street: [REDACTED]

Work:

City: Scottsdale

CBR:

State: AZ Zip: 85266

is:

Utility Company: Black Mountain Sewer Corporation

Division: sewer

Contact Name: [REDACTED]

Contact Phone: [REDACTED]

Nature of Complaint:

Docket No SW-02361A-08-0609

Scottsdale, Arizona
August 4, 2009
Arizona Corporation Commission
Consumer Services Section
1200 W. Washington
Phoenix, AZ 85007
Re: Black Mountain Sewer Corp.
Paul B. Richard, Customer
Rate Increase opposition

Arizona Corporation Commission
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AUG 7 2009

DOCKETED BY [Signature]

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Gentlemen:

I am advised that Black Mountain Sewer Corp. has requested a rate increase. Not only do I believe that it's present rate of \$45.76 is excessive, but that any increase would be unwarranted.

Unfortunately the developer of W'mfield failed to avail itself of the benefit of the City of Scottsdale sewer service which I am advised has rates in the \$15 to \$20 range at this time. Some time back, I noted much lower rates from other municipalities, also. I am certain that one of the fairest ways to evaluate appropriate rates is on the basis of such comparisons. Further, if it is contended that this company is too small or too inefficient to compete with other markets, then it should not exist, and rather be absorbed by some present competitor.

Since the present charge is already well over double the Scottsdale rate and therefore grossly excessive, I urge that you deny the request for a rate increase. Thank you for considering my opinion in this matter.

[REDACTED]
Scottsdale, AZ 85266 [REDACTED]

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Co: Black Mountain Sewer Corp
Cc: Winfield Board of Directors
End of Complaint

Utilities' Response:

Investigator's Comments and Disposition:

Called consumer to acknowledge receipt of opinion.
End of Comments

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Investigator: Brad Morton

Phone: [REDACTED]

Fax: [REDACTED]

Priority: Respond Within Five Days

Opinion No. 2009 - 80950

Date: 8/7/2009

Complaint Description: 08A Rate Case Items - Opposed
N/A Not Applicable

Complaint By: **First:** Donald **Last:** Fronko

Account Name: Donald E & Roxanne Fronko

Home: (480) 000-0000

Street: [REDACTED]

Work:

City: Scottsdale

CBR:

State: AZ **Zip:** 85266

is:

Utility Company: Black Mountain Sewer Corporation

Division: sewer

Contact Name: [REDACTED]

Contact Phone: [REDACTED]

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Donald E. & Roxanne Fronko

[REDACTED]
Scottsdale, AZ 85266

August 3, 2009

Arizona Corporation Commission

Consumer Services Section

1200 W. Washington

Phoenix, AZ 85007

RE: Black Mountain Sewer Corp

Docket # SW-0235 IA-08-0609

Rate Increase

Dear Sirs:

Black Mountain Sewer Corporation has applied to the Arizona Corporation Commission to raise the monthly customer charge from the current \$45.64 to \$71.08.

Their current rate of \$45.64 is way out of line with the current average rate of \$15 to \$20 per month per customer in the City of Scottsdale. To allow them a 56% increase to \$71.08 per month per customer is utterly ridiculous, particularly in the current economic environment.

We respectfully request that their request for any rate increase be denied.

Sincerely,

End of Complaint

Utilities' Response:

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Investigator's Comments and Disposition:

Opinion docketed.
End of Comments

Date Completed: 8/7/2009

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