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22 NOTICE OF FILING AFFIDAVIT OF CUSTOMER NOTICE

23 Arizona-American Water Company ("Arizona-American"), the applicant in  
24 the above-captioned dockets hereby files an Affidavit of Customer Notice.  
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1 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 28th day of December, 2009.

2 LEWIS AND ROCA LLP

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6 Michael T. Hallam  
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8 Phoenix, AZ 85004

9 Attorneys for Arizona-American Water Company

10 ORIGINAL and thirteen (13) copies  
11 of the foregoing filed this 28th day  
12 of December, 2009, with:

13 The Arizona Corporation Commission  
14 Utilities Division – Docket Control  
15 1200 W. Washington Street  
16 Phoenix, Arizona 85007

17 Copy of the foregoing hand-delivered  
18 this 28th day of December, 2009, to:

19 Steve Olea  
20 Utilities Division  
21 Arizona Corporation Commission  
22 1200 W. Washington Street  
23 Phoenix, Arizona 85007

24 Teena Wolfe, Administrative Law Judge  
25 Hearing Division  
26 Arizona Corporation Commission  
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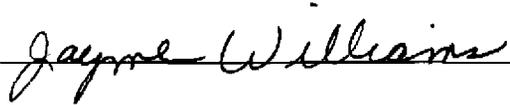
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**AFFIDAVIT OF CUSTOMER  
NOTICE**

**Affidavit of Barry Pawelek**

1. My name is Barry Pawelek, and I am employed by American Water as the Customer Communications Manager for its Western Area. My business address is American Water, 1033 B Avenue, Suite 200, Coronado CA 92118.

1                   2.     I am submitting this affidavit on behalf of Arizona-American Water  
2 Company ("Arizona-American"), the applicant in the above-captioned dockets. Arizona-  
3 American is also part of American Water's Western Area.

4                   3.     As part of my job duties, I supervised the provision of the customer  
5 notice set forth in the Application.

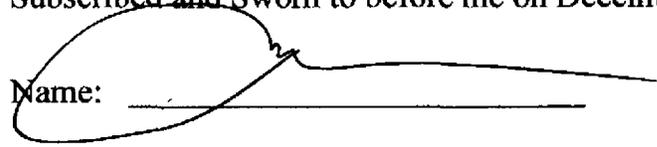
6                   4.     Within the billing month of November, I caused to be provided as a  
7 bill insert the attached notices to customers in Arizona-American's ANTHEM WATER  
8 DISTRICT, SUN CITY WATER DISTRICT, ANTHEM/AGUA FRIA WASTEWATER  
9 DISTRICT, SUN CITY WASTEWATER DISTRICT, AND SUN CITY WEST  
10 WASTEWATER DISTRICT.

11                   Dated this 23 day of December, 2009.

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Barry Pawelek

15 State of California                    }  
16 County of San Diego                 }

17 Subscribed and Sworn to before me on December 23, 2009.

18 Name: 

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20 My Commission Expires: OCT 6 2012



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**PUBLIC NOTICE OF HEARING ON THE APPLICATION OF ARIZONA-AMERICAN WATER COMPANY FOR RATE INCREASES FOR UTILITY SERVICE IN ITS ANTHEM WATER DISTRICT, SUN CITY WATER DISTRICT, ANTHEM/AGUA FRIA WASTEWATER DISTRICT, SUN CITY WATER DISTRICT, AND SUN CITY WEST WASTEWATER DISTRICT.**  
**(DOCKET NOS. W-01303A-09-0343 AND SW-01303A-09-0343)**

#### **Summary**

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For its **Anthem/Agua Fria Wastewater District**, Arizona-American's application requests an annual revenue increase of approximately \$7,060,837, or 81.8 percent over current revenues. For average usage (5,814 gallons per month) residential customers of the Anthem/Agua Fria Wastewater District, Arizona-American's request would increase monthly rates by 81.8 percent or by \$39.26. If you would like the Company to calculate the impact of its proposal on your account based on your usage, please **contact its local office at [azrates@amwater.com](mailto:azrates@amwater.com)**.

The Commissions Utilities Division Staff ("Staff") is in the process of auditing and analyzing the application, and has not yet made any recommendations regarding

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Arizona-American's proposed rate increase. The Residential Utility Consumer Office ("RUCO") is also a party to this proceeding and will also analyze the application and make recommendations to the Commission. The Commission is not bound by the parties' proposals, but will determine the appropriate relief to be granted based on its consideration of all the evidence presented. The rates approved by the Commission may be higher or lower than the rates requested by Arizona-American.

**How You Can View or Obtain a Copy of the Rate Proposal**

Copies of the application and proposed rates are available from Arizona-American at the Arizona American Water Office, 15626 North Del Webb Boulevard, Sun City, AZ 85351, and at the Commission's Docket Control Center at 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, Arizona, for public inspection during regular business hours and on the Internet using the Commission's e-Docket function, which is located in the lower right hand corner on the Commission's website homepage, [www.azcc.gov](http://www.azcc.gov).

**Arizona Corporation Commission Public Hearing Information**

The Commission will hold a hearing on this matter beginning **April 19, 2010, at 10:00 a.m.**, at the Commission's offices, Hearing Room #1, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona. Public comments will be taken on the first day of the hearing. Written public comments may be submitted by mailing a letter referencing Docket No. W-01303A-09-0343 et al. 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](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.

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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 Arizona-American, a shareholder of Arizona-American, etc.); and
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For its **Sun City West Wastewater District**, Arizona-American's application requests an annual revenue increase of approximately \$1,480,756, or 26.2 percent over current revenues. For residential customers of the Sun City West Wastewater District, Arizona-American's request would increase monthly rates by 26.2 percent or by \$6.54. If you would like the Company to calculate the impact of its proposal on your account based on your usage, please **contact its local office at [azrates@amwater.com](mailto:azrates@amwater.com)**.

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#### **Arizona Corporation Commission Public Hearing Information**

The Commission will hold a hearing on this matter beginning **April 19, 2010, at 10:00 a.m.**, at the Commission's offices, Hearing Room #1, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona. Public comments will be taken on the first day of the hearing. Written public comments may be submitted by mailing a letter

referencing Docket No. W-01303A-09-0343 et al. 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](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.

**If you do not intervene in this proceeding, you will receive no further notice of the proceedings in this docket. However, all documents filed in this docket are available online** (usually within 24 hours after docketing) using the Commission's e-Docket function, which is located in the lower right hand corner of the Commission's website homepage, [www.azcc.gov](http://www.azcc.gov). RSS feeds are also available using the Commission's e-Docket function.

#### **About Intervention**

The law provides for an open public hearing at which, under appropriate circumstances, interested parties may intervene. 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 **January 8, 2010**, and send a copy of the motion to Arizona-American 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 Arizona-American, a shareholder of Arizona-American, etc.); and