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RE: MOTION FOR PUBLIC COMMENT MEETING in Yuma, AZ, in the application of Far West Water and Sewer, Inc. for an increase in its Rates and Charges for sewer utility service

DOCKET NO. WS-03478A-12-0307

Our names, addresses and telephone numbers are listed below.

As a group of Intervenor, we would like to add our names to the motion for Public Comment Meeting made by Intervenor Jerry S. Durden, October 4, 2012, and docketed October 28, 2012, which would allow the residents who cannot attend meetings in Phoenix to speak to the Arizona Corporation Commissioners concerning the application of Far West Water and Sewer, Inc. for an increase in its Rates and Charges for sewer services. The meeting should be held in the evening during the month of February, 2013, in order to allow the winter visitors, many of whom will have left the Yuma area by the time the April hearings are scheduled, and those people who work full time and those who cannot afford either the time or the money to attend the hearings in Phoenix, to meet with the commissioners to air their concerns.

Since the previous Public Comment Meeting in the prior rate increase request was held in a much smaller facility and hundreds of people were turned away, we would suggest a better location would be the Gila Ridge High School Auditorium, 7150 E. 24th Street, Yuma, AZ 85364, which can accommodate over 1300 people. The meeting should be held in the evening during the month of February, 2013, in order to allow the winter visitors who are a major portion of those affected by a rate increase, many of whom will have left the Yuma area by the time the April hearings are scheduled, and those people who work full time and those who cannot afford either the time or the money to attend the hearings in Phoenix, to meet with the commissioners to air their concerns.

Since the motion was previously filed and not opposed, we would like the Administrative Law Judge to issue an order granting the request for public comments in Yuma and to set the date, time and location which will accommodate the large number of expected attendees.

Sincerely,
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