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Company: EPCOR Sewer *AAWC Division: Sewer

Nature Of Opinion

Docket Number: WS-01303A-16-0145

Docket Position: For

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Utilities Division
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RE: DOCKET WS-01303A-16-0145

Commissioners Burns, Forese, Little, Stump & Tobin:

I am a resident of Conte Bella and a customer of EPCOR in their Agua Fria District. I am writing to request you to decide in favor of full consolidation of all 5 of EPCOR's wastewater districts in the above rate case.

The Sun Cities (Sun City and Sun City West) object to the rate increases they would incur due to full consolidation and claim they will be subsidizing newer communities. Actually, Epcor's expenses have historically been allocated to the Sun Cities customers at a significantly reduced rate per capita, while Agua Fria's customers have been subjected to wild fluctuating rates. Currently, Agua Fria is paying wastewater rates that are 180% of the marked rate.

I greatly understand the impact of rate increases having suffered through drastic increases over the years. I also understand Sun City will be impacted the most by the new rates. Therefore I support Epcor's recommendation of a 3 year phase-in of the new rates for Sun City following full consolidation to ease the transition.

I support following full consolidation of Epcor's wastewater districts and respectfully ask you to do the same.

Thank you for your consideration

Sincerely

[Signature]

Epcor customer

Ms. Ellen Weinstein

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