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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF TRUXTON CANYON WATER COMPANY, INC., FOR EMERGENCY RATE SURCHARGE

DOCKET NO. W-02168A-17-0042

FILING OF CUSTOMER NOTICE OF EMERGENCY RATE SURCHARGE HEARING

Truxton Canyon Water Company, Inc. ("Company") hereby files certification that the Company mailed each customer a copy of the public notice regarding the hearing concerning emergency rate case application. See Attachment 1.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 23rd day of March, 2017.

MOYES SELLERS & HENDRICKS LTD.

Steve Wene

Original and 13 copies of the foregoing filed on this 23rd day of March, 2017 with:

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Docket Control Arizona Corporation Commission 1200 W. Washington Street Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Copies of the foregoing emailed this 23rd day of March to:

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ATTACHMENT 1

DECLARATION OF LYNN DION

Upon penalty perjury, I declare as follows:

- 1. My name is Lynn Dion. I am over 18 years of age and I am competent to testify in all respects. I have personal knowledge regarding the matters stated in this declaration. If called to testify, I could and would testify consistently with the statements in this declaration.
- 2. I declare that on behalf of Truxton Canyon Water Company, Inc. ("Company"), on March 7, 2017, I mailed, or caused to be mailed, to each of the Company's customers a copy of the public notice regarding the Company's emergency rate case hearing, a copy of which is attached.
 - 3. I verify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: March 7, 2017.

Lynn Dion

PUBLIC NOTICE OF HEARING ON TRUXTON CANYON WATER COMPANY, INC.'S REQUEST FOR AN EMERGENCY RATE INCREASE DOCKET NO. W-02168A-17-0042

On February 16, 2017, Truxton Canyon Water Company or Company ("Company") filed with the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") an Application for an emergency rate increase. The Company claims that it is entitled to emergency rate relief because it needs to replace diesel motors powering well and booster pumps with electric power motors and extend electric power to the well site. The Company estimates that it will incur \$248,944 in costs to alleviate the emergency condition. In addition, the Company needs to generate an additional \$92,437 per year to meet the debt service coverage requirement imposed by the prospective lender. The Company is requesting authorization to recover this amount in emergency rates by implementing two monthly surcharges: (1) a loan surcharge in the amount of \$1.27 per customer using a ¾ inch meter; (2) a debt service coverage surcharge in the amount of \$1,078.40 per month applicable to each of the five meters serving the Valley Vista Property Owners Association golf course and \$2.40 per month for all other customers.

The Commission's Utilities Division ("Staff") is in the process of reviewing and analyzing the Application. Neither Staff nor any intervenor(s) has yet made any recommendation regarding the Company's request. The Commission is not bound by the proposals made by the Company, Staff, or any intervenor(s), and the Commission may approve the amount of the request, modify the amount higher or lower, or deny the request.

If you have any questions concerning how the Application may affect your bill or have other substantive questions about the Application, you may contact the Company at: Truxton Canyon Water Company, Inc., 7313 Concho Drive, #2, Kingman, Arizona 86401, 702-256-4006, info@truxtoncanyonwater.com

How You Can View or Obtain a Copy of the Application

Copies of the Application are available from the Company at 7317 Concho Dr. Ste. 2; Kingman, AZ 86401; at the Commission's Docket Control Center at 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona, during regular business hours; and on the Commission's website (www.azcc.gov) using the e-Docket function.

Arizona Corporation Commission Public Hearing Information

The Commission will hold a full public hearing on this matter. The Commission's Hearing Division will schedule a procedural conference to occur within five business days of the filing of the Application in order to set a public hearing date and establish other procedural requirements.

The Company will provide notice of the hearing date by means of posting notice in a conspicuous location within the affected communities, emailing notice to customers,

and/or posting on the Company's website (or by other appropriate means), to allow an opportunity for customers to attend the hearing and provide verbal public comment.

Public comments will be taken on the first day of the hearing. Written public comments may be submitted at any time by mailing a letter referencing Docket No. W-02168A-17-0042 to Arizona Corporation Commission, Consumer Services Section, 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, AZ 85007, or by submitting comments on the Commission's website (www.azcc.gov) using the "Submit a Public Comment for a Utility" function. If you require assistance, you may contact the Consumer Services Section during regular business hours at 602-542-4251 or 1-800-222-7000.

Public Hearing Information

The Commission will hold a **hearing** on this matter beginning on March 23, 2017, 10:00 a.m., at the Commission's offices, 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, AZ 85007. Public comments will be taken at the beginning of the hearing. Written public comments may be submitted by mailing a letter referencing Docket No. W-02168A-17-0042 to Arizona Corporation Commission, Consumer Services Section, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007, or be email. For a form to use and instructions on how to email comments to the Commission, go to:

http://www.azcc.gov/divisions/utilities/forms/PublicCommentForm.pdf.

If you require assistance, you may contact the Consumer Services Section at 1-800-222-7000 or (502) 628-6550.

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, and a copy of the motion to the Company or its counsel and to all parties of record. Your motion must contain the following:

- 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.
- A short statement of your interest in the proceeding (e.g., a customer of the Company, etc.).
- A statement certifying that you have mailed a copy of the motion to intervene to the Company or its counsel and to all parties of record in the case.

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 the hearing and to cross-examine other witnesses. However, <a href="failure to intervene will not preclude any interested person or entity from appearing at the hearing and providing public comment on the application or from filing written comments in the record of the case."

ADA/Equal Access Information

The Commission does not discriminate on the basis of disability in admission to its public meeting. Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation such as a sign language interpreter, as well as request this document in an alternative format, by contacting the ADA Coordinator Shaylin Bernal, E-mail <u>SABernal@azcc.gov</u>, voice phone number 602-542-3931. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.