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September 20, 2018

Re: Venango Water Company - Docket Number R-2018-3001503

B. E. Rhodes Sewer Company - Docket Number R-2018-3001505

Sugarcreek Water Company - Docket Number R-2018-3001506

West Hickory Water Company - Docket Number R-2018-3001507

Filings for Rate Change

Dear Ms. Chiavetta,

Enclosed with this letter is one copy each of answers to the Public Utility Commission's data requests for the following along with Certificates of Service:

Venango Water Company:
Bureau of Technical Utility Service - R-18 through R-19

B. E. Rhodes Sewer Company:
Bureau of Technical Utility Service - R-15 through R-16

Sugarcreek Water Company:
Bureau of Technical Utility Service - R-15 through R-16

West Hickory Water Company: Bureau of Technical Utility Service - R-16

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Randall L. Rhodes,

Secretary

Bureau of Technical Utility Services Water/Wastewater Division Data Request Set 2

West Hickory Water Company Supplement No. 8 to Water – Pa. P.U.C. No. 3 at Docket No. R-2018-3001507

- R-16. West Hickory Water Company's (West Hickory's) response to Data Request R-7 identified certain expenses that appear to be capital expenditures. For example, 2016 Operating Labor included a \$3,440 expense for "Contracted Meter Reading/Changing", where the portion of the \$3,440 expense for meter installation should be capitalized. Please either quantify the value of each of the following items or state the amount spent was less than \$150:
 - a. 2017 Operating Labor Meter Changing:
 - b. 2016 Operating Labor Meter Changing;
 - c. 2016 Operating Supplies Data Logger.

Answer (Randall Rhodes, Secretary):

- a. The amount for changing meters was \$210.00.
- b. The amount for changing meters was \$560.00.
- c. Data logger \$130.50, testing reagents \$185.60



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VERIFICATION

I, RANDALL L. RHODES, hereby state that the facts above set forth are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, and that I expect to be able to prove the same at a hearing held in this matter. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. § 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities).

Randall L. Rhodes, Secretary

September 19, 2018

<u>Instructions</u>: You must serve a copy of the Application and any amendments upon the Office of Consumer Advocate, Office of Small Business Advocate, and the Bureau of Investigation and Enforcement.

Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that I have on this date September 20, 2018, served a true copy of West Hickory Water Company's responses to the Commission's Bureau of Technical Utility Services Data Request Set 2 upon the participants, listed below, in accordance with the requirements of §1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

Signature

Name (printed) Randall L. Rhodes

Title (printed) Secretary

Office of Consumer Advocate 555 Walnut Street 5th Floor Forum Place Harrisburg, PA 17101-1923

Office of Small Business Advocate Commerce Building, Suite 1102 300 North Second Street Harrisburg, PA 17101

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