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August 25, 2014

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility
Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street
Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265

**In re: Application of Pennsylvania-American Water Company for approval of the right to offer, render, furnish or supply water service to the public in an additional portion of West Sadsbury Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania.
Docket No. A-2014-2433202**

Dear Ms. Chiavetta:

In response to Jani Tuzinski's letter dated August 25, 2014 attached for e-filing is Pennsylvania-American Water Company's answers to the data requests regarding the above referenced application.

Respectfully,

Seth A. Mendelsohn

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Enclosure

cc: J. Tuzinski
B. Ambrose

**Bureau of Technical Utility Services
Water/Wastewater Division
Data Request 1
Application of Pennsylvania-American Water Company
West Sadsbury Township, Chester County
Docket No. A-2014-2433205
August 25, 2014**

Note: Restate the data request prior to providing a response. In addition, provide the name of the person(s) providing the response and/or information for each data response.

A-1. Please provide a breakdown of the approximate cost of the wastewater main installation of \$4,000. (Item 17 of the Application).

Response: The breakdown of the approximate cost of the installation is: Labor - \$2,616.00; Equipment - \$1,130.00; Materials (paving, pipe and fittings) - \$400.00

A-2. Please clarify, Item 8 of the Application states "No additional capital will be required by the Applicant for the purpose of financing the matters and things involved in this Application." Item 17, however, states "The cost of the wastewater main installation will be borne by Pennsylvania American Water." Please explain the apparent conflict of these statements.

Response: Item 8 of the Application that refers to additional capitalmeans that PAWC will not be taking on short or long term debt to pay for this installation. Item 17 means that PAWC will pay for the cost of installation of the wastewater main from funds allocated to operations for the purpose of providing an environmentally safe and reliable wastewater system in this area.

A-3. Item 16 of the Application states "there is a need to make reliable and safe wastewater service available to the residential property." What is the specific cause of the need? For example, has the existing system failed.

Response: Technically the septic system is not listed as "failed" by the Chester County Board of Health, however the property owner would like to sell this property and was informed by a licensed Home Inspector that it would not pass inspection.

A-4. Is there any affiliation between the property owner of 652 North Limestone Road, Parkersburg and PAWC? For example financial or other incentive in addition to the normal incentive to extend service to a residential customer?

Response: There is no affiliation between the property owner and PAWC. The incentive in this case is to be a responsible partner with our communities to make sure that potentially failing septic systems are not contaminating neighboring residential wells.

A-5. Please reconcile the wastewater customer count shown in Item 5 of 16,629 and the count of 18,064 shown on page 5 of Exhibit A of the Application.

Response: The wastewater count in Item 5 is a “real time” customer count that is provided on a monthly basis which fluctuates from time to time. This fluctuation is primarily seasonal or as customers move in and move out of residences and businesses. The count of 18,064 on Exhibit A which is a history of the Company’s acquisitions, provides the total number of customers that are acquired from the purchase of various wastewater systems. This number does not reflect the same kind of activity that our monthly numbers take into account.

A-6 Does the extension of wastewater service to the property identified in the Application comply with the 537 Plan? Provide verification of compliance.

Response: Attached please find a letter for DEP which supports the above referenced application for this customer and confirms that the requested service does not meet the definition of a subdivision. Therefore, no planning modules are required to be submitted to DEP.

VERIFICATION

JAMES P. KELLY, subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. Cons. Stat. § 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities, hereby avers that he is Field Operations Supervisor, for PENNSYLVANIA-AMERICAN WATER COMPANY, that as such he is authorized to sign this Verification its behalf; and that the facts set forth in the foregoing Responses to Data Requests are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information or belief.



James P. Kelly, Field Operations Supervisor

Dated: 8-25-14



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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL OFFICE

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July 9, 2014

Mr. Timothy Good
652 North Limestone Road
Parkesburg, PA 19365

Re: Application for Planning Modules
652 North Limestone Road Project
DEP Code 1-15969-282-X
West Sadsbury Township
Chester County

Dear Mr. Good:

This letter is in reference to your application for Sewage Facilities Planning Modules for the connection of an existing dwelling to the public sewer system. This project is located at 652 North Limestone Road in West Sadsbury Township, Chester County.

The project will be connected to the Pennsylvania American Water Company collection system and will generate 225 gallons of sewage per day to be treated at the Pennsylvania American Water Company Wastewater Treatment Facility.

This project does not meet the definition of a subdivision under the Pennsylvania Sewage Facilities Act. Therefore, no planning modules are required to be submitted to the Regional Office of the Department of Environmental Protection.

If you have any questions, please call me at 484.250.5182.

Sincerely,

Kelly A. Sweeney
Sewage Planning Specialist 2
Clean Water

cc: Chester County Health Department
Chester County Planning Commission
Ms. Mammarella - West Sadsbury Township
Mr. Kelly - Pennsylvania American Water Company
Planning Section
Re 30 (GJE14CLW)190-6