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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street, 2nd Floor
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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

**RE: The Borough of Ambler Supplement No. 40 to Tariff Water – PA. P.U.C. No. 5;
Docket No. R-2022-3031704**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

On behalf of the Borough of Ambler (“Borough”), please find attached for filing with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (“PUC” or “Commission”) the following document submitted in connection with the Borough’s Supplement No. 40 to Tariff Water – PA. P.U.C. No. 5 (“Supplement No. 40”), which was filed with the Commission on March 31, 2022.

1. Proof of Publication from the following newspaper and the date of publication, as well as the Affidavit of Adeolu A. Bakare, counsel for the Borough, verifying that notice of the Borough’s Supplement No. 40 was published in the major newspaper serving the Borough’s service area, in accordance with 52 Pa. Code § 53.45.

- The Ambler Gazette, Montgomery News Digital, April 10, 2022.

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Adeolu A. Bakare', written over a white background.

Adeolu A. Bakare
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Counsel to the Borough of Ambler

c: Certificate of Service

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I am this day serving a true copy of the foregoing document upon the participants listed below in accordance with the requirements of Section 1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

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Dated this 8th day of July, 2022, in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

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Attention:

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,

The undersigned Shelley G. Meenan, being duly sworn the he/she is the principal clerk of The Ambler Gazette, Montgomery News Digital, published in Montgomery County for the dissemination of local or transmitted news and intelligence of a general character, which are duly qualified newspapers, and the annexed hereto is a copy of certain order, notice, publication or advertisement of:

The Borough of Ambler ("Borough"), March 31, 2022, filed a new tariff with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission ("PUC") for an increase in water rates applicable to customers residing outside the Borough. The Borough last increased water rates on January 1, 2015. While the Borough has maintained the present rates since January 1, 2015, additional revenues are now required to meet rising operational costs and fund various system improvements. The additional revenues will enable the Borough to improve pipeline integrity and replace aging pipelines. The new water rates are scheduled to become effective on May 30, 2022, and will increase the Borough's revenues from outside customers by \$637,691 per year. The total bill for an average residential customer will increase by \$36.16, from \$80.03 to \$116.19 per quarter. The total bill for an average commercial customer will increase by \$85.01, from \$184.38 to \$269.39 per quarter. The total bill for an average industrial customer will increase by \$1,195.03 from \$2,505.27 to \$3,700.30 per quarter. Questions regarding the water rate increase can be directed to the Borough Office at (215) 646-1000.
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