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 Pennsylvania Public  
 Utility Commission  
                   v.  
 Pennsylvania-American  
 Water Company  
  
 Call-In Telephonic  
 Public Input Hearing  
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Docket Nos.: R-2022-  
 3031672 Water  
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 3031673  
                   Wastewater

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Judge's Chambers  
 Keystone Building  
 400 North Street  
 Harrisburg, PA

Tuesday, July 19, 2022  
 Commencing at 6:03 p.m.

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## PA AMERICAN WATER CONCERNS – 7/19/2022

- I own three properties on Old Steubenville Pike, Robinson Township: 9646, 9710 and 9788
- **Each** property will definitely benefit from a public water source.
- **# 9646** – Water supply is from a “Spring” which is raw, unfiltered and unprocessed water; also concerned with water quality affected by the “drilling blow-out” located on the eastern edge of **this property** on St. Patrick’s Run.

### EXPENSES:

Each year when we experience a “drought”, the water stops flowing and we must have water hauled to the site - \$200 per load/800 gallon.

- **# 9710** – Water supply is from a “Well”.

Water is foul smelling; creates a scale build-up on appliance faucets; stains bathtubs and sinks; low water pressure caused by mineral accumulation in clogged pipes; leaves a black residue floating on the surface of the water

This property is drawing it’s water from Raccoon Creek which was impacted by the “drilling blow-out” on St. Patrick’s Run.

This property is also drawing its water from Raccoon Creek which has been polluted for years from the sulfur run-off from the Champion Coal Washer Plant (Route 980) started in 1928. It was a “coal-washing” facility that removed impurities from the coal and the contaminated water was then diverted to Raccoon Creek causing many contaminated water wells.

### EXPENSES:

Purchased a whole house “Water Filtration and Salt-Based Softener System” - \$4,000 plus monthly salt purchases

Sewage System: We are charged the “full monthly amount” on our sewage bill as we do not have a water meter to calculate our usage

- **# 9788** – Water supply is from a “Spring” which is raw, unfiltered and unprocessed water

**EXPENSES:**

This is “farm” property in which we have many animals: Cattle, Sheep & Goats

Each year when we experience a “drought”, the water stops flowing and we must have water hauled to our holding tank (800 gallons) - \$200 per load to accommodate the animals needs

**SUMMARY:** In general this area of Old Steubenville Pike could definitely benefit from a public water source.

We are only **220 feet** from the public water supply at 1965 Old Steubenville Pike, Burgettstown, PA 15021.

I have spoken to Jake Gentile, Senior Manager of Operations at PA American Water on several occasions.

On 9/2/2021, our Robinson Township Manager, Crystal Brown set-up a meeting with Jake Gentile, Senior Manager of Operations at Pa American Water and Tiffany Reed, P.E.; Senior Project Engineer at PA American Water, our Township Supervisors, Township Engineer and myself.

We discussed the on-going concerns of residents on Old Steubenville Pike with our quality and shortage of water.

Mr. Gentile and Ms. Reed agreed there is a need for an expansion of public water in that area.

**NOTE: I AM ATTACHING THE E-MAIL I RECEIVED FROM MR. GENTILE ON 10/28/2020 REGARDING THE MAIN EXTENSION COST.**

**BONNIE MOORE**

**724-678-0231**

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10/28/20

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**Sent:** Wednesday, October 28, 2020 3:22:42 PM  
**Subject:** Old Steubenville Pike Ext.

Bonnie,

The main extension would be approx.. 3000' and the shortfall on the project would be approx.. \$480,000, which would need to be funded by others.

Jake

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