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APPLICATION OF DOUBLE DIAMOND UTILITY COMPANY, INC. FOR WATER AND SEWER RATE/TARIFF CHANGE

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**ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS** 

#### DOUBLE DIAMOND UTILITY COMPANY, INC.'S COMMENTS REGARDING COMMISSION NUMBER RUNS

COMES NOW, Double Diamond Utility Company, Inc. ("DDU") and files these comments regarding the Commission Number Run – Based on September 12, 2019 Open Meeting Discussion ("Commission Number Run") filed with the Public Utility Commission (the "Commission") on October 2, 2019.

DDU acknowledges that this pleading is being filed after 3pm on the 5<sup>th</sup> day after the Commission Number Run was filed, and requests leave to late file its comments. DDU has reviewed the Commission Number Run and determined that there is an error in the calculations that must be corrected. The Commission Number Run fails to include the annual depreciation on the grinder pumps in the calculation of the revenue requirement. The corrected calculations are shown in Attachment A to these comments.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Double Diamond Utility Company, Inc., hereby requests that Commission grant it leave to late file these comments and that the Commission Number Run be corrected to include the appropriate depreciation for the grinder pumps as shown on Attachment A.



Respectfully submitted,

By:

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ATTORNEY FOR DOUBLE DIAMOND UTILITY COMPANY, INC.

# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have served or will serve a true and correct copy of the foregoing document via hand delivery, facsimile, electronic mail, overnight mail, U.S. mail and/or Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested to all parties on this the 10<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2019.

John J. Carlton

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PUC DOCKET NO.

COMPANY NAME Double Diamond Utility Company, Inc. - White Bluff Subdivision - Sewer TEST YEAR END 12/31/2015

Commission Company Commission Adjustments Company Requested Final Test Year Adjustments Test Year To Company Revenue Total To Test Year Total Request Requirement REVENUE REQUIREMENT (f)=(c)+(d)(a) (b) (c)=(a)+(b)(d) **Operations and Maintenance** 257,348 \$ (142, 425)135,395 \$ 20,472 \$ 277,820 \$ \$ Total Depreciation and Amortization Expense \$ 69,816 \$ 14,884 \$ 84,700 \$ (78, 114)\$ 6,586 Utility \$ 4,397 **Developer Contributions** 2,189 \$ Taxes Other Than Income \$ 62,144 \$ (4,038) \$ 58,106 \$ (5, 897)\$ 52,209 Federal Income Taxes \$ 27,354 \$ 27,354 \$ \$ \$ -(26, 389)965 **Return on Invested Capital** \$ 721 \$ 128,003 \$ 128,724 \$ (123, 273)\$ 5.451 \$ 390.029 TOTAL 186,675 \$ \$ 576,704 \$ (376,097)\$ 200,606 Other Revenues (4,574)(4,574) \$ (4,574) \$ 572,130 \$ (376.097)196,032 Revenue Requirement Used to Set Rates \$ 390.029 \$ 182,101 \$ \$

Depr on grinder pumps of

3,820.45 needs to be added

Schedule I-Sewer Revenue Requirement

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COMPANY NAME	Double Diamond Utility Company, Inc White Bluff Subdivision - Water and Sewer	

TEST YEAR END 12/31/2015

		Commission Accumulated								
							Years in		Annual	Commission Annual
	Original Cost		Depreciation		In-service Life	service		Depreciation		Depreciation Rate
Water Utility Contributions	\$	71,367	\$	(3,012)				\$	1,923	2.6942%
Water Developer Contributions	\$	429,978	\$	(220,101)	1996-2015	\$	19	\$	11,584	2.6942%
Total Water	\$	501,345	\$	(223,113)	····			\$	13,507	
Sewer Utility Contributions	\$	102,034	\$	(3,505)				\$	4,397	Various
Sewer Developer Contributions	\$	97,380	\$	(41,600)				\$	2,189	2.2484%
Total Sewer Annual Depreciation	\$	199,414	\$	(45,105)				\$	6,586	
Grinder Pumps	¢	76,409	¢	(1,910)	\$ 42,185	¢	20	¢	3,820	5.0000%
Ginder Pumps	<u> </u>	10,409	φ	(1,910)	<del>φ</del> 42,100	φ	20	φ	3,820	5.0000%

Sewer Summary		umulated reciation	Net Book Value		
Commission Determined Sewer Assets - Utility Contributed	<u> </u>	(1,595)	\$	24,030	
Grinder Pumps capitalized	\$	<u>(1,910)</u>	\$	74,499	
Total original cost - Sewer	\$	(3,505)	\$	98,528	

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