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RATEPAYER PROTEST

If you wish to PROTEST the proposed rate change, you must submit this form and 10 copies to:

Filing Clerk
Public Utility Commission of Texas
1701 North Congress Avenue
P.O. Box 13326
Austin, Texas 78711-3326

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PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
FILING CLERK

Unless protests are received from at least 10% of ratepayers or from any affected municipality, or the Commission Staff requests a hearing, no hearing will be held and the rates will be effective as proposed.

CUSTOMER INFORMATION (to be completed by customers submitting protests)

First Name: Janet Last Name: Pribble
Phone Number: 940-894-3314 Fax Number: N/A
Address, City, State: PO Box 166 Montague TX 76251
Location where service is received: 753 FM 1806 Montague TX
(if different from the mailing address)

Please fill out the following:

I wish to PROTEST the following proposed rate action/s:

- ☒ Water Rate Change ☐ Sewer Rate Change ☐ Both Water and Sewer Rate Change
☐ Other (please specify below)

Signature of Protestor:

Janet Pribble Date: 6-24-17

Si desea informacion en Espanol, puede llamar al
1-888-782-8477

Hearing- and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones may contact the PUC's Customer Assistance
Hotline at
512-936-7136

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF Montague

I, Edward A. Fenoglio being duly sworn, file this **NOTICE OF PROPOSED RATE CHANGE**

as

President, Custom Water Company, LLC

(indicate relationship to Utility, that is, owner, member of partnership, title as officer of corporation, or other authorized representative of Utility); that, in such capacity, I am qualified and authorized to file and verify such NOTICE; and that all statements made and matters set forth herein are true and correct.

I further represent that a copy of the attached NOTICE was provided
by

U.S. Mail

(method of delivery),

to each customer or other affected party on or about June 15, 2017

Edward A. Fenoglio

AFFIANT

(Utility's Authorized Representative)

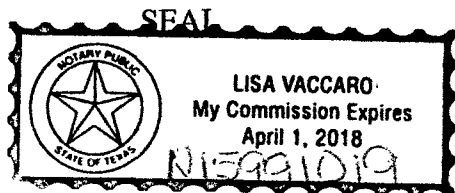
Custom Water Company, LLC

NAME OF UTILITY

If the Affiant to this form is any person other than the sole owner, partner, officer of the Utility, or its attorney, a properly verified Power of Attorney must be enclosed.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME,

this the 5TH day of JUNE, 20 17, to certify
which witness my hand and seal of office.



Lisa Vaccaro
NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR THE
STATE OF TEXAS
LISA VACCARO
PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NOTARY

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES APR 01, 2018

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RATE CHANGE PURSUANT TO TEX. WATER CODE § 13.1871

Custom Water Company, LLC

13211

Company Name

CCN Number(s)

has filed a rate change application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission or PUC). The application may be reviewed online at interchange.puc.texas.gov. You may also inspect a copy of the rate change application at your utility's office at the address below or at the Commission's office (1701 N. Congress Ave, Austin, TX 78701). The proposed rates will apply to service received after the effective date provided below, unless modified or suspended by the Commission. If the Commission receives a sufficient number of protests, separately or in a combined protest letter, from at least ²⁴ [number of] ratepayers (10 percent of the utility's customers over whose rates the Commission has original jurisdiction) or from any affected municipality before the 91st day after the proposed effective date, the matter will be set for hearing. **See Protest Form on the next page for instructions on how to protest.**

EFFECTIVE DATE OF PROPOSED INCREASE: 7/20/2017

(must be at least 35 days after notice is provided to customers and 35 days after application is filed)

(Proposed rates requested by the utility are not final. The Commission may modify the rates and order a refund or credit against future bills all sums collected during the pendency of the rate proceeding in excess of the rate finally ordered plus interest.)

Reason(s) for proposed Rate Change:

Rate revenues insufficient to cover future expenditures.

BILLING COMPARISON

Water

Existing	5,000 gallons:	\$ <u>56.00</u> /mo	Proposed	5,000 gallons:	\$ <u>66.91</u> /mo
Existing	10,000 gallons:	\$ <u>81.00</u> /mo	Proposed	10,000 gallons:	\$ <u>91.91</u> /mo
Existing	30,000 gallons:	\$ <u>181.00</u> /mo	Proposed	30,000 gallons:	\$ <u>191.91</u> /mo

Sewer

Existing	5,000 gallons:	\$ <u>0.00</u> /mo	Proposed	5,000 gallons:	\$ <u>0.00</u> /mo
Existing	10,000 gallons:	\$ <u>0.00</u> /mo	Proposed	10,000 gallons:	\$ <u>0.00</u> /mo

Montague Water System: PWS #1690004

Oak Shores Water System: PWS #1690011

Subdivision(s) or System(s) Affected by Rate Change

146 Alamo Rd.	Montague	Texas	76251
Company Address	City	State	Zip

(940) 894-3172

Company Phone Number

32,482.00

6/15/2017

Annual Revenue Increase

Date Notice Delivered

9/23/2015

20th of each month

Date of Last Rate Change

Date Meters Typically Read

* Prior to providing notice, the utility shall file a request for the assignment of a docket number for the application.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RATE CHANGE –WATER

CURRENT RATES			PROPOSED RATES		
Monthly base rate including _____ 1,000 gallons			Monthly base rate including _____ 1,000 gallons		
Meter Size:			Meter Size:		
RESIDENTIAL			RESIDENTIAL		
5/8" or 3/4"	\$	36.00	5/8" or 3/4"	\$	46.91
1"	\$	70.72	1"	\$	92.16
1 1/2"	\$	135.24	1 1/2"	\$	176.23
2"	\$	212.67	2"	\$	277.13
3"	\$	393.34	3"	\$	512.57
Other: 0	\$	0.00	Other: 0	\$	0.00
GALLONAGE CHARGE:			GALLONAGE CHARGE:		
TIER	VOLUME	CHARGE per 1000 gals.	TIER	VOLUME	CHARGE per 1000 gals.
Tier 1	0 to 1,000 gals.	\$ 0.00 /1000 gals.	Tier 1	0 to 1,000 gals.	\$ 0.00 /1000 gals.
Tier 2	1,001 to 1,000,000 gals.	\$ 5.00 /1000 gals.	Tier 2	1,001 to 1,000,000 gals.	\$ 5.00 /1000 gals.
Tier 3	to gals.	\$ 0.00 /1000 gals.	Tier 3	to gals.	\$ /1000 gals.
Tier 4	to gals.	\$ 0.00 /1000 gals.	Tier 4	to gals.	\$ /1000 gals.
Tier 5	to gals.	\$ 0.00 /1000 gals.	Tier 5	to gals.	\$ /1000 gals.
MISCELLANEOUS FEES			MISCELLANEOUS FEES		
Tap Fee	\$	350.00	Tap Fee	\$	350.00
Reconnect fee: Non-payment	\$	25.00	Reconnect fee: Non-payment (Maximum - \$25.00)	\$	25.00
Customer's Request	\$	50.00	Customer's Request	\$	50.00
Transfer Fee	\$	50.00	Transfer Fee	\$	50.00
Late Charge	\$	5.00	Late charge: (Indicate either \$5.00 or 10%)	\$	5.00
Returned Check Charge	\$	25.00	Returned Check Charge	\$	25.00
Deposit	\$	50.00	Deposit (Maximum \$50.00)	\$	50.00
Meter test fee	\$	25.00	Meter test fee (Maximum - \$25.00)	\$	25.00

Regulatory Assessment of 1% is added to base rate and gallonage charges. Additional fees and meter sizes may be shown on a separate page.

If applicable, list any bill payment assistance programs to low income Ratepayers.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RATE CHANGE –SEWER

CURRENT RATES	PROPOSED RATES
Monthly base rate including _____ gallons	Monthly base rate including _____ gallons
Meter Size:	Meter Size:
RESIDENTIAL	RESIDENTIAL
5/8" or 3/4" \$	5/8" or 3/4" \$
1" \$	1" \$
1 1/2" \$	1 1/2" \$
2" \$	2" \$
3" \$	3" \$
Other: 0 \$	Other: \$
GALLONAGE OR FIXED CHARGE:	GALLONAGE OR FIXED CHARGE:
\$ _____	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> per month; OR	<input type="checkbox"/> per month; OR
<input type="checkbox"/> for each additional 1,000 gallons over the minimum.	<input type="checkbox"/> for each additional 1,000 gallons over the minimum.
Gallonge charges are determined based on average consumption for winter period which includes the following months:	Gallonge charges are determined based on average consumption for winter period which includes the following months:
MISCELLANEOUS FEES	MISCELLANEOUS FEES
Tap Fee \$	Tap Fee \$
Reconnect fee: Non-payment \$	Reconnect fee: Non-payment \$ (Maximum - \$25.00)
Customer's Request \$	Customer's Request \$
Transfer Fee \$	Transfer Fee \$
Late Charge \$	Late charge: (Indicate either \$5.00 or 10%) \$
Returned Check Charge \$	Returned Check Charge \$
Deposit \$	Deposit \$ (Maximum \$50.00)
Meter test fee \$	Meter test fee \$ (Maximum - \$25.00)

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