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**APPLICATION OF INTERVENORS
AGAINST FOREST GLEN UTILITY
FOR AUTHORITY TO CHANGE**

**STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE
HEARINGS**

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
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MOTION TO DENY ALIGNMENT OF INTERVENORS

COMES NOW, Van Johnson, Fleming D. Mitchell, Dennis Brown, and Cecil J. Perkins (all intervenors and residents of Potranco Ranch) files this motion to deny Forest Glen motion to Align Intervenors, and in support thereof, would respectfully show the following:

I. BACKGROUND

At the Prehearing Conference on May 18, 2018, the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH") Administrative Law Judge (ALF) asked if the Van Johnson, Fleming D. Mitchell, Dennis Brown, and Cecil J. Perkins would agree to be aligned for purposes of participating in the above-docketed hearing. At that time, we all declined the alignment.

On June 18, 2018, Van Johnson and Fleming D. Mitchell were contacted by one of the Attorney Helen Gilbert, representing Forest Glen Utility. Mr. Mitchell was the first to be contacted. He called me to ask if I received a call. Attorney H. Gilbert contacted me in the afternoon and left a message. I returned her call and listened to her intended motion. Mr. C. Perkins received a similar notification through email, June 15, 2018, saying the motion was submitted June 15, 2018, 11 a.m.; and Mr. D. Brown was contacted by PUC on June 18, 2018. However, we, intervenors, are NOT in agreement with the alignment proposal.

II. ARGUMENT

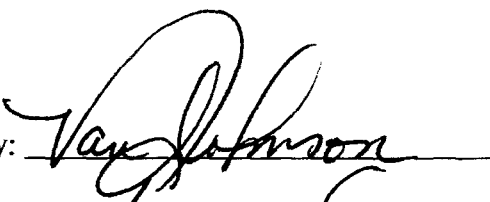
Messrs. Van Johnson, Dennis Brown, Cecil J. Perkins, and Fleming D. Mitchell — have filed written protests and/or requests for intervention stating their objection to the sewer rate increase sought by FGU. Each of us have issues related to Forest Glen as a whole and are separate for the following reasoning: Upon conversations between each other, we realize the impact, documents, communications, etc. were from different perspectives based on reason for contact and documents received by each intervenor at the time of purchasing their home and subsequent dealings with Forest Glen and or Yancey Water Corporation billing statements. Therefore, we oppose the alignment into a single representative.

Furthermore, Forest Glen Utility attorney representatives concluded, "None of the intervenors have stated disparate positions or disagreement with each other;" however, we have NOT shared our interests with Forest Glen Utility attorneys. So, their conclusion is unfounded.

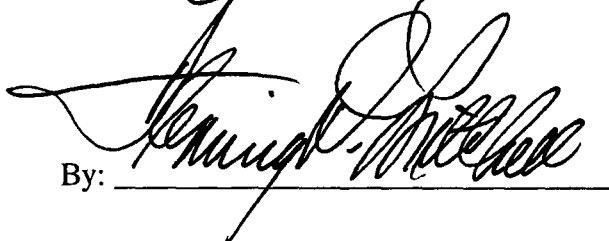
III. PRAYER

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Forest Glen Utility Company requests that the ALJ deny alignment of intervenors and any future intervenors into a single representative and grant service upon the intervenors be allowed through email service only, unless single hard copy mail service is the only reasonable method.

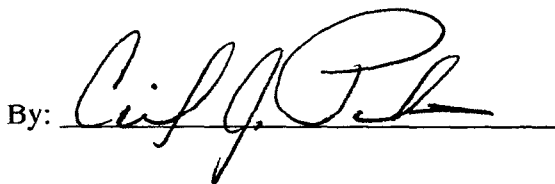
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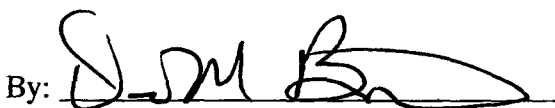
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Van Johnson, hereby certify that I have or will serve a true and correct copy of the foregoing document via hand delivery, facsimile, electronic mail, overnight mail, U.S. mail, or Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested on all parties on the 18th of June 2018.