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COMMUNICATION FROM INTERESTED PARTY

ICC Docket Number, or Docket Number or Case Number from Other Jurisdiction

(Please be specific):

Subject of the Communication (Note - This field is limited to 8 lines of text):

Proposed rate increase filed by Camelot Utilities, Inc.

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Name of the Commission Officer or Employee Making Report (first, then last name):

Job Title:

Names and Job Titles of Other Commission Employees Present:

Date of Communication:

Location of Parties to Communication:

Mode of Communication (Please Check All That Apply):

e-Mail FAX In Person Mail Telephone

Nature and Substance of All Oral Communications (Note - This field is limited to 15 lines of text):

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- Written communications were received but are not being submitted.

Please Check One:

- Submitted are copies of written responses (optional).
- No written responses were made.
- Written responses were made but are not being submitted.

Name of, Title of, and Entity Represented by Person Communicating to You:

E-mail written by Bobbe Marion, a ratepayer in Camelot's service territory.

State What Action, If Any, the Person Requested or Recommended (Note - 11 lines of text):

Party request a thorough review of this case before any decision is made.

Include Any Other Information You Deem Pertinent (Note - Limited to 8 lines of text):

N/A.

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Under Section 5-50(b-5) of the State Officials and Employees Ethics Act, the information required by this form shall promptly be memorialized and made a part of the record.



Rolando, Elizabeth

Subject: FW: Utilities Inc. Water & Sewer Rate Increase - Camelot Subdivison
Attachments: Ex Parte - Interested[3].pdf

From: b_marion@comcast.net [mailto:b_marion@comcast.net]
Sent: Thursday, March 17, 2011 9:21 AM
To: Teague, Sonya
Subject: Utilities Inc. Water & Sewer Rate Increase - Camelot Subdivison

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT I AM OBJECTING TO THE PROPOSED WATER AND SEWER RATE INCREASE AS PROPOSED BY UTILITIES, INC.

I can certainly understand the need for Camelot Utilities to request a rate increase to improve our water and sewer conditions in Camelot because it is obviously in need of improvement, however I cannot understand how any company could possibly PROPOSE an increase of 141%. Based on my last year's bills, my average monthly cost for water and sewer was \$54.75. With the proposed increase, my average monthly cost would have been \$131.95! My household has ONE income. My salary has been frozen for the past two years. Because our subdivision has no other source for water and sewer it is impossible to go somewhere else because we are unhappy with the rates. If Utilities Inc. needs a rate increase (which they most likely do based on the letter we received), perhaps consideration should not only be given to the amount of the increase they are requesting but they should also consider spreading it over the course of the next few years. Please keep in mind the state of the economy at the present time as you consider this request. I also know that companies PROPOSE enormous increases hoping to get approved for at least a portion of the increase. But it is my understanding that Utilities Inc have done this before and they did receive approvals for almost all that they requested. Please review this case thoroughly before any decisions are made. Camelot subdivision has been paying more for water than any other area surrounding us for years. Joliet and Shorewood are just now starting to catch up to what we currently pay and have been paying all these years. An increase like this will only further depreciate our home values in an economic time when everyone is suffering.

Thank you for your time and consideration.
Bobbe Marion
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