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May 6, 2016

#### VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mary M. Becerra Secretary of the Commission Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission 101 W. Washington Street, Suite 1500E Indianapolis, IN 46204

Re:

30-day Filing

Dear Ms. Becerra:

Pursuant to the Commission's Order in Cause No. 44551-U, Apple Valley Utilities, Inc. ("Apple Valley") submits the attached non-recurring charges for approval with the Commission in accordance with 170 IAC § 1-6. The filing is consistent with the Commission's Final Order in Cause No. 44551-U dated April 6, 2016, and is allowable under 170 IAC § 1-6-3(4).

Apple Valley has posted a copy of this notice in its office and has submitted a copy of the attached notice for publication in a newspaper of general circulation. For the Commission's convenience, I am attaching a copy of the notice and a verification indicating that notice has been provided in accordance with this rule.

To the extent you have questions or comments or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at the number listed above.

Very truly yours,

Jonathan W. Hughes

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cc: Tiffany Murray – OUCC

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# APPLE VALLEY UTILITIES, INC. Hebron, Indiana

# WATER AND SEWER DIVISIONS MODIFIED CUSTOMER RATES

#### **Other Charges**

#### Tap Fee

Residential Tap Fee Water \$ 208.00
Residential Tap Fee Sewer \$ 208.00

#### **Customer Deposit**

Water - Flat Rate Customers	\$ 42.80
Sewer - Flat Rate Customers	\$ 82.20

Sewer - Metered Customers - Average of the two highest billing months from the last 12 consecutive months during which bills were rendered.

NSF Fee/Returned Check Charge	\$ 11.00
Reconnect/Disconnect Fee	\$ 30.00
Reconnect/Disconnect Fee - after hours	\$ 44.00

 $\underline{\text{Late Fee}}$  - 10% of the first \$3 and 3% of the excess of all bills not paid within 17 days of issue.

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<sup>\*</sup>Tap fee is for clerical labor, workplan review, and inspection only. Customers to be responsible to retain a contractor, obtain materials, and pay for all associated costs of installation.

<sup>\*\*</sup> All clerical labor, workplan review, and inspection for non-residential taps are billed at cost.

# Tap Fee Calculation

	 Water	 Sewer
Clerical Labor - 0.5 Hours	\$ 5.75	\$ 5.75
Workplan approval - 5 hours	112.50	112.50
Inspection/On Site Labor - 4 Hours	 90.00	 90.00
Tap Fee	\$ 208.25	\$ 208.25

Commerical Installations will be billed out at actual time.

# Disconnect / Reconnect Charge Calculation

Average miles roundtrip to disconnect x Cost per mile of service truck		\$0.00	\$0.00
Average miles roundtrip to reconnect x Cost per mile of service truck		0 \$0.00	-
Number of field employees to disconnect Time for field employees to disconnect Hourly rate for field employees	\$	1 0.5 18.00	9.00
Number of field employees to reconnect Time for field employees to reconnect Hourly rate for field employees	\$	1 0.5 18.00	9.00
Time for clerical employees Hourly rate for field employees	_\$	1 11.50	11.50
Disconnect / Reconnect Charge			\$29.50
Rounded			\$30.00

# Disconnect / Reconnect Charge Calculation - After Hours

Average miles roundtrip to disconnect x Cost per mile of service truck	\$0.00	\$0.00
Average miles roundtrip to reconnect x Cost per mile of service truck	\$0.00	-
Number of field employees to disconnect Time for field employees to disconnect Hourly rate for field employees	1 0.5 \$ 27.00	13.50
Number of field employees to reconnect Time for field employees to reconnect Hourly rate for field employees	1 0.5 \$ 27.00	13.50
Time for clerical employees Hourly rate for field employees	1 \$ 17.25	17.25
Disconnect / Reconnect Charge		\$44.25
Rounded		\$44.00

# Insufficient Funds Charge Calculation

Charge by Bank for insufficient funds item of customer deposited			\$5.00
Time for clerical employees Hourly rate for clerical employees	_\$	0.5 11.50	5.75
Insufficient Funds Charge			\$10.75
Rounded			\$11.00

#### **VERIFICATION**

I verify under the penalties for perjury that I have contacted *The Lowell Tribune* to arrange for immediate publication of the attached Notice. This newspaper is circulated within Apple Valley Utilities, Inc.'s territory. I have also posted a copy of this Notice in our office located at 17151 Morse Street, Lowell, IN 46356.

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Apple Valley Utilities, Inc.

17151 Morse Street Lowell, IN 46356

Phone: (219) 696-2800

Date: May 6, 2016

# NOTICE OF THIRTY-DAY FILING WITH THE INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

On May 6, 2016, Apple Valley Utilities, Inc. ("Apple Valley") filed with the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission ("IURC") the following tariff of non-recurring charges for approval:

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<u>Late Fee</u> - 10% of the first \$3 and 3% of the excess of all bills not paid within 17 days of issue.

The tariff for non-recurring charges is applicable to all customers of the utility in accordance with Apple Valley's rules and regulations. Apple Valley anticipates that the IURC will approve the filing on or before June 6, 2016. To the extent any interested party seeks to file an objection, they may do so by contacting the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission, Attn: Secretary to the Commission, PNC Center, Suite 1500 East, 101 W. Washington Street, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204, Phone No. (317) 232-2701, or the Office of the Utility Consumer Counselor, PNC Center, 115 W. Washington Street, Suite 1500 South, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204, Phone No. 1-888-441-2494.