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# Hublic Service Commission

October 13, 2009



Sandra Wesson Pine Harbour Water Utilities, LLC P.O. Box 447 Fruitland Park, FL 34731

Re: Docket No. 090429-WU - Request for approval of imposition of miscellaneous service charges, delinquent payment charge and meter tampering charge in Lake County, by Pine Harbour Water Utilities, LLC.

Dear Ms. Wesson:

In order to further review the application, Pine Harbour Water Utilities, LLC will need to provide the following:

## **Initial Connection and Normal Reconnection**

Component	Normal	Normal	Normal	<u>Description</u>
	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Hours</u>	
	Hourly Rate	Typical Time	Total Cost	
Clerical &				
Administrative Labor				
Labor to inspect				
facilities				
Labor to determine				
complaint resolution				
Transportation costs				
Computer services				
Overhead				
Etc				
Total Costs				

- These costs should address, in detail the following components:

  Initial Connection and Normal Reconnection

  1. Office costs associated with recording and processing a customer request for services including labor, computer service, and postage.
- 2. Office costs associated with receiving, recording and processing the subsequent customer request for termination of service and final bill, including labor, computer services and postage.

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- 3. Field costs associated with the inspection of a facility and connection of service including transportation, labor and meter reading expense.
- 4. Field costs associated with the disconnection of service including transportation, labor, and meter reading expense.
- 5. Overhead costs indirectly related to a specific job including a portion of general office facilities and equipment, supervision, insurance and small miscellaneous expenses required to support service activities.
- 6. In addition, please provide the number of initial connections and reconnections during the preceding 12 months.
- 7. Provide the above information for after hours rates as well.

Component	After Hours	After Hours	AfterHours	Description
	Hourly Rate	Typical Time	Total Cost	
Clerical &				
Administrative Labor				
Labor to inspect				
facilities				
Labor to determine				
complaint resolution	<u> </u>			
Transportation costs				
Computer services				
Overhead				
Etc				
Total Costs				

### Premise Visit

Component	Normal	Normal	Normal	Description
	Hours	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Hours</u>	
	Hourly Rate	Typical Time	Total Cost	
Clerical &				
Administrative Labor				
Labor to inspect				
facilities				
Labor to determine				
complaint resolution		1		
Transportation costs				
Computer services				
Overhead				
Etc				
Total Costs				

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#### **Premise Visit**

- 1. Office costs associated with receiving, recording and processing a customer request or complaint, including labor, and computer service.
- 2. Field costs associated with the inspection of a facility and determination of complaint resolution including transportation and labor. This may include outside services.
- 3. Field costs associated with the disconnection of service including transportation, labor, and meter reading expense.
- 4. Overhead costs indirectly related to a specific job including a portion of general office facilities and equipment, supervision, insurance and small miscellaneous expenses required to support service activities.
- 5. In addition, please provide the number of premises visits during the preceding 12 months.
- 6. Provide the above information for after hours rates as well.

Component	After Hours	After Hours	AfterHours	<u>Description</u>
	Hourly Rate	Typical Time	Total Cost	
Clerical &				
Administrative Labor				
Labor to inspect				
facilities				
Labor to determine				
complaint resolution				
Transportation costs				
Computer services				
Overhead				
Etc				
Total Costs				

#### Meter Tampering

- 1. Office costs associated with receiving, recording and processing meter tampering service, including labor, and computer service.
- 2. Field costs associated with the inspection of a meter and determination if a meter has been tampered with including transportation and labor. This may include outside services.
- 3. Field costs associated with the meter tampering service including transportation, labor, and meter reading expense.

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- 4. Overhead costs indirectly related to a specific meter tampering job including a portion of general office facilities and equipment, supervision, insurance and small miscellaneous expenses required to support meter tampering service activities.
- 5. In addition, please provide the number of premises visits during the preceding 12 months resulting from meter tampering.
- 6. What constitutes meter tampering, and what evidence has the Utility collected in the past, to prove the customer of record actually committed the meter tampering?
- 7. Does the Utility encase its meters with a box?
  - (A) If yes, does the Utility lock the meter box?
  - (B) If no, please explain why not.

If you have any questions or require further assistance regarding this matter, please contact me at (850) 413-6844.

Sincerely

Jared Deason

cc: Division of Economic Regulation (Bulecza-Banks, Fletcher)
Office of General Counsel (Klancke)

Office of Commission Clerk (090429-WU)