

Testimony in the Case for Wanship Water Co. Rate Increase Before the Public Service Commission of Utah

Docket No. 23-067-01

Testimony of Grady Kohler, owner, May 25th, 2023

The Legal name of our water company is Wanship Water Company LLC. We are approved to service the area outlined in the included Wanship Cottage Sites plat map as well as some surrounding houses not part of the original plat around 85 original lots/residences, however many of these lots have been combined and we estimate that we have around 40 total possible future connections. We have 34 customers today, and do not know of any more future connecting in the coming year, we have no standby customers since our original terrif didn't contemplate that.

Wanship Water Co. is seeking a rate case. The last time the company sought a rate increase was June of 1988. Cost of dramatically increased since that time. The company has been operating at a significant loss each year and this is not sustainable to provide clean reliable water to the community we serve. Our existing and proposed rates are outlined below:

Description	Current Rates	Proposed Rates
Unmetered Water	\$19 per month	\$363 per Quarter
Ownership Change Fee	\$10	\$100
Reconnection Fee for Existing Service	\$100	\$5,000
2nd lot fee (double lot with one cabin or house)		\$25/quarter
Theft of Service	\$0	\$1,000
Standby Fee (Wet Lot Fee for Vacant Lots)	\$0	\$75 per Quarter
Construction Water Rental Fee (Fire Hydrant Use)	\$0	\$500 per use per month
Monthly Stand-by Fee	\$19 per Month	\$363/Quarter
Turn on/off Service with existing meter	\$50	\$500
Disconnect fees	\$150	\$1,000
First time service connection	\$400	\$5,000
Late fee past 30 days from due	\$0	\$100
Interest rate on bills past due by 30 days or more	1.5% per month	1.5% per month
Return Check	\$5	\$100
Delinquent Lien Fee	\$0	\$500
Shut Off Notice Fee	\$0	\$100
Fee for unwarranted service call or service call that is a past meter issue	\$0	\$500

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of several stylized, overlapping loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Grady Kohler