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#### PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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Natalie Wales Director, Regulatory Policy & Compliance California Water Service Co. 1720 North First Street San Jose, CA 95112

Dear Ms. Wales,

The Water Division of the California Public Utilities Commission has approved California Water Service Company's Advice Letter No. 2423, filed on September 29, 2021, regarding the Rule 15 Correction for King City Lot Fees.

Enclosed are copies of the following revised tariff sheets, effective September 29, 2021, for the utility's files:

P.U.C. Sheet	
No.	Title of Sheet
12644-W	Rule No.15 – Main Extensions (Page 8)
12645-W	Table of Contents, Page 13
12646-W	Table of Contents, Page 1

Please contact Kevin Truong at VT4@cpuc.ca.gov or 415-703-1353, if you have any questions.

Thank you.

**Enclosures** 

# CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION DIVISION OF WATER AND AUDITS

### **Advice Letter Cover Sheet**

**Date Mailed to Service List:** 09/29/2021

California Water Service

**Utility Name:** Company

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Districts	Vina City				
District:	King City				
CPUC Utility #:	U-60-W		Protest Deadline (2	20 <sup>th</sup> Day):	10/19/2021
Advice Letter #:	2423		Review Deadline (3	30 <sup>th</sup> Day):	10/29/2021
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Utility Contact:	Natalie Wales		<b>Utility Contact:</b>	Sergio Esc	quivel
Phone:	408-367-8566		Phone:	408-367-8	3574
Email:	Nwales@calwate	<u>r.com</u>	Email:	<u>sesquivel</u>	@calwater.com
DWA Contact:	Tariff Unit				
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September 29, 2021

#### **Advice Letter No. 2423**

To the California Public Utilities Commission:

California Water Service Company ("Cal Water") respectfully submits this Tier 1 advice letter applicable to the King City District requesting authority to make the changes in its tariff as described below.

Please note that, consistent with the Commission's guidelines during the COVID-19 pandemic, this advice letter is only being distributed electronically to the Water Division and the attached service lists.

New/Revised			Cancelling
CPUC			CPUC
Sheet No.	Title of Sheet	Schedule No.	Sheet No.
	Rule No.15 – Main Extensions		XXXXX-W
XXXXX-W	(Page 8)	Rule No.15	
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#### **Summary**

Cal Water is requesting permission to correct an error in tariff Rule 15. Cal Water inadvertently removed the Facility Fee (also known as a lot fee) for the King City District on page 8 of Rule 15, now requests a tariff change to include the fee.

#### Discussion

On January 27, 2021, Cal Water Filed AL 2401 to implement tariff changes associated with Cal Water's 2018 GRC resolved in D.20-12-007. In that filing, Cal Water made changes to Rule 15, Page 8, by adding 2 districts, Bayshore and Bear Gulch, to the table listing facilities fees. In the process of making the modifications, the lot fee for King City was removed in error.

This advice letter requests approval to add the previously-approved lot fee for King City back into the table for facilities fees on page 8 of Rule 15.

#### **Requested Effective Date**

Cal Water requests an effective date of **September 29, 2021**.



#### **Notice**

Customer Notice – Customer notice of Tier 1 advice letters is not required under General Order 96-B, General Rule 7.3.1.

Service Lists – In accordance with General Order 96-B, General Rule 4.3 and 7.2 and Water Industry Rule 4.1, a copy of this advice letter will be transmitted *electronically* on **September 29, 2021** to competing and adjacent utilities and other utilities or interested parties having requested such notification. *Please note that, consistent with the Commission's guidelines for service during the COVID-19 pandemic, this advice letter is only being distributed <i>electronically.* 

#### **Response or Protest**

Anyone may respond to or protest this advice letter. A response supports the filing and may contain information that proves useful to the Commission in evaluating the advice letter. A protest objects to the advice letter in whole or in part and must set forth the specific grounds on which it is based. These grounds are:

- (1) The utility did not properly serve or give notice of the advice letter;
- (2) The relief requested in the advice letter would violate statute or Commission order, or is not authorized by statute or Commission order on which the utility relies;
- (3) The analysis, calculations, or data in the advice letter contain material error or omissions;
- (4) The relief requested in the advice letter is pending before the Commission in a formal proceeding; or
- (5) The relief requested in the advice letter requires consideration in a formal hearing, or is otherwise inappropriate for the advice letter process; or
- (6) The relief requested in the advice letter is unjust, unreasonable, or discriminatory (provided that such a protest may not be made where it would require relitigating a prior order of the Commission.)

A protest shall provide citations or proofs where available to allow staff to properly consider the protest. A response or protest must be made in writing or by electronic mail and must be received by the Water Division within 20 days of the date this advice letter is filed. The advice letter process does not provide for any responses, protests or comments, except for the utility's reply, after the 20-day comment period. The address for mailing or delivering a protest is:

Tariff Unit, Water Division 3<sup>rd</sup> floor California Public Utilities Commission, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102 water division@cpuc.ca.gov

On the same date the response or protest is submitted to the Water Division, the respondent or protestant shall send a copy by mail (or e-mail) to us, addressed to:

Natalie Wales
California Water Service Company
1720 North First Street,
San Jose, California 95112
cwsrates@calwater.com

Cities and counties that need Board of Supervisors or Board of Commissioners approval to protest should inform the Water Division, within the 20-day protest period, so that a late filed protest can be entertained. The informing document should include an estimate of the date the proposed protest might be voted on.

#### **Replies**

The utility shall reply to each protest and may reply to any response. Each reply must be received by the Water Division within 5 business days after the end of the protest period, and shall be served on the same day to the person who filed the protest or response. If you have not received a reply to your protest within 10 business days, contact California Water Service Company at 408-367-8200.

CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY

**Natalie Wales** 

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Director of Regulatory Policy and Compliance

cc: Syreeta Gibbs (Public Advocates Office)

PublicAdvocatesWater@cpuc.ca.gov

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Rul	e	No.	15	
Main	Ex	ter	sio	ns

District	Facilities		District	Facilities
	Fee			Fee
Bakersfield	\$5,500		Marysville	\$2,350
Bayshore	\$4,500		Salinas	\$2,200
Bear Gulch	\$4,500		Selma	\$2,100
Chico	\$2,000		Visalia	\$1,500
Dixon	\$2,800		Willows	\$4,250
King City	\$1,500	(N)		

This fee is per equivalent 1-inch service and is applicable to all subdivisions requiring a main extension except those extensions serving four or fewer residential lots or equivalent single-family dwelling units.

The following factors are used to determine equivalents for larger service connections:

Service Size	Factor	Service Size	Factor
1-inch	1	6-inch	20
2-inch	3.2	8-inch	32
4-inch	10	10-inch	46

#### f. Advances – Transmission Backbone Installation Fee

District	Unitized Transmission Fee
Visalia*	\$1,400 Per residential lot not to exceed 12,000 square feet
Visalia*	\$5,350 Other development, per acre

<sup>\*</sup>Applicable to all subdivisions within a half-mile of the existing system, except those extensions serving four or fewer residential lots or equivalent single-family dwelling units. This fee is in addition to the source of supply fee in Section C.1.e. above. It is for the installation of 12" transmission main in 1/4 section roads in the Visalia District. If the subdivisions are more than a half mile from the existing system, the

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## **King City District (Salinas Valley Region)**

ADVICE LETTER FILING MAILING LIST
PER SECTION III (G) OF GENERAL ORDER NO. 96-A

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