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From: Tristan Davis on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Wednesday, May 13, 2026 9:48 AM
To: 'Pat Plass'
Cc: Consumer Contact
Subject: RE: Docket No. 20250108-WS

Good Morning,

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20250108, and forwarding them to the Office of Consumer Assistance.

Thank you!

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To: PSC

Subject: Strong Opposition to Proposed Water Rate Increase

Dear Commissioners,

We are writing to express our strong opposition to the proposed water rate increase scheduled for SunLake Communities. While we understand the need for maintaining and improving our water infrastructure, this proposed increase is excessive, untimely, and burdensome for many residents.

Many households in our community are already struggling with rising costs for essentials such as food, housing, and energy. Adding a significant increase to water bills—an unavoidable necessity—will place an unfair financial strain on residents of our community.

Furthermore, the justification provided for this increase lacks sufficient transparency. Ratepayers deserve a clear, itemized explanation of how current funds are being allocated, what cost-saving measures have been explored, and why alternative funding sources are not being prioritized before turning to residents for more money.

Water is not a luxury, but a basic human need. I urge you to reject or substantially reduce this proposed increase and instead work with the community to find fair, sustainable solutions that do not disproportionately impact those least able to afford them.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. I trust you will consider the voices of the people you serve before making a final decision.

James and Patricia Plass

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