

## **Diane Holt**

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**From:** krbritton@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Friday, November 30, 2018 11:26 AM  
**To:** Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans  
**Subject:** Case Comment Form: Kent Britton

Name: Kent Britton  
Case Number: suz w 18-02  
Email: krbritton@hotmail.com  
Telephone:  
Address: 2606 E. Piccadilly Ln  
Eagle ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water Company

Comment: As a residential customer of Eagle Water, I ask you not to approve the current proposal of the sell of Eagle Water to Suez Water. As others have commented, we are happy with our water quality and pricing. I am not convinced that the improvements that Suez Water states are necessary to the infrastructure is worth the more than 300% increase that is proposed to my bill. It looks like they plan to recover all the costs of expanding their business in a 3 year period and to make profit along the way. I am not against paying more to update our water system, but feel this increase should at the least be more gradual, and not include the recovery of purchase price in such a short time. Also as a retired person on a fixed income, one enticement to moving to Eagle a year ago was the water utility bills. It was refreshing to deal with a small water company with personal service. I think we will be paying for more technology, more salaries and less service.

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**From:** tyankee7@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 29, 2018 5:30 PM  
**To:** Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans  
**Subject:** Case Comment Form: tony norella

Name: tony norella  
Case Number:  
Email: tyankee7@gmail.com  
Telephone: 2088500359  
Address: 1269 cerramar ct  
eagle idaho, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water

Comment: One of the benefits that added to us moving to Eagle 2 years ago was the low water bills. Coming from South Boise and water bills up to \$200 in the summers from SUEZ, we were happy to get rid of SUEZ. So to hear we will now have to deal with these crazy high water bills is enough for us to pick up and move again and we've recently listed out home. Going from an average bill of \$20 with Eagle Water to the astronomical bills of up to \$200/mth is going to cause a lot of people hardships, especially the elderly on a fixed budget. What will happen is brown grass, unkept yards, dying plants, and unpaid water bills. This has to be stopped.

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**From:** Front  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 28, 2018 3:36 PM  
**To:** Diane Holt  
**Subject:** FW: Consumer Assistance Form: Gary Gray

Name: Gary Gray  
Email: Gmoneyidaho@gmail.com  
Telephone: 2085712121  
Address: 1023 s eagle rock place  
Eagle Idaho, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water  
Contacted Utility: No

Complaint: Please do NOT allow Suez to buy out Eagle Water. Living in Eagle is already more expensive. We dont need or want a 200-300% price increase as proposed by Suez.  
Hell no!

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November 30, 2018

Idaho Public Utilities Commission  
P O Box 83720  
Boise, Idaho 83720-0074  
FAX: (208) 334-3762

Re: Acquisition of Eagle Water Company

To Whom It May Concern:

My husband and I moved to the foothills of Eagle to get away from cell towers, to have quality drinking water, to have responsible neighbors and open space around us. It took all of our savings to make this happen and we are living on a tight budget. However, the health risks that I experienced while living in Boise far outweighed the fear and struggle of buying a home and all that it entailed.

We have been in our home for 6 months and quickly became aware of and attended a public hearing on cell tower placement in Eagle not far from where we purchased our home. This was very disturbing to say the least. Now, our water quality may be at risk. It seems that our right to health and wellness is being jerked right out from under us daily with nowhere to turn. Unfortunately, greed seems to be the order of the day.

As Rebecca and Greg Standerfer stated, "We urge you to consider our voice among the MANY others Eagle residents you have heard from imploring you to block this acquisition. Asking people to give up a good product at a reasonable price in order to substitute a substandard product at a higher price does not make sense in any way. The benefits listed on the Suez letter do not outweigh the advantages of keeping Eagle Water Company a small enterprise. Another option has to be explored! PLEASE DO NOT ALLOW THIS ACQUISITION TO TAKE PLACE."

We cannot afford to move or have our health further damaged by those who are only willing to look at profit and net gains without considering the welfare of our community and the world at large.

Respectively,

Regina Altamirano