From:

bjkrupp33@gmail.com

Sent:

Friday, December 14, 2018 7:48 PM

To:

Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans

Subject:

Case Comment Form: Bonnie Krupp

Name: Bonnie Krupp

Case Number:

Email: bjkrupp33@gmail.com Telephone: 530 400 6633 Address: 130 N Haines St Boise ID, 83712

Name of Utility Company: Suez

Comment: Suez has raised water prices since buying our local company and if there are improvements they amount to replacing meters. I don't like having our water company owned by a French company and if you investigate them you will find malfeasance is the game. Check out their modus operandi in South America where they priced water so high the people couldn't afford it.

Unique Identifier: 75.174.37.246

From:

clbarnum@gmail.com

Sent:

Saturday, December 15, 2018 10:28 AM

To:

Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans

Subject:

Case Comment Form: Corey Barnum

Name: Corey Barnum

Case Number: EAG-W-15-01 Email: clbarnum@gmail.com

Telephone: Address:

Eagle ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water Company

Comment: I am writing to protest the sale of Eagle Water Company to Suez. They have stated in their public information that they intend to divert the water in Eagle to serve Northwest Boise customers and potentially decrease their water rates.

Eagle customers should be able to benefit from the water in their own city, since these are Eagle wells. They also detail numerous "benefits" that they will bring, some of which already exist with Eagle Water Company's management (24 hour emergency response, water safety, etc). The only two things I can see that they'd provide are website-based billing and a rate increase.

Please keep Eagle's water supply serving Eagle customers and deny this sale.

Unique Identifier: 160.3.7.162

From: Tdheron@live.com

Sent: Friday, December 14, 2018 4:05 PM

**To:** Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans

**Subject:** Case Comment Form: Tammara Heron

Name: Tammara Heron Case Number: Eag-w-18-01 Email: Tdheron@live.com Telephone: 2089384663 Address: 3464 w Fieno dr Eagle Id, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Suez

Comment: I am not in favor of Suez taking over Eagle Water. I don't likeThe amount of chemicals and chlorine that have been added to the water. Price increase for new and existing customers will be outrageous. Suez will be re directing the water to other areas potentially leaving eagle residents paying more for less.

Unique Identifier: 75.174.132.30

From:

janet@buschert.com

Sent:

Friday, December 14, 2018 4:25 PM

To:

Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans

**Subject:** 

Case Comment Form: Janet Buschert

Name: Janet Buschert Case Number: EAG-W-18-01 Email: janet@buschert.com Telephone: 2088306878

Address: 235 W Floating Feather Rd

Eagle ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Suez Purchase of Eagle Water

Comment: I am opposed to purchase of Eagle Water Company by Suez. We would prefer this utility be owned by the City of Eagle who would operate as a non-profit acting in the interest of Eagle citizens. We are concerned about Suez' stewardship of our aquifer and the level of service they will provide in our community. While we understand that costs will increase for water service in any case, we would prefer modest increases paired with good service to the likely large increases and less satisfactory service we would see with Suez.

Unique Identifier: 65.129.68.157

From:

janet@buschert.com

Sent:

Friday, December 14, 2018 4:30 PM

To:

Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans

Subject:

Case Comment Form: Janet Buschert

Name: Janet Buschert Case Number: SUZ-W-18-02 Email: janet@buschert.com Telephone: 2088306878

Address: 235 W Floating Feather Rd

Eagle Idaho, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Suez purchase of Eagle City Water

Comment: I am opposed to the purchase of Eagle City Water by Suez. As someone who follows City Council regularly, I've seen Executive Session postings for some time (months) indicating that they were probably studying the possible purchase of Eagle City Water. I would have much preferred that they were the successful bidder for this service. I am very concerned about Suez' level of customer service and the likelihood that they'll raise rates more than is necessary just to make needed improvements in the system. Please reject this filing.

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From:

ashleylitzinger@yahoo.com

Sent:

Friday, December 14, 2018 4:59 PM

To:

Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans

Subject:

Case Comment Form: Ashley Litzinger

Name: Ashley Litzinger Case Number: Eag-w-10-01

Email: ashleylitzinger@yahoo.com

Telephone: 208-841-8083 Address: 2692 E red Garnet st

Eagle ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle water

Comment: I do not want suez water company for my water. I want to keep it eagle water district. Suez is not a good

water company

Unique Identifier: 160.3.200.10

**From:** ashleylitzinger@yahoo.com

Sent: Friday, December 14, 2018 5:02 PM

**To:** Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans

**Subject:** Case Comment Form: Ashley Litzinger

Name: Ashley Litzinger Case Number: Suz-w-18-02

Email: ashleylitzinger@yahoo.com

Telephone: 208-841-8083 Address: 2692 E red Garnet st

Eagle iD, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle water distric

Comment: Suez water is over priced and not going to help the eagle community. Keep the water distric the same! I don't want over priced water or people who don't care about the ones paying for water. We work hard for our money

Unique Identifier: 160.3.200.10

**From:** jmrohling@gmail.com

Sent: Friday, December 14, 2018 5:47 PM

**To:** Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans

**Subject:** Case Comment Form: Jane Rohling

Name: Jane Rohling

Case Number: EAG-W-18-01 SUZ-W-18-02

Email: jmrohling@gmail.com Telephone: 2089383529 Address: 582 Palmetto Drive

Eagle ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water Company

Comment: I have been an Eagle resident for 19 years and a very satisfied customer of Eagle Water Company. I understand that the owner of that company wants to retire and is anxious to sell the company. I also know the city of Eagle has been interested in purchasing the company in the past but wasn't able to "sell: that idea to the community. However, under the current circumstances, I think the citizens have a better understanding of the options, and significant concerns over the rights to our precious water being sold toa huge French company rather than being controlled by a local business or municipality. It appears that Suez went to great lengths to make this purchase with NO publicity and with NO competitive bidding in hopes of getting this sale approved before the people and community impacted by the sale had an opportunity to look for other options or oppose the sale. I am hoping that the IPUC will consider the massive opposition to this sale and that there will be time for us to do more research and learn about more options. As we've researched the issues, it has become clear that customers of Eagle Water Company have benefitted for decades from artificially low rates. So, my opposition to the sale to Suez is less about higher rates than it is about the poor service and business practices that have given Suez a D- rating by the Better Business Bureau and water that tastes and smells like chlorine according to multiple past and current customers of Suez right here in the treasure Valley. According to research by the consumer advocacy nonprofit Public Citizen, "According to the non-profit consumer advocacy org Public Citizen, "A top priority is cutting costs, because low costs mean higher revenues. So, Suez slashes water system staffs to inadequate levels, fails to perform necessary maintenance, tries to delay or avoid altogether any costly infrastructure investments, screams for higher rates, more money from government or both, and blames public officials, or just the public, for all the company's problems. Customers end up paying more for less." I ask that you deny this sale and also provide additional time for residents and the City of Eagle to investigate options that will maintain our water quality, and keep our precious water rights under local control. At this time, the City of Eagle and the citizens are very interested in coming up with an alternative to giving our water away to a multinational corporation that has no interest in our community. I believe we can find a way to achieve this if we have a little time to work on this together, PLEASE don't approve this sale!

Unique Identifier: 75.174.124.103

From:

Tyler1921@comcast.net

Sent:

Thursday, December 13, 2018 3:18 PM

To:

Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans

Subject:

Case Comment Form: Tyler Palace

Name: Tyler Palace

Case Number: EAG-W-18-01 Email: Tyler1921@comcast.net

Telephone:

Address: 1019 N Watson Way

Eagle ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle water

Comment: Please allow the City of Eagle purchase and manage Eagle Water company. We cannot accept the purchase by Suez and a major increase in the cost of water, and a major decrease in quality from Suez. It will be unaffordable to most residents in these neighborhoods and should be reconsidered again. Thank you.

Unique Identifier: 160.3.210.166

From:

jrising810@gmail.com

Sent:

Thursday, December 13, 2018 4:36 PM

To:

Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans

Subject:

Case Comment Form: Janet Rising

Name: Janet Rising

Case Number: EAG-W-18-01 Email: jrising810@gmail.com Telephone: 208-561-1801

Address: 1110 N Falling Water Way

Eagle ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water

Comment: I am opposed to the acquisition of Eagle Water via Suez for many reasons. I am requesting the PUC put a hold on this sale until the homeowners and city council have adequate time to review the consequences.

The homeowners were notified the sale would occur only a few weeks ago, which is not fair to the homeowners.

We are losing our rights to the well for our 2400+ homeowners, and this water could be used for any purpose that Suez chooses. This could affect our water pressure, lack of a green lawn which affects our property values. It could be rerouted for farming water requirements.

We do not have irrigation to water our lawns and are dependent on the well, I would expect that the costs would be much higher than published. There are many seniors in our neighborhood, and our current bills are around \$8.00 a month, I asked other customers of Suez water and there bills in summer are \$150.00 to \$200.00 a month.

I feel that Suez has an obligation to provide more information to the homeowners.

Thanks in advance,

Janet Rising

Unique Identifier: 74.202.210.234

From:

kmholtan@hotmail.com

Sent:

Thursday, December 13, 2018 2:07 PM

To:

Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans

Subject:

Case Comment Form: Kurt Holtan

Name: Kurt Holtan

Case Number: EAG-W-18-01 Email: kmholtan@hotmail.com Telephone: 208-869-9106 Address: 1712 E Myrtle Beach Ct

Eagle ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water/Suez

Comment: We oppose the proposed price GOUGING by SUEZ. Let me get this straight they are going to buy Eagle Water but yet raise monthly bills over 200% in next 3 years. Sounds like the current Eagle Water customers are paying for purchase. With absolutely no benefit to them. Suez needs to leave Eagle alone. Curious as to how the IPUC can turn a blind eye to the fact SUEZ is going to gouge people. I thought the IPUC is there to help protect the citizens against these types of deals. We oppose this deal.

Unique Identifier: 75.174.246.71

From:

ottoachenbach@gmail.com

Sent:

Friday, December 14, 2018 8:50 AM

To:

Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans

Subject:

Case Comment Form: Otto Achenbach

Name: Otto Achenbach Case Number: Suez

Email: ottoachenbach@gmail.com

Telephone: 2089391982 Address: 1440 E. Bogey Dr. Eagle Idaho, 83616-6500

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water Company

Comment: As you know, Suez has been sending out their notices about seeking to acquire Eagle Water Company and

their intent to increase our charges by 204%.

Just because Suez thinks they are the big dog in town and want to take us to the cleaners, I will give you the benefit of the doubt and that you will not allow them to increase our fees by over 204%, just because they gouge everyone else they serve.

I'm retired, 74 and remember someday you will be among us as well.

Otto

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