

Diane Holt

From: judyfossgreen@gmail.com
Sent: Sunday, January 20, 2019 7:36 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Judy Fossgreen

Name: Judy Fossgreen
Case Number: SUZ-W-18-02
Email: judyfossgreen@gmail.com
Telephone: 2084732080
Address: 361 East Lake Briar Lane
Eagle, ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: SUEZ

Comment: I want to see Eagle Water Company having water rights in Eagle, Idaho, as it keeps it local and in our local control. Suez has a D- rating. This is not good.

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From: benrutledge1@cableone.net
Sent: Sunday, January 20, 2019 9:14 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Ben Rutledge

Name: Ben Rutledge
Case Number:
Email: benrutledge1@cableone.net
Telephone:
Address: 4943 W. Clearfield St
Eagle ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Suez Water
Comment: We are against their acquisition of Eagle Water. We do not want our water to run dry, and we don't want a 300 percent increase.
Ben & Julia

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From: ccarter9687@gmail.com
Sent: Sunday, January 20, 2019 9:35 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Clayton Carter

Name: Clayton Carter
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Email: ccarter9687@gmail.com
Telephone:
Address:
Meridian Idaho, 83642

Name of Utility Company: Meridian City

Comment: I strongly oppose the Suez Water Company purchasing Eagle Water for the following reasons: (1) a foreign entity isn't response to our communities needs or desires, (2) once a foreign entity has control of a precious resource it can dictate when, where, how, and at what price the resource will cost without regards to the community at large, and once we(citizens) have loss our control over our own water rights, then we have just become pons for another political entity!

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Diane Holt

From: tlschuy@yahoo.com
Sent: Sunday, January 20, 2019 4:14 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Tracey Schuyler

Name: Tracey Schuyler
Case Number: SUZ-W-18-02
Email: tlschuy@yahoo.com
Telephone:
Address:
Eagle Idaho, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water Co

Comment: I am not in favor of the purchase of Eagle Water by Suez. The purchase leaves me wondering how out-of-control our water bills could become (I've heard increases of 3X over several years). Having local, municipal control of water could enable our local government to make decisions based on our smaller municipality, rather than a large geographic region. I've lived elsewhere where the water was owned/managed locally and we were able to worry a lot less about the impact of drought--knowing management at the local level worked hard to severely reduce any impact on customers.

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From: cyntmack@msn.com
Sent: Sunday, January 20, 2019 6:35 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Cynthia Michalik Collings

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Email: cyntmack@msn.com
Telephone: 208-407-0898
Address: 10450 W Sawtail St.
Boise Idaho, 83714

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water Company

Comment: I do not support the selling of Eagle Water Company to Suez. This public utility issue is best handled locally. The proposed rate hikes are unacceptable and will put a strain on those with fixed incomes. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

C M Collings

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From: cathytai.interiordesign@yahoo.com
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To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Cathy Tai

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Case Number: SUZ-W-18-02.
Email: cathytai.interiordesign@yahoo.com
Telephone: 808-280-2832
Address: 526 E Lake Briar Lane
Eagle ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle water
Comment: I am not in favor of SUEZ buying the water rights in Lakenoor subdivision. Our water should be local. Not a foreign owned company.

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Diane Holt

From: judyfossgreen@gmail.com
Sent: Sunday, January 20, 2019 9:00 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Judy Fossgreen

Name: Judy Fossgreen
Case Number: SUZ-W-18-02
Email: judyfossgreen@gmail.com
Telephone: 2084732080
Address: 361 East Lake Briar Lane
Eagle, ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: SUEZ

Comment: I would like to see the City of Eagle Water Company purchase our water rights for us in Eagle. I do not like the poor credit rating of Suez, nor the fact that they are based out of France. I do not want to see a foreign country controlling our water sources. This is very dangerous! Please keep our water in local companies. We do not need outside intervention, nor is it welcome. I smell a skunk. They also have heavy chemicals in their water with massive rate hikes across the US. Let's wake up. This is truly not healthy for our community.

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From: KYXOHHOE@icloud.com
Sent: Monday, January 21, 2019 11:43 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Bonnie Carter

Name: Bonnie Carter
Case Number: SUZ-W-18-02
Email: KYXOHHOE@icloud.com
Telephone:
Address: 2740 S Afleet Av
Meridian CA, 83642

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water

Comment: Our water as an essential resource should be locally controlled. As such, there is less chance of actions being taken without our knowledge or consent. I have heard several people talk about up to 700% rate increases in their bills already. This is concerning to me. There is no compelling reason why our water or any other essential resource should be merged with a foreign entity who does not have our interests as a priority nor feels accountable to its customers who cannot go elsewhere for additional choices of supply. So not do this.

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From: theglobal@msn.com
Sent: Monday, January 21, 2019 12:00 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Gary Young

Name: Gary Young
Case Number: SUZ-W-18-02, EAG-W-18-01
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Address: 711 N Caracaras Pl
Eagle ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water Company

Comment: Comments:

In connection with the above noted Case Numbers, the Idaho Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") is already aware of the considerable concerns of the customers of Eagle Water Company ("EWC Customers"). Under state law, the Commission, in its regulation of investor-owned utilities, must balance the needs of EWC Customers to insure they receive adequate service and just, reasonable and sufficient rates with the need for a utility company to recover its cost of service and a fair rate of return. Delivery of utility services must be safe, reliable and efficient. The record is complete with regard to EWC Customers having decades of safe, reliable and efficient service, along with fair, just and reasonable rates. The proposed purchase of Eagle Water Company ("EWC") by SUEZ Idaho, Inc. ("SUEZ") puts into question the assertion in their Asset Purchase Agreement that such purchase... "is consistent with the public convenience and necessity, is in the public interest and will result in significant benefits to both Eagle Water and SUEZ customers by, among other things, realizing certain efficiencies in water service, water supply and operating costs." This assertion is clearly to the detriment of EWC Customers on its face, and potentially to current SUEZ customers as they are required to cover a portion of the cost of an EWC purchase in their rates. Nothing can be more efficient than turning your faucet on and having clean water come out, and receiving a monthly bill. By incorporating EWC into its rate base, EWC Customers will be forced to "share" the costs of other SUEZ operations, and the future operations of an expanding SUEZ service area (covered in future rates). The proposed scheme does not inure to the benefit of EWC Customers.

The question of reliable service must be carefully considered, as the decades-long water sources for EWC Customers are likely to be diverted in far greater amounts outside of the EWC service area and is not in the public interest of the citizens of Eagle, Idaho. The concept of "public interest" is very subjective. Title 61 of the Idaho Statutes and the Commission's important mission thereunder derive its authority from the Idaho Constitution, which provides, in part, for the welfare of the people.

Notwithstanding the outcome of these proceedings, EWC assets used to provide water to EWC Customers are essentially fully depreciated. No part of a purchase price by any buyer, under the Commission's purview, greater than the fully depreciated assets of EWC should be included in the rate base for rate making purposes. Acquisition adjustments (Good Will) should never be a part of rate base.

Thank you, the Commission, and the dedicated Commission Staff for your considerable efforts on behalf of the citizens of Idaho. Your careful consideration of these and other important matters is appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

Gary M. Young

Diane Holt

From: gregreid9@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, January 21, 2019 1:19 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: John Greg Reid

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Telephone: 2089413475
Address: 345 E. Kite Drive
Eagle Idaho, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water

Comment: What benefits are there for selling to a large water conglomerate like Suez? Wouldn't it be more beneficial to keep the money in Eagle even if costs to update the current water situation would be more in the short run?

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Diane Holt

From: catajaca4@gmail.com
Sent: Monday, January 21, 2019 7:09 PM
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Subject: Case Comment Form: Pamela J Solich

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Case Number: SUZ-W-18-02
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Telephone: 2089014991
Address: 356 E Lake Briar Ln
Eagle ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water

Comment: I can not attend you meeting coming up on this subject as I am in another state as my mother is dying by a neighbor was gracious enough to send an email about this subject matter

I do NOT WISH to have my water raise 200-300% That's insane and especially by a foreign company
Leave those country's to destroy their own NOT HERE NOT IN EAGLE, IDAHO

PLEASE

Thank you

Pamela J Solich 356 E Lake Briar Ln Eagle, Idaho

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From: caitlyn.wulff@gmail.com
Sent: Monday, January 21, 2019 10:08 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Caitlyn Wulff

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Email: caitlyn.wulff@gmail.com
Telephone: 208-860-1232
Address: 1735 E Laurelwood Dr
Eagle ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water

Comment: I strongly object to the purchase of Eagle Water Company by Suez Water. I have had difficulties with Suez Water customer service and issue resolution multiple times in the past, through my work and with family members that are currently their customers, they are one of the worst companies I have had to deal with, and in my work I pay over 700 companies. I feel strongly that our water quality will suffer, because they are known for flooding their water systems with chemicals and do not maintain their facilities efficiently. Eagle City should be able to have a chance to buy Eagle Water Company and keep our water under our control. Give us a chance - Please!

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Diane Holt

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Sent: Monday, January 21, 2019 10:28 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Robert McGuire

Name: Robert McGuire
Case Number: SUZ-W-18-02
Email: rmcg8080@gmail.com
Telephone: 909 569 7308
Address: 1494 N longhorn Ave.
Eagle Idaho, 83616

Name of Utility Company: City of Eagle

Comment: Please do not sell any water rites to the Suez Company for water distribution. We like our monthly rates right where they are. Selling to an outside company will be VERY unwanted by residents and create massive problems that don't need to be brought in to play.

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Diane Holt

From: michellen703@gmail.com
Sent: Saturday, January 19, 2019 12:55 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Erik Jorgensen; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Michelle Netten

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Telephone: 4085688141
Address: 398 N Pebble Beach Way
EAGLE ID, 83616

Name of Utility Company: Eagle Water Company
Comment: To IPUC and others whom it concerns:

Cases: EAG-W-18-01 & SUZ-W-18-02

I join other Eagle residents and Eagle Water customers in opposing the sale of Eagle Water to Suez Water.

i believe homeowners, residents and customers deserve a say in their water utilities. First, Eagle Water entered into a written agreement with the City of Eagle years ago, giving them first right of refusal for any purchase of their water company. They are in default of that agreement and need to immediately rectify that breach and honor the terms of that agreement. As long term service providers, Eagle Water should care about this community and its residents and not pursue a sale with Suez Water, first because it's outside the terms of its existing agreement, but also because it's not the right thing to do for the community at large.

Apart from the need to remedy the obvious legal and moral breach above, the reasons not to sell to Suez are MANY. They have a D- rating with the BBB in New York. They've already said they intend to raise rates 300-400% or more. Rate increases may be inevitable over time, but their intentions are FOR PROFIT and for other self serving interests, not in the interests of current residents who deserve the right to have a say in their water management. Suez also has threatened to change and/or usurp Eagle's water rights and usage for their own purposes without regard for what Eagle customers needs may be. Suez already has a presence in Boise and a reputation for these kinds of actions along with poor customer service and relationships. They are aware they have stepped on the agreement above that Eagle Water made with the City of Eagle and they don't care. They readily demonstrate these types of self-serving actions on a regular basis. NOT the kind of company we want anywhere near Eagle.

Regards,
M. Netten

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