The following comment was submitted via PUCWeb:

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Submission Time: Jan 3 2024 4:22PM

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Name of Utility Company: CDS Stoneridge Utilities

Case ID: SWS-W-23-02

Comment: "I've been a resident of Stoneridge for seven years and a general contractor for the past four years. I have built several homes here in Stoneridge and worked closely with the utility companies.

Water hook up charges have been up and down over the past years. Currently at \$3500 I would agree an increase is justified. I'm well aware of the increased costs, however an increase to \$9000 is, in my opinion, excessive. If their costs have increased 20% then an increase in fees should be in that range, not almost 300%. I would also add that when they employed their own operator he did a great job and certainly saved the utility a lot of money avoiding the use of third party contractors. We shouldn't have pay for their inefficient use of labor. Thanks for your consideration!"

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The following comment was submitted via PUCWeb:

Name: Ben McGrann

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Name of Utility Company: KPSD

Case ID: SWS-W-23-02

Comment: "Recommend hook up fees are based on a range. Either by residence square feet or number of restrooms/kitchen fixtures. Accessory Dwelling Units (ADUs) and Condo projects over 4 units should receive a reduced hook up fee based on a reduced ERU calculation of .5 to .75 ER. It is not appropriate for a utility company to charge the same hook up fees for different types of residences that use less water/sewer."