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May 27, 2015

PARTIES OF RECORD

Re: Case No. 2015-00038

Attached is a copy of a memorandum which is being filed in the record of the above-referenced case. If you have any comments you would like to make regarding the contents of the memorandum, please do so within five days of receipt of this letter. Any questions regarding this memorandum should be directed to David Spenard, Commission Staff Attorney, at (502) 782-2580.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jeff Derouen".

Jeff Derouen
Executive Director

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Attachment

INTRA-AGENCY MEMORANDUM
KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

TO: Case File No. 2015-00038

FROM: David Spenard, Staff Attorney *DS*

DATE: May 27, 2015

RE: Informal Conference of May 8, 2015

Pursuant to Commission Staff's Notice of Informal Conference issued April 27, 2015, an informal conference was held in this matter on May 8, 2015. The purpose of the informal conference was to discuss the current status of and issues in this case. J. Scott Lisenbee and Leo Miller, on behalf of Black Mountain Utility District ("Black Mountain"), participated in the informal conference through telephonic means. Attached is a copy of the attendance roster.

At the start of the conference, Mr. Spenard stated that Commission Staff would prepare minutes of the conference for the case record, that a copy of the minutes would be provided to all parties, and that all parties would be given an opportunity to submit written comments upon those minutes. Mr. Spenard stated that the views of Commission Staff were not binding on the Commissioners. Mr. Spenard provided a brief history of the events in the case and requested an update from the parties with regard to developments since April 10, 2015, the date that Black Mountain filed its response to the request for information contained in Appendix B to the Commission's March 27, 2015 Order. Mr. Spenard stated that the Commission's jurisdiction is limited and that the Commission cannot order the Kentucky Infrastructure Authority ("KIA") to take any actions regarding the funding for Black Mountain identified in House Bill 235 passed during the 2014 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

The parties and Commission Staff discussed Mr. Craycraft's request for service, and the representatives of Black Mountain indicated that they would be willing to continue discussing Mr. Craycraft's request including the identification of what would be required to extend service to Mr. Craycraft in the event that Black Mountain was unable to obtain funding for an extension. Black Mountain indicated that it would provide information regarding service to the Woodward Branch Road area under various scenarios based upon the number of connections that would be made in order to service other individuals who might request service. Black Mountain indicated that it would provide Commission Staff with an update regarding the discussions.

There being no further business, the informal conference adjourned.

Enclosure

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

CAROLD CRAYCRAFT)	
)	CASE NO.
COMPLAINANT)	2015-00038
V.)	
)	
BLACK MOUNTAIN UTILITY DISTRICT)	
)	
DEFENDANT)	

SIGN IN

May 8, 2015

PERSON

REPRESENTING

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