



The Bradfield Farms
Homeowners Association,
Charlotte, North Carolina
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July 10, 2017
7214 Maitland Lane
Charlotte, NC 28215

Chief Clerk of the North Carolina Utilities Commission
4325 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300

Reference: DOCKET NO. W-354, SUB 356
Application for Rate Increase
Carolina Water Service, Inc.

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Clerk's Office
N.C. Utilities Commission

Dear Sirs;

The Board of Directors of the Bradfield Farms Homeowners Association requests that I intervene in this matter as a Formal Party of Record, representing the 967 Members of the Association. I understand this Hearing will be held Wednesday, September 20, 2017 at 9:30 a.m. in the Commission Hearing Room 2115, Dobbs Building, 430 North Salisbury Street, Raleigh, North Carolina.

Carolina Water Service, Inc. of North Carolina has filed an application with the North Carolina Utilities Commission requesting a rate increase in multiple Service Areas, with the Bradfield Farms Subdivision being one of the areas included in this request. The requested increase for Water and Sewer Operation for Bradfield Farms averages 63.81%.

This Provider has been granted rate increases in 2010 and 2012, with the 2012 increase being in the amount of 14%.

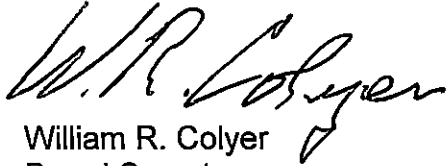
The Board of Directors of the Bradfield Farms Homeowners Association understands the need for an occasional and reasonable rate increase and believes the combined water sewer increase should not exceed 9.0% to 10.0%.

The Board of Directors of the Bradfield Farms Homeowners Association and the 967 Homeowners wish to thank the Public Staff for all efforts regarding the defense of this rate increase request.

The Board also wishes to acknowledge the continued fine level of service being provided and the responsiveness to the Community by Utilities, Inc.

Please direct any questions or concerns to my attention and provide updated information as appropriate.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "W.R. Colyer". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "W.R." and the last name "Colyer" clearly distinguishable.

William R. Colyer
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