THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Before Commissioners: Shari Feist Albrecht, Chair

Jay Scott Emler Dwight D. Keen

| In the Matter of the Regulation of Public |) |
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| Utilities and Common Carriers, and Providing | Docket No. 19-ALLB-119-ASM |
| Means for Paying Certain Costs and Expenses in |) Docket No. 19-ALLB-119-ASM |
| Connection with Such Regulation, as Provided |) |
| in K.S.A. 66-1501 to 66-1510. |) |

ORDER ASSESSING CURB COSTS PURSUANT TO K.S.A. 66-1503

The above-captioned matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission) for consideration and determination. Having examined its files and records and being fully advised in the premises, the Commission finds and concludes as follows:

- 1. Pursuant to K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 66-1503(b), the Commission shall assess against all public utilities and common carriers subject to Commission jurisdiction an amount equal to the total amount of expenditures by the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board (CURB) for the preceding quarter year, calculated pursuant to K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 66-1503(a).
- 2. For CURB expenditures, all public utilities and common carriers should be assessed an amount not to exceed the greater of \$25.00 (\$100 annually) or 0.2% of its respective gross operating revenue derived from intrastate operations as reflected in the last annual report filed before the fiscal year began. K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 66-1503(b).
 - 3. K.S.A. 66-1504 shall govern any default in payment of the quarterly assessment.

IT IS THEREFORE BY THE COMMISSION ORDERED:

A. All public utilities and common carriers are assessed and ordered to pay their respective amount to the Commission regarding the assessment for expenses of CURB within fifteen (15) days after the date of the mailing of the notice of assessment.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

| Albrech | t, Chair; Emler, Commissioner; Keen, Commissioner |
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| Dated: | 10/11/2018 |

Lynn M. Retz

Secretary to the Commission

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Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board

Board Members: Bob Hall, Chair Ellen Janoski, Vice-Chair James L. Mullin II, Member Henry Hungerbeeler, Member

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October 2, 2018

Shari Feist Albrecht, Chair Jay Emler, Commissioner Dwight D. Keen, Commissioner

Dear Commissioners:

I, Shonda Rabb, hereby certify that the amount of expenditures of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board (CURB) to be assessed against all public utilities and common carriers pursuant to K.S.A. 66-1503(a) for the 2nd Quarter of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019, is \$75,000. This assessment amount is derived from the total amount of expenditures by CURB for the preceding quarter year and (1) deducting all amounts collected under K.S.A. 66-1502 during the same time period and (2) adding the amount that, in CURB's judgment, is required (A) to satisfy any deficiency in the prior assessment period's assessment and (B) to provide for anticipated increases in necessary expenditures of the current assessment period.

Shonda Rabb

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Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board Analysis of the Utility Regulation Fee Fund

Fiscal Year 2019 2nd Quarter

| | Actuals 1st Quarter July-September | | | d 2nd Quarter r-December |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------|---------|------|-----------------------------|
| Revenues: | | | | |
| Beginning Cash Balance | | 273,912 | | 269,635 |
| Quarterly Assessment | | 87,360 | | 75,000 |
| Reimbursable Assessments | | 126,037 | | 133,137 |
| Miscellaneous | | | | - |
| Total Revenues | | 487,309 | PART | 477,772 |
| Expenditures: | | | | |
| Expenses | | 158,615 | | 146,900 |
| Reimbursable Expenses | | 59,059 | | 76,300 |
| Total Expenditures | | 217,674 | | 223,200 |
| Forward Cash Balance | \$ | 269,635 | \$ | 254,572 |

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| Quarterly Asssesment | | |
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| Reimbursable Assessment (est x 90%) | 147,929.98 | 133,136.98 |
| Miscellaneous | 0.00 | |
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| EXPENDITURES | | |

Expenses

| Expenses | |
|-----------------------------|------------|
| SGF Sweep | 0.00 |
| S&W | 130,000.00 |
| OOE | 16,900.00 |
| Total Expenses | 146,900.00 |
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| Professional contracts | 75,800.00 |
| Other misc. reimb. exp. | 500.00 |
| Total Reimbursable Expenses | 76,300.00 |

September 23 thru December 28, 2018