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Regarding Case 16-0907-WW-AIR, I am adamantly opposed to an increase in water service. As it stands, our water bill is the highest bill we pay besides our mortgage. It is ridiculous, and I pay over \$130 per month for water. I cannot have a pool for my kids, and had to get rid of the sprinkler too because it costs too much money. What I have a big problem with is their lack of assistance in helping their customers. They cannot make payment arrangements or even prolong a due date by a day. Columbia Gas works with their customers; I have been offered a 14 day extension for a disconnect, and also 1/6 payment arrangement. Aqua does NOTHING for their customers. The water quality is poor, nobody wants to drink it, and the water is so very hard it ruins our belongings and appliances. Every day I see the Aqua trucks in my neighborhood turning off service; what does this say to people? The water is not affordable! We have young families and elderly in our area and Aqua does not deserve any more of our money.

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Summary: Public Comment in opposition filed on behalf of concerned consumer, Tamara Ervin electronically filed by Ms. Donielle M Hunter on behalf of PUCO Staff