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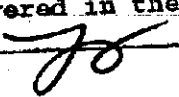
Dear Members of the PUCO:

I strongly oppose the absurd 31.86% monthly increase Ohio American Water (OAWC) requested on November 13, 2007.

OAWC requested and received more than substantial increases in Feb 2005 and again in March 2007. These increases were intended to assist OAWC's routine maintenance costs and improve the quality of water for their customers. These were the improvements PUCO approved OAWC's request for their Mar 07 rate increase. Why should we be required to pay increased costs for these improvements again?

I suggest PUCO take an in depth look at OAWC's request and disapprove their request in total.

I am sending a copy of this letter to Governor Ted Strickland.

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Sincerely yours,
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