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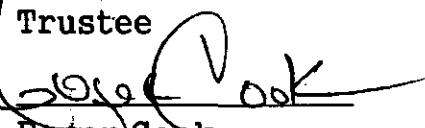
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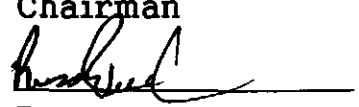
March 13, 2012
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 E. Broad Street 13 th Floor
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Please accept this letter from the Mifflin Township Board of Trustees (Richland County) as opposition to the American Water Co. increase in rates (case No 11-4161-WS-AIR). With the uncertain economy, high unemployment we are concerned that the residents may have to choose between buying groceries, buying medications or paying their water bills. Your consideration in decreasing these rates would help our residents. We would also like to express our support for the residents in the East view Allotment Mifflin Township Richland County which will have there proposed rates raised \$17.00 per billing and neighboring surrounding community that is serviced by Ohio American Water Company. Also the residents of Shelly Acres area with there water rates increase by \$30.00 per billing. Mr. Mervin Shaffner has been a true advocate for the residents in Mifflin Township and we as a board would ask that you take into consideration the well being and welfare of our residents.

Sincerely,


John Jaholnycky
Trustee


Roger Cook
Chairman


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Trustee

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