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505 Van Ness Avenue
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Advice Letter No. 499

The San Jose Water Company (U-168-W) (SJWC) hereby transmits for filing the following changes in tariff schedules applicable to its service area and which are attached hereto:

<u>Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No.</u>	<u>Title of Sheet</u>	<u>Canceling Cal.P.U.C. Sheet No.</u>
1809-W	List of Contracts and Deviations	1636-W
1810-W	Table of Contents	1808-W

These tariffs are submitted pursuant to General Order No. 96-B, Water Industry Rules 4.3, 7.3.2.(2), and 8.3. This advice letter is designated a Tier II Advice Letter in compliance with Order 96-B, Water Industry Rule 7.3.2.(2). SJWC requests that the relief requested become effective December 28, 2016 (30 days from filing).

By this filing SJWC submits an interruptible special contract (Attachment A) for Commission approval. This contract satisfies the five standards established in Commission Resolution W-3937, dated September 7, 1995 (W-3937). Consequently, this advice letter proposes to add this contract to SJWC's "*List of Contracts and Deviations*" tariff sheet.

The Domestic Water Contract for Interruptible Service (Contract) being submitted with this filing (Attachment A) requests interruptible domestic water service to two parcels on Old Santa Cruz Highway within the unincorporated area of the County of Santa Clara. These parcels are both owned by Jim Beck and currently served from a well that is failing. A service connection has been requested for each parcel. Attachment A - Exhibit A shows the location of the properties (APN 558-08-119 and 558-08-013) where the new service connection would be installed on Old Santa Cruz Highway within SJWC's Mountain District service area.

The owner of these parcels is willing to accept an interruptible service as evidenced by the contract. Because of this situation, San Jose Water Company is willing in this case to provide service on a limited basis for the well-being of the parcel owner. To minimize impacts to existing Mountain District customers, the service will include a flow limiter to limit peak flow at the service to 10 gallons per minute.

Pursuant to the contract the owner will be charged for water service pursuant to SJWC's Schedule No. 1C, "*General Metered Service Mountain District*" or its successor tariff that may be in place from time to time. The services pursuant to this contract will also be subject to any other rate restrictions that may be imposed by tariff as a result of drought conditions (such as Schedule 14.1) or any other special unforeseen condition. Note that this will not be a service area extension, but rather provision of an interruptible service to a independent customer outside of SJWC's service area.

Resolution W-3937 established the following five criteria for submitting special contracts for interruptible service approval through an Advice Letter:

- (1) *The customer cannot be served at G.O 103 standards at a reasonable cost,*
- (2) *the customer is willing to take service at less than G.O. 103 standards,*
- (3) *the limitations will be recorded as a deed restriction,*
- (4) *the residence to be served is in an area in which additional growth is unlikely, and*
- (5) *the final installation, including customer-provided facilities, meets all local permit requirements.*

The domestic water service proposed in this contract satisfies the five criteria as shown below:

- (1) These parcels can be served at G.O. 103 standards for pressure and location. However, in order to minimize impacts to existing Mountain District customers, the service will include a flow limiter to limit peak flow at the service to 10 gallons per minute.
- (2) As provided in the Contract, the owner is willing to take service at less than GO 103A standards.
- (3) A copy of the deed restriction to be filed is included as Attachment A to the Contract.
- (4) The parcels to be served is in an area where additional growth is unlikely due to the wooded terrain and lot size building limitations by the County of Santa Clara.
- (5) Permitting related to the installation of this service will be at the owner's request through the County of Santa Clara.

As required by GO 96B, Water Industry Rule 8.3, the Contract contains the provision that:

"This Contract may not become effective until it is approved by the California Public Utilities Commission ("CPUC"). This Contract at all times shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the CPUC, and hence, to any modifications as the CPUC may direct from time to time in the exercise of its jurisdiction."

Protests and Responses

Anyone may respond to or protest this advice letter. A response does not oppose the filing but presents information that may prove useful to the Commission in evaluating the advice letter. A protest objects to the advice letter in whole or in part and must set forth the specific grounds on which it is based. These grounds may include the following:

- (1) The utility did not properly serve or give notice of the advice letter;
- (2) The relief requested in the advice letter would violate statute or Commission order, or is not authorized by statute or Commission order on which the utility relies;
- (3) The analysis, calculations, or data in the advice letter contain material error or omissions;
- (4) The relief requested in the advice letter is pending before the Commission in a formal proceeding;
- (5) The relief requested in the advice letter requires consideration in a formal hearing, or is otherwise inappropriate for the advice letter process; or
- (6) The relief requested in the advice letter is unjust, unreasonable, or discriminatory (provided that such a protest may not be made where it would require relitigating a prior order of the Commission).

A response or protest must be made in writing or by electronic mail and must be received by the Water Division within 20 days of the date this advice letter is filed. The address for mailing or delivering a protest is:

Tariff Unit, Water Division, 3rd floor
California Public Utilities Commission,
505 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94102
water_division@cpuc.ca.gov

On the same date the response or protest is submitted to the Water Division, the respondent or protestant shall send a copy of the protest by mail to us, addressed to:

Regulatory Affairs
San Jose Water Company
110 West Taylor Street
San Jose, California 95196
Fax 408.279.7934
regulatoryaffairs@sjwater.com.

The advice letter process does not provide for any responses, protests or comments, except for the utility's reply, after the 20-day comment period.

This advice letter will not cause a change to rates.

SJWC does not have any advice letters currently outstanding.

In compliance with General Order 96-B – Water Industry Rule 3.3, SJWC shall publish at its internet site the notice and content of this advice letter. In compliance with GO 96-B – General Rule 4.3 and Water Industry Rule 4.3 a copy of this advice letter has been mailed to all interested and affected parties, including Jim Beck as detailed in Attachment B.

This filing will not cause the withdrawal of service, nor conflict with other schedules or rules.

Very truly yours,

/S/ WES OWENS
WES OWENS
Director of Regulatory Affairs

Enclosures

A copy of Advice Letter No. 499 has been sent to the following municipalities, water companies and interested parties:

City of San Jose
Municipal Water Dept.
Attn: Mansour Nasser
3025 Tuers Road
San Jose, CA 95121

San Jose Mercury News
Attn: Paul Rogers
4 N. Second Street, Suite 800
San Jose, CA 95113

California Water Service Co.
Attn: Regulatory Affairs
1720 North First Street
San Jose, CA 95112

Town of Los Gatos
Attn: Director of Public Works
110 E. Main Street
Los Gatos, CA 95032

City of Cupertino
10300 Torre Avenue
Cupertino, CA 95014

City of Monte Sereno
Attn: Director of Public Works
18014 Saratoga-Los Gatos Road
Monte Sereno, CA 95030

City of Campbell
70 North First Street
Campbell, CA 95008

City of Saratoga
Attn: Director of Public Works
13777 Fruitvale Avenue
Saratoga, CA 95070

City of Santa Clara
1500 Warburton Avenue
Santa Clara, CA 95050

County of Santa Clara
70 W. Hedding Street
San Jose, CA 95110

Great Oaks Water Company
P.O. Box 23490
San Jose, CA 95153

Department of Water Resources
Safe Drinking Water Office,
Room 804
1416 9TH Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

City of Milpitas
Attn: Utilities Engineering
455 East Calaveras Blvd.
Milpitas, CA 95035

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5750 Almaden Expressway
San Jose, CA 95118

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Los Gatos, CA 95033

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21105 Brush Road
Los Gatos, CA 95033

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P.O. Box 31536
Stockton, CA 95213

Summitt West Mutual Water Company
P.O. Box 974
Los Gatos, CA 95031

Ridge Mutual Water Company
22316 Citation Drive
Los Gatos, CA 95033

Villa Del Monte Mutual Water Company
P.O. Box 862
Los Gatos, CA 95031

Big Redwood Park Water
& Improvement Assoc.
18522 Mt. View Avenue
Los Gatos, CA 95033

Redwood Estates Services Association
PO Box 591
Redwood Estates, CA 95044-0591

Stagecoach Mutual Water Co
21825 Stagecoach Road
Los Gatos, CA 95033

Summit Mutual Water Co
P.O. Box 3416
Saratoga, CA 95070

Mountain Springs Mutual Water Co.
17956 Greenwood Road
Los Gatos, CA 95033

Raineri Mutual Water Company
P.O. Box 11
Los Gatos, CA 95031

James Hunter
6475 Dwyer Street
San Jose, CA 95120

Saratoga Heights Mutual Water Company
P.O. Box 337
Saratoga, CA 95071

LAFCO of Santa Clara County
70 West Hedding Street
11th Floor, East Wing
San Jose, CA 95110

Jim Beck
22217 Old Santa Cruz Highway
Los Gatos, CA 95033-8863

List of Contracts and Deviations

Name & Location of Customer	Type or Class of Service	Execution & Expiration Dates	Commission Authorization Number & Date	Most Comparable Regular Tariff	
				Schedule No.	Contract Differences
The Gregory Group 220 Twin Dolphin Drive Suite C Redwood City, CA 94065	Domestic Water	As approved by	As approved by	15	15 Modified
Redhill Road APN#517-23-039	Domestic Water		W-3937	1	Below G.O.103 Minimum Pressure
Redhill Road APN#517-23-041	Domestic Water		W-3937	1	Below G.O. 103 Minimum Pressure
Golf Club at Boulder Ridge	Raw Water			RW	Pricing
233 Forrester Road APN#537-21-010	Domestic Water		W-3937	1	Below G.O. 103 Temporary and Interruptible Service
KB Home, Developer Tuscany Hills 230 Forrester Road APN#537-22-018	Main Extension Contract Domestic Water		W-3937	Rule No. 15 1	Special Facilities, Developer Install Below G.O. 103 Temporary and Interruptible Service
Davidon Homes	Main Extension Contract			Rule No. 15	Utility and Developer Install
Mountain Springs Mutual Water Company APN#558-08-022	Domestic Water		W-3937	1C	Interruptible Service
Chemeketa Park Mutual Water Company APN#558-13- 011,014,016	Domestic Water		W-3937	1C	Interruptible Service
Old Santa Cruz Highway APN#558-08-119 APN#558-08-130	Domestic Water		W-3937	1C	Interruptible Service (N)

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