

P U B L I C N O T I C E

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**SAN JOSE WATER COMPANY
NOTICE OF REQUESTED SURCHARGE IMPLEMENTATION**

San Jose Water Company (SJWC) has filed Advice Letter No. 468 (AL 468) with the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) requesting authorization to recover the accumulated balance in the Mandatory Conservation Revenue Adjustment Memorandum Account (MCRAMA) of \$9,566,814, or approximately 3.4% of authorized revenue. **If approved, the requested increase would become effective on or about June 1st, 2015.** The CPUC authorized SJWC to establish a MCRAMA to track the revenue impact of mandatory conservation upon SJWC’s quantity revenue resulting from mandatory conservation instituted by the State of California and the Santa Clara Valley Water District. As directed by the CPUC’s Water Division, the increase will be recovered via a surcharge on the existing quantity rate for a period of 12-months from the date of CPUC approval.

If the CPUC authorizes the requested surcharges, the resulting monthly bill for the average customer with a ¾-inch meter using 15 water units (ccf) per month will increase by \$2.70 from \$78.90 to \$81.60, or approximately 3.42%.

A comparison of the current rates and the rates proposed is as follows:

	<u>Current Surcharge</u>	<u>Proposed Surcharge</u>
Surcharge to offset undercollection in the Mandatory Conservation Revenue Adjustment Memorandum Account per ccf (100 cu. ft.):	-0-	\$0.1798

Protests and Responses

Any customer may respond to or protest this advice letter. A response does not oppose the filing but presents information that may prove useful to the CPUC 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:

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- (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 CPUC order, or is not authorized by statute or CPUC 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 CPUC 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 re-litigating a prior order of the CPUC).

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

Tariff Unit, Division of Water and Audits, 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.