

ISSUED: July 6, 2006

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

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In the Matter of)	
)	
PETE'S MOUNTAIN WATER CO., INC.)	RULING
)	
Request for an increase in total annual)	
revenues from \$111,079 to \$212,300.)	

**DISPOSITION: PETITIONS TO INTERVENE CONDITIONALLY
GRANTED**

In this proceeding, a total of six customers of Pete’s Mountain Water Co., Inc., have filed petitions to intervene. In a June 20, 2006 ruling, I granted petitions filed by Chris Cibbage and Donald Kidd. Since that date, Kenneth Roberts, David and Kay Pollack, Jo Becker, and Lynda Mueller have also submitted petitions.

All new petitioners have sufficient interest in the proceeding, and their appearance and participation will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or unreasonably delay the proceeding. *See* OAR 860-012-0001. The petitions to intervene are conditionally granted, subject to filing of timely objections.

I encourage all customer intervenors to collaborate with each other to identify common issues and concerns. Such coordination will better enable the Commission to more fully investigate the company’s request for a rate increase. If necessary, I may request the intervenors to appoint a representative to help facilitate the efficient processing of the case.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 6th day of July 2006.

Michael Grant
Chief Administrative Law Judge