## **BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

## **OF OREGON**

Docket No. 160

In the Matter of SUNRIVER WATER COMPANY LLC Request for a General Rate Revision.

PETITION TO INTERVENE

The Sunriver Owners Association petitions to intervene in this proceeding. In support of this petition, the following is provided:

1. The contact information (name, address, email address) of the petitioner is:

Name:	Hugh Palcic, General Manager
Company:	Sunriver Owners Association
Street Address:	57455 Abbot Drive
City, State, Zip:	Sunriver, Oregon 97707
Email Address:	hughp@srowners.org
Telephone:	541 593 2411

Please include this contact on the service list.

2a. The petitioner  $\boxtimes$  will  $\square$  will not be represented by counsel in this proceeding. The contact information for petitioner's counsel to be included on the service list is:

Name:	Josh Newton
Company:	Karnopp Petersen LLP
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City, State, Zip:	Bend, OR 97701
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2b. Additional contacts to be included on the service list (a petitioner is limited to three contacts on the service list):

Name: None Company: Street Address: City, State, Zip: Email Address: Telephone: Name: Company: Street Address: City, State, Zip: Email Address: Telephone:

3. If the petitioner is an organization, the number of members in and the purposes of the organization:

Petitioner is an Oregon nonprofit corporation comprised of 4188 members. Those 4188 members consist of 4176 residential units, 9 commercial entities, and 3 resort entities. Petitioner is organized to provide for the management, maintenance, protection, and preservation of Sunriver, and to promote the health, safety, and welfare of its members, not for profit, but for the mutual advantages to be derived there from by the Consolidated Plan of Sunriver. (Articles of Incorporation of The Sunriver Owners Association, last amended September 15, 1997)

List of Members attached

4. The nature and extent of the Petitioner's interest in the proceeding is:

Petitioner and its members constitute the substantial majority of Sunriver Water's approximate population of 4,500 customers. Petitioner's interest in the proceeding is to ensure that any rate increase approved by the Commission is just and reasonable to Petitioner and its members.

5. The issues the Petitioner intends to raise at the proceeding are:

Petitioner intends to raise concerns relating to Sunriver Water's operating costs, its affiliate relationships, its new service provision and expansion, its rate spread, and its rate base. Petitioner also intends to assist, as appropriate, the investigation of issues raised by the Commission staff and other parties in the proceeding.

6. The special knowledge or expertise of the Petitioner that would assist the Commission in resolving the issues in the proceeding is:

Petitioner is the homeowners association for Sunriver. Petitioner possesses significant institutional knowledge regarding the Sunriver community and believes that it can assist the Commission in evaluating Sunriver Water's rate application.

7. Based on the information provided above in accordance with the Commission's rules of procedure, I request to participate in this proceeding as an intervenor. I or the organization that I represent will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or unreasonably delay the proceeding. OAR 860-001-0300.

<u>/s/ Josh Newton</u> Petitioner or Petitioner's Representative

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