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PSC to Hold Public Hearing on City of Madison Water Utility's Rate Proposal *Public Encouraged to Provide Comments*

MADISON – The Public Service Commission of Wisconsin (PSC) will hold a public hearing on August 8th in Madison regarding the City of Madison Water Utility's request to change its water rates.

The City of Madison Water Utility is proposing to increase its rates by an estimated 15%. When a utility requests a change in rates, the PSC conducts a thorough audit of the utility's expenses and revenues. The agency will look at the amount the City of Madison Water Utility needs to provide a reliable source of water to customers.

Public comments on the City of Madison Water Utility's application will be included in the record the Commission will review in making a decision. The Commission has the authority to approve, deny or modify the application. Citizens are encouraged to attend the hearing which is scheduled for:

**Wednesday, August 8th
10:00 a.m.
Public Service Commission Building
Annicon Falls Hearing Room, 1st floor
610 North Whitney Way
Madison, WI**

If you cannot attend the hearing, but would like to provide comments, you can do so on the PSC's website at: <http://psc.wi.gov> through August 8th. Click on the Public Comments button and click on the case title. You may also mail written comments to the PSC at P.O. Box 7854; Madison, WI 53707-7854, postmarked no later than August 8th.

The hearing locations are accessible to people with disabilities. Any person who needs additional accommodations to participate should contact the Docket Coordinator, David Prochaska, at 608-266-5739.

Documents associated with the proposal can be viewed on the PSC's Electronic Regulatory Filing System at <http://psc.wi.gov>. Type case number 3280-WR-109 in the boxes provided on the PSC homepage, or click on the Electronic Regulatory Filing System button.

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