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Debra Howland  
Executive Director & Secretary  
Public Utilities Commission  
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10  
Concord, N. H. 03301-2429

***Re: Order No. 25,754 in Docket DW14-176 Mill Brook Village Water System (MBVWS)  
Waiver Request from PUC 603.03(a).***

Dear Ms. Howland:

Based on the following reasoning, Mill Brook Village Water System (MBVWS) requests a waiver from PUC 603.03(a) which states: All water sold by a utility shall be billed on the basis of metered volume sales unless a waiver is granted by the commission pursuant to Puc 201.05 for unmetered service.

The average water use per single-family residential customer is less than 140 GPD.

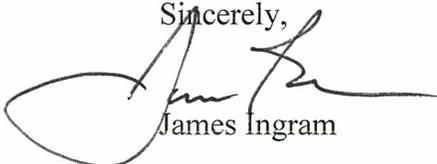
Order of Notice 25,754 dated 1/14/15 observed that "Mill Brook does not provide metered service as is required by Commission rule, Puc 603.03. Staff testified that it had considered this issue in its investigation, but did not recommend any action by the Commission in the Stipulation. Staff decided not to recommend Commission action primarily because the utility serves a relatively uniform class of customers – single-family, residential homes and condominiums".

Staff also stated at the December 11, 2014 hearing "If meters were to be installed in all of these homes, it would cost the Company and the homeowners more than it would benefit them at this point".

I am in agreement with these staff recommendations. Therefore the proposed alternative is unmetered service.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,



James Ingram

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