

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

IN RE: PROVIDENCE WATER SUPPLY BOARD  
APPLICATION TO CHANGE RATE SCHEDULES

DOCKET NO. 4061

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 39-1-1 and 39-3-11 of the General Laws, as amended, the Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, September 29, 2009 at 11:00 A.M. at the Commission's office located at 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island. The hearing may continue thereafter as required.

In this docket, the Commission will examine the propriety of a Stipulation/Settlement Agreement entered by Providence Water Supply Board, the Division of Public Utilities and Carriers and the Kent County Water Authority (collectively, the Parties). The Settlement addresses issues raised by the Parties and will provide the Providence Water Supply Board with additional revenues in the amount of \$3,355,348 or an overall increase of 5.9% to support a total cost of service of \$60,262,498. If approved the impact on a residential customer's bill with an annual consumption of 100 HCF will be an increase of \$16.84, from \$276.32 to \$293.16 per year.

The Settlement may be examined at the Commission's office and at office of the Providence Water Supply Board, 552 Academy Avenue, Providence, Rhode Island. The filing can also be accessed at [www.ripuc.org](http://www.ripuc.org), Commission Docket Menu, Docket No. 4061.

Reference is made to Chapters 39-1, 39-3 and 42-35 of the Rhode Island General Laws; specifically Sections 39-1-7, 39-1-8, 39-1-11, 39-1-12, 39-1-16, 39-1-18, 39-1-20, 42-35-8 and 42-35-10.

The Public Utilities Commission is accessible to the handicapped. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired must notify the Commission Clerk's office at 941-4500, seventy-two hours in advance of hearing date.

Luly E. Massaro, Commission Clerk  
September 18, 2009