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Hon. Carmen Diaz, Acting Secretary, BPU
44 South Clinton Avenue, 9th Floor
Trenton, NJ 08625-0350

RE: Docket #WR22090555 and WR22090556

Dear Honorable Diaz:

I am a resident of Leisuretown, Southampton, NJ. I am writing in regards to the request of Pinelands Water Company to raise their rates once again. Pinelands Water Company rates have been raised frequently, every several years, far exceeding the cost of living. Double digit increases frequently for nothing more than financial gain is price gouging from a utility monopoly. No services have been improved, in fact services shoddy, and water quality substandard.

I am vehemently against this increase request per Docket # WR22090555 and WR22090556.

By way of this letter I am putting you on notice of my voice rejecting the increase. I speak for myself by way of this correspondence, although aware many residents in our 55 plus active adult community of 2,255, are of the same mindset and outraged by the ongoing rate increases.

Sincerely,
Marie Barnes