

RESOLUTION NO. R2011-19

A RESOLUTION OPPOSING THE AMOUNT OF THE WATER
RATE INCREASE REQUESTED BY TENNESSEE AMERICAN
WATER COMPANY.

WHEREAS, the Town of Signal Mountain purchases water in bulk from Tennessee American Water Company to provide water to our citizens; and,

WHEREAS, the Tennessee American Water Company has proposed a 27.66% increase in the rate for our citizens; and,

WHEREAS, this high increase will have an adverse effect on the household income of our citizens; and,

WHEREAS, the Town of Signal Mountain buys water in bulk at the bottom of the mountain and pays the cost to transport it up the mountain to our storage takes; and,

WHEREAS, the Town of Signal Mountain does not receive equal services as provided to other water customers of Tennessee American Water Company and therefore should not receive an equal percentage increase as other customers; and,

WHEREAS, due to the high percentage amount of this increase, the Town Council must protest this rate increase;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SIGNAL MOUNTAIN, TENNESSEE, that we are formally on record as opposing the amount of this 27.66% rate increase requested by Tennessee American Water Company as this rate increase will have an adverse effect on our citizens.

MAYOR

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2/28/11

RECORDER

W. J. ...

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