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Dear Sirs,

I am writing to request a hearing before the Public Service Commission. Please except this as my petition. My Name is Tammy Jabrohen, I am the owner of Goat Island Restaurant and Goat Island Bait and tackle Shop. Seven months ago I asked Tim Oliver, owner of our water company, Goat Island Water & Sewer Co, Inc; to please show me where my tap was to cut off the water to my bait shop building. After several calls, he never responded to my request so I contacted the Office of Regulatory Staff. There I have several contacts with Chad Campbell and Willie Morgan. They have came to our property location twice within these 7 months. The first on site visit Tim was not present I was, and Willie and Chad both told me that if was 1 tap and if DHEC saw it they would require it to be different. Then I recieved a letter from ORS stating that it appeared to be two taps

at this property. after recieving the first letter I asked at that time for a hearing. Chad from ORS said let me make a few calls and he did he contacted us back to have a on site visit again. Tim could not make it, it was rescheduled, then my husband who knows more about the situation than I, couldn't make it they still came. The second letter with Willie and Chad's decision came March 3rd, 2007. my husband contacted Chad and asked how and who do we talk to - cause we did not feel that this was right and did not understand there decision. After several conference calls between my husband, Chad, and Willie, and a letter of All my water services being cut-off, today the morning of the 20th we were told a written letter had to be sent in - and it is a different branch than the ORS. Forgive my penmenship, I am trying to sum the situation up. We each 3 separate properties, with what we thought 2 separate taps. In July we tried to cut off our water to our bait-shop building - to realize that we could not cut that building's water off without having to cut the tap off to the restaurant as well.

the situation is still true to today. Also these 2 taps that ORS and Oliver says I have are tied in somewhere, and are also located on the Restaurant property, not 2 separate taps on 2 seperate pieces of property like it should be. If I am paying a commercial rate of 135.00 + 1.25 fee per month per tap - shouldn't I have 2 separate taps? Shouldn't I be able if I have a problem with a pipe busting in my bait shop, be able to cut off the valve (tap) to the baitshop with-out having to cut off the water to my restaurant which is on a seperate tap on its own in which I pay also a commercial rate of 136.50 a month? I believe so, and I am not able to do so, so for the past 7 months, I have not paid for the Baitshop tap, because the (tap) is cut off to the baitshop but I am still recieving water. I believe that this is 1 tap, so in fairness I have only being paying for 1 commercial tap, which is for non-metered water, unlimited. Now, today Chad has told me, unless I bring my account up to date as of March 25th Tim can cut off all my taps, included my Parent Water in which is on my account with these oth

2 in which I have only being paying for 1, I have no problem paying for 2 commercial taps and have so for the past 8 years that I owned it. Now I know I only have 1 tap, and I would like it fixed to where the tap will cut off the water to my bait shop building without effecting my restaurants water, and also have that tap on the correct piece of property not being shared with the restaurant property.

I would appreciate if you will please accept this letter as my petition for a hearing and also stop Mr. Oliver from cutting off all my water supply here at Goat Island! The schulude date of cut off is March 25th. We (family) are leaving to go on a much needed vacation Saturday morning for a week and I do not need my service to the restaurant interrupted, when I have been paying it and my parents tap. Mr. Oliver says my account is delinquent because until this is ruled I have not been paying the 131.75 per month tap fee for the bait shop.

Sincerely Yours,

Jamme W. Johnson
owner/operator Goat Island Restaurant.

* Copies have been sent to ORS and to tim Oliver