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July 6, 2012

Chairman Kenneth C. Hill,  
c/o Ms. Sharla Dillon  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, TN 37243-0505

Re: In re: Petition of Tennessee-American Water – TRA Docket No. 12-00049

Chairman Hill:

Tennessee American Water submits this letter in response to the Motions for Leave to Issue More Than Forty Discovery Requests filed today with the Authority by both the Consumer Advocate and the City of Chattanooga. In the spirit of cooperation, particularly in light of the Consumer Advocate's efforts to avoid overlap, Tennessee American Water does not oppose the Consumer Advocate's request for an additional 58 discovery requests. Likewise, with the understanding of avoiding overlap, Tennessee American Water does not oppose the City's request for an additional 42 discovery requests and 9 requests for admission. Notwithstanding the above, Tennessee American Water reserves its right to object to these discovery requests on other grounds.

Best regards,

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