

**BOND
FOR UTILITY CONSUMERS**

BOND NO. _____
ACCOUNT NO. _____

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, _____ (hereinafter called Principal),
as Principal, and _____, as Surety, are held
and firmly bound unto the Public Service Company of Colorado, its successors and assigns, hereinafter called Obligee, in
the sum of _____ () to be paid to the
Obligee, for which payment we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and
severally.

The conditions of the above obligations are as follows:

WHEREAS, the Public Service Company of Colorado, may require a cash deposit or surety bond from consumers of
utility services (electric, gas, water, steam, any one, any combination, or all) in an amount sufficient to cover the estimated
use of services for three (3) months, and

WHEREAS, _____ is a consumer
of utility services at _____, mentioned in this obligation.

AND WHEREAS, it is in the personal interest of the surety that utility services be continued to the principal herein and
whereas surety does execute this bond in consideration of such continuation of utility services and whereas surety does
hereby acknowledge its indebtedness to the obligee as set forth herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, the condition of this obligation is such that, if the Principal shall faithfully pay Obligee for utility
service in accordance with Obligee's service rules and regulations, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise to
remain in full force and effect.

It is expressly agreed and understood that no change or alteration in or deviation from said contract or rules of the owner
nor any change in the manner of making the payment shall release the Surety herein: provided, however, the Surety may
cancel this bond upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Public Service Company of Colorado, provided, however, that
such cancellation shall not affect Surety's obligation for payment incurred prior thereto.

The term of this bond will be from _____, to _____. However,
the Principal and Surety expressly agree that this obligation extends to payment of utility services due or to become due.
Any notices to Obligee required herein shall be made by first class United States Mail, addressed to the Public Service
Company of Colorado to the attention of _____. All notices to Principal shall be by first class
U. S. mail, address to the Principal at _____.
All notices to Surety as required herein shall be by first class United States mail, addressed to the Surety at
_____.

If any action or proceeding is initiated in connection with this bond and any and all obligations arising hereunder, the
venue thereof shall be in the City and County of Denver, State of Colorado, unless the Obligee in its sole discretion shall
decide to file in another county within the State of Colorado, and for this purpose both Principal and Surety do hereby
consent to whichever venue Obligee shall select within the State of Colorado as Obligee may select in its sole discretion.

If any one or more of the provisions of this bond are determined to be illegal or unenforceable by a court of competent
jurisdiction, all remaining provisions shall remain in effect and shall be enforceable.

If any action or proceeding is required to be initiated by Obligee to enforce this bond, Surety agrees that it shall be liable
for any and all costs of said action including, but not limited to, court costs, filing fees and a reasonable attorney's fee, the
latter not to exceed fifteen percent (15%) of the sum due under the bond.

Signed and sealed this _____ day of _____, _____.

Signed and sealed in the presence of:

PRINCIPAL:

By

SURETY:

By

ATTORNEY IN FACT