## VILLAGE OF SPRINGVILLE 5 W. Main Street P.O. Box 17 Springville, NY 14141 (716) 592-4936

February 19, 2010

Hon. Jaclyn A. Brilling Secretary New York State Dept. of Public Service Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223-1350

Dear Secretary Brilling:

Enclosed please find the Village of Springville's revised tariff leaves and the exhibits supporting the Village's rate request. The Village is requesting this rate increase based on an analysis showing that the current rate of return is 1.81% and it is anticipated that without a rate increase this rate of return will decrease to 0.63%.

The revised tariff leaves have a proposed effective date of August 1, 2010 but, if possible, we are requesting that the revised tariff leaves become effective as close to May 2010 as possible since the usage of electric services for May 2010 corresponds to the billing of June 2010, which is the beginning of our next fiscal year. The Village also requests a waiver of the required four week notification and that the rate payers will receive individual notification of the rate increase in lieu of the publication of notification of the rate increase.

The revenue increase being requested is an additional \$271,660 or 7.4% which reflects an 11.2% increase in rates across all service classifications.

Respectfully submitted,

For the VILLAGE OF SPRINGVILLE