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APPLICATION OF COMMUNITY WATER SERVICE, INC. AND	§ 8	STATE OFFICE OF AMINISTRATIVE
WALTER J. CARROLL FOR SALE, TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF	\$ 8	FILING CLERK OF
FACILITIES AND CERIFICATE RIGHTS IN ELLIS COUNTY (37981-S)	8 8	HEARINGS

JOINT PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

TO THE HONORABLE LILO D. POMERLEAU:

COMES NOW the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission), representing the public interest, and files this Joint Proposed Procedural Schedule, Staff states the following:

On March 12, 2015 a prehearing conference was convened before the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH) for the above referenced matter. SOAH Order No. 2 memorialized the prehearing conference, and Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Lilo D. Pomerleau instructed Staff to file a proposed procedural schedule. Staff has conferred with Walter J. Carrol Water Company and the City of Red Oak, and all parties have agreed to the Joint Proposed Procedural Schedule detailed below. At the prehearing conference, the parties contemplated June 23, 2015 as the date for the hearing on the merits. However, due to the timeline and scheduling conflicts, that date was untenable.

JOINT PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Applicant's Direct Pre-filed Testimony	May 15, 2015
Intervener's Direct Pre-filed Testimony	June 15, 2015
Commission Staff's Direct Pre-filed Testimony	July 15, 2015
Settlement Discussions	July 23, 2015
Applicant's Rebuttal Pre-filed Testimony	August 5, 2015
Hearing on the Merits (Subject to the ALJ's	August 20, 2015
availability)	

Staff respectfully requests that the ALJ enter an order consistent with this filing, subject, of course, to her availability on the proposed dates.

Respectfully Submitted,

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I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on March 26, 2015 in accordance with P.U.C. PROC. R. 22.74.

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