

Control Number: 43360



Item Number: 41

Addendum StartPage: 0

SOAH DOCKET NO. 473-16-0101.WS PUC DOCKET NO. 43360

§

RECEIVED 2015 SEP 14 AM 10: 57

APPLICATION OF CITY OF PLEASANTON FOR CERTIFICATES OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY IN ATASCOSA COUNTY (37978-C & 37991) BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE COMPLISSION

OF

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

SOAH ORDER NO. 1 CASE DESCRIPTION, NOTICE OF PREHEARING CONFERENCE, AND FILING REQUIREMENTS

I. DESCRIPTION OF CASE

On July 9, 2014, the City of Pleasanton (Pleasanton) filed with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality an application for water and sewer Certificates of Convenience and Necessity in Atascosa County. The application was received by the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) on September 24, 2014. The case has been processed at the Commission since September 24, 2014. On September 2, 2015, the City of Jourdanton filed a request for a hearing. On September 9, 2015, the Commission referred the case to the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH), requesting the assignment of an Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) to conduct a hearing and issue a proposal for decision, if such is necessary. On September 10, 2015, SOAH assigned this case to the undersigned ALJ. SOAH has jurisdiction over matters relating to the conduct of the hearing in this proceeding pursuant to Texas Government Code § 2003.049. The Commission will consider this case at its October 8, 2015 open meeting and subsequently issue a preliminary order.

II. NOTICE OF PREHEARING CONFERENCE

The ALJ will convene a prehearing conference at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 20, 2015, in a SOAH hearing room located on the Fourth Floor of the William P. Clements Building, 300 West 15th Street, Austin, Texas. At the prehearing

41

conference, the ALJ will address a procedural and discovery schedule, a hearing on the merits date(s), a protective order if necessary, notice, and any other issues that will assist in the fair disposition of this case. If there are any objections to the notice already provided in this case, those objections shall be filed no later than October 9, 2015.

III. FILING AND SERVICE PROCEDURES

All pleadings shall be filed with the Commission's filing clerk, not with the SOAH filing clerk. The Commission's filing clerk will forward a copy of the pleadings to SOAH. The parties may contact Liz Slick, the ALJ's administrative assistant, at 512-475-3363, with any procedural questions.

SIGNED September 11, 2015.

MÍCHAEL J. O'MALÆEY

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING