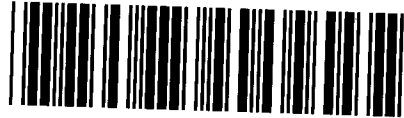


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**APPLICATION OF CONCHO RURAL
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A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE
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COMMISSION STAFF'S RESPONSE TO ORDER NO. 7

COMES NOW the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission), representing the public interest, and files this Response to Order No. 7, and would show the following:

I. BACKGROUND

On December 4, 2014, Concho Rural Water Corporation (CRWC) filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) an application to amend its water certificate of convenience No. 11361 in Tom Green County, Texas. Order No. 7 was issued on August 31, 2015, which required that CRWC file additional notice to address deficiencies identified by Staff. Order No. 7 also required that Staff file an additional procedural schedule by October 28, 2015, based upon the date notice was mailed. On September 21, CRWC filed the additional information related to notice.

II. RECOMMENDATION

Staff has reviewed the additional information filed by CRWC. The additional information included an affidavit attesting that notice was mailed to San Angelo on September 15, 2015. CRWC also included a copy of the actual notice that was mailed. Based on this supplemental information, Staff recommends that the notice be deemed sufficient.

III. PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Staff recommends the following procedural schedule:

Event	Date
Deadline for Commission Staff to file its final recommendation	December 18, 2015


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DATED: October 28, 2015

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on October 28, 2015, in accordance with 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 22.74.



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