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APPLICATION OF RANKIN PARK	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION AN 10: 16
MAINTENANCE & UTILITIES	§	
COMPANY FOR CLASS B	§	OF TEXAS FULL OF THE FIGURE OLERK
RATE/TARIFF CHANGE	§	TEMB CLERK

ORDER NO. 2 FINDING APPLICATION DEFICIENT AND INCOMPLETE; SUSPENDING PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE

I. Application

On January 4, 2016, Rankin Park Maintenance & Utilities Company (Rankin) filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) an application for a rate/tariff change. Specifically, Rankin seeks to increase only its wastewater utility rates. Rankin proposed a rate increase effective March 1, 2016.

II. Staff Recommendation on Administrative Completeness of the Application and Notice

On February 4, 2016, Commission Staff filed comments on the application and notice. Commission Staff has determined that the application is not administratively complete because it contains material deficiencies, as specifically described in Commission Staff's February 4, 2016 filing and the attached memorandum of Andrew Novak and Patricia Garcia, of the Commission's Water Utility Regulation Division. Staff recommended the proposed effective date of March 1, 2016, be suspended until proper notice is provided to all customers.

III. Proposed Procedural Schedule

Commission Staff proposes that Rankin be given until March 7, 2016 to address the deficiencies identified by Commission Staff. Commission Staff proposes to file additional comments regarding completeness of the amended application, along with a proposed procedural schedule by March 25, 2016.

IV. Finding Application Incomplete and Deficient, Providing Opportunity to Cure

Consistent with Commission Staff's recommendation, Rankin's application is found administratively incomplete and deficient. The proposed effective date of March 1, 2016 is suspended until proper notice is provided to customers once the application is deemed administratively complete.

On or before March 7, 2016, Rankin shall amend its application to cure the deficiencies noted by Staff.

On or before March 25, 2016, Commission Staff shall file a supplemental recommendation regarding administrative completeness of the amended application and notice, along with a proposed procedural schedule.

SIGNED AT AUSTIN, TEXAS on the 1145 day of February 2016.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

JEFFRÆY J. HÚHN

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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