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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR SALE, TRANSFER, OR MERGER**

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Notice is given to the public of an application filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (commission) on March 11, 2016, pursuant to the Texas Water Code.

Docket Style and Number: Application of Ponderosa & Western Village Water Supply Corporation and El Paso Water Utilities Public Service Board For Sale, Transfer, or Merger of Facilities and Certificate Rights in El Paso County, Docket Number 45719.

The Application: El Paso Water Utilities Public Service Board (EPWU) filed an application for approval of a sale, transfer or merger in which EPWU will acquire all of Ponderosa & Western Village Water Supply Corporation's (Ponderosa) customers, facilities and certificate rights in El Paso County. EPWU's water certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) No. 10211 will be amended. Ponderosa will be dissolved and its CCN No. 11017 will be cancelled. Rates will not change for affected customers.

Persons who wish to intervene in the proceeding or comment upon the action sought should contact the commission as soon as possible as an intervention deadline will be imposed. A comment or request to intervene should be mailed to Public Utility Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711-3326. Further information may also be obtained by calling the commission's Office of Customer Protection at (512) 936-7120 or (888) 782-8477. Hearing and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (TTY) may contact the commission through Relay Texas by dialing 7-1-1. All correspondence should refer to Docket Number 45719.



**ISSUED ON BEHALF OF THE
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS
ON THE 17TH DAY OF MARCH 2016**