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LLC FOR A WATER CERTIFICATE
OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY
IN GILLESPIE COUNTY

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BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE

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SOAH ORDER NO. 3
ADOPTING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

On October 11, 2017, a preliminary hearing was convened. The Applicant Vineyard Ridge LLC, the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, and Intervenor John McCrae appeared through their attorneys of record. The Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) issued Order No. 2 setting the hearing date, referring the case to mediation, and ordering the parties to submit a procedural schedule. In compliance with Order No. 2, the parties submitted a procedural schedule on October 19, 2017. The ALJ adopts the schedule submitted by the parties which is attached as Exhibit A to this Order. Pursuant to Section 155.105(a)(1) of SOAH's procedural rules, the parties may by agreement serve all documents in the proceeding by e-mail provided that hard copies are thereafter delivered to the parties in a timely manner sent contemporaneously with the e-mail service.

SIGNED October 25, 2017.



JOANNE SUMMERHAYS
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

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APPENDIX "A"

Agreed Procedural Schedule

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| September 5, 2017 | Discovery begins |
| November 17, 2017 | Parties to Mediate with SOAH ADR Group (ALJ Elizabeth Drews) |
| December 1, 2017 | Last day to conduct depositions |
| December 1, 2017 | Last day to submit written discovery to other parties |
| December 4, 2017 | Deadline for Applicant to file prefiled testimony |
| January 5, 2018 | Deadline for Protestant to file prefiled testimony |
| February 2, 2018 | Deadline for PUC Staff to file prefiled testimony |
| February 2, 2018 | Deadline for Motions for Summary Disposition |
| February 9, 2018 | Deadline to file objections to prefiled testimony |
| February 9, 2018 | Deadline to request that the prehearing conference be held in person (if agreed to by all parties) |
| February 12, 2018 | Deadline to respond to objections to prefiled testimony |
| February 12, 2018 | Prehearing conference (by telephone) |
| February 14-15, 2018 | Hearing on the Merits – 9:00 AM each day |