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COMMISSION STAFF'S REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Staff), representing the public interest, and files this Request for an extension.

I. BACKGROUND

On March 28, 2017, ratepayers of the City of Malakoff filed a petition appealing the decision of the City of Malakoff to increase wastewater rates effective January 1, 2017. On March 29, 2017, the administrative law judge (ALJ) issued Order No. 1, requiring Staff to file comments on the administrative completeness of the petition by April 27, 2017. This pleading is therefore timely filed.

II. MOTION

Pursuant to 16 TAC §22.4(b), Staff may request that the time allowed for filing any documents be extended for good cause. Staff plans to file Requests for Information, and requires additional time to consider the responses. Therefore, Staff requests that the ALJ extend Staff's deadline to file a recommendation to May 31, 2017.

III. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests the entry of an order consistent with the above request.

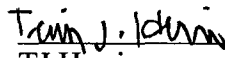
Dated: April 27, 2017

Respectfully Submitted,

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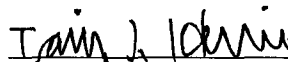


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I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record April 27, 2017, in accordance with 16 TAC § 22.74.



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