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APPLICATION OF AQUA WATER §   **PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**
SUPPLY CORPORATION AND §
FAYETTE WATER SUPPLY §
CORPORATION FOR SALE, §
TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF §
FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE §
RIGHTS IN BASTROP COUNTY §   **OF TEXAS**

ORDER NO. 5
FINDING NOTICE SUFFICIENT AND ESTABLISHING
SCHEDULE FOR CONTINUED PROCESSING

This Order addresses Commission Staff's October 6, 2017 recommendation on the notice provided in this application and proposed procedural schedule. Commission Staff recommended that the notice of this application provided by Aqua Water Supply Corporation and Fayette Water Supply Corporation be deemed sufficient. Commission Staff stated that on September 28, 2017, applicants filed affidavits of proof of notice to current customers, neighboring systems, and cities. Notice was completed on September 14, 2017, therefore, the 120-day deadline to approve the sale administratively or require a public hearing is January 12, 2018. Commission Staff proposed a procedural schedule based on that deadline.

Consistent with Commission Staff's recommendation, the notice is sufficient. The following procedural schedule shall apply:

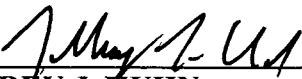| Event	Date
Notice completed	September 14, 2017
Deadline for intervention	October 16, 2017[1]
Deadline for Commission Staff to request a hearing or file a recommendation on approval of the sale and on issuance of certificate	November 16, 2017
Deadline for parties to file a response to Commission Staff's recommendation	November 30, 2017

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[1] The 30th day is a Saturday, October 14, 2017. Thus, under 16 TAC § 22.4 the period shall conclude on the end of the next day on which the Commission is open for business.

120-day deadline for Commission to approval the sale or require a hearing	January 12, 2018

Signed at Austin, Texas the ___10th___ **day of October 2017.**

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PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

JEFFREY J. HUHN
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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