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## CITY OF HUTTO'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND ADOPTION OF REVISED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

COMES NOW, City of Hutto, in the above referenced proceeding and files this its Motion for Extension of Time and Adoption of Revised Procedural Schedule in the matter of the City of Hutto's (the "City" or "Hutto") application to amend its sewer certificate of convenience and necessity ("CCN") number 20122 in Williamson County, Texas, (the "Application") and would show the ALJ as follows:

## I. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND ADOPTION OF REVISED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

On November 21, 2017, the City filed an Application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (the "Commission") to amend its sewer CCN number 20122 in Williamson County, Texas. On December 20, 2017, the Commission issued Order No. 2, wherein the Commission declared the City's Application administratively complete, required the City to issue notices of the Application on forms prescribed by Commission Staff, and adopted a procedural schedule. The procedural schedule's first deadline requires the City to file an affidavit with the Commission by February 5, 2018, swearing that proper notice of the application, along with correct maps, were sent to the affected parties and had been published in a newspaper of general circulation. However, the City is unable to file an affidavit, swearing to these matters, and requests an extension of time.

Prior to the issuance of Order No. 2, the City prematurely began issuing notices to affected parties. The City has now realized that the notice forms it had used did not correspond to the forms the Commission Staff provided in its Recommendation on Administrative Completeness. Therefore, the City began working with Commission Staff in an effort to correct this error and ensure the affected parties received proper notice.

Furthermore, after the issuance of Order No. 2, the City determined that it needed to amend its requested service area. The City has met with the Commission's Mapping Staff, neighboring landowners, and utilities to ensure that the City's requested service area is accurate and does not encroach on any other municipal corporate boundaries or extraterritorial jurisdictions. The City has also hosted a public meeting wherein the City listened to affected persons within the proposed sewer CCN service area. In furtherance of these meetings, the City is amending its requested service area and corresponding map.

For these reasons, the City requests that the deadline for filing the affidavit be extended and that the procedural schedule adopted in Order No. 2 be amended as follows:

Event	Date	
Deadline for Applicant to file updated maps	February 7, 2018	
Deadline for Staff to recommend new notice and a	February 21, 2018	
revised procedural schedule		
Deadline for Applicant to file with the	April 6, 2018	
Commission signed affidavits that the notice was		
given along with a copy of the notice sent to the		
affected parties and published in a newspaper of		
general circulation		
Deadline for Staff to file a recommendation on	Within 10 days of Applicant filing	
sufficiency of notice*	proof of completed notice with the	
	Commission	
Deadline to intervene	30 days after notice is issued	
* Pursuant to 16 TAC \$ 24 106(a)(3) the intervention deadline is 30 days after the mailing or		

<sup>\*</sup> Pursuant to 16 TAC § 24.106(a)(3), the intervention deadline is 30 days after the mailing or publication of notice, whichever occurs later.

This newly revised procedural schedule was proposed by Commission Staff and will provide the City sufficient time to correct any mapping discrepancies and ensure proper notices are issued to affected parties.

## II. CONCLUSION & PRAYER

WHEREFORE, PREMISES considered, for all the foregoing reasons, the City of Hutto respectfully requests that the ALJs grant the City's Motion for Extension of Time and Adoption of Revised Procedural Schedule, which is agreed upon by Commission Staff and the City of Hutto.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing instrument will be served in accordance with SOAH Order No. 1 in this proceeding.

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