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APPLICATION OF FOREST GLEN UTILITY COMPANY FOR AUTHORITY TO CHANGE RATES

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RESPONSE TO COMMISSION STAFF'S REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INTERVENTION DATE

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COMES NOW, Forest Glen Utility Company ("FGU" or "Applicant") and files this Response to Commission Staff's Request for Additional Intervention Date, and in support thereof, would respectfully show the following:

I. BACKGROUND

On December 21, 2017, FGU filed an application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas ("Commission") to amend its tariff and change its rates for sewer Certificate of Convenience and Necessity ("CCN") No. 21070 in Medina County. The Notice of Proposed Rate Change or Statement of Intent issued by FGU on December 27, 2017, established an effective date of the rate change of February 1, 2018. On January 31, 2018, at Commission Staff's urging but without any adjudication, the Commission Administrative Law Judge ("ALJ") issued Order No. 2 finding the application administratively incomplete and suspending the effective date of the rate increase (for that reason). FGU filed a Response to Oral Comments made by the Commission Staff on Febru ary 23, 2018. On March 27, 2018, the Commission ALJ issued Order No. 3 finding FGU's application to be administratively complete and continuing the suspension.¹ Having also received protests by more than ten percent of Applicant's customers, the Commission ALJ issued an Order of Referral on April 3, 2018, which referred the application to the State Office of Administrative Hearings ("SOAH") to conduct a hearing.

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¹ The suspension went into effect on January 21, 2018 when the Commission ALJ issued Order No. 2.

On April 12, 2018, SOAH issued Order No. 1 describing the case and requiring FGU to provide notice of the Prehearing Conference at least 20 days prior to the hearing to each affected municipality, county and ratepayer. On May 2, 2018, FGU filed an affidavit with the Commission that it had provided the required notice of Prehearing Conference on April 27, 2018.² The Prehearing Conference was held by the SOAH ALJ on May 18, 2018 and memorialized in SOAH Order No. 2 which also set out the procedural schedule.

Before the Draft Preliminary Order was issued, during the Commission Open Meeting on May 25, 2018, Commissioners stated that a Final Preliminary Order would not be issued until FGU provided an updated Statement of Intent establishing a new effective date of the rate increase. Accordingly, FGU provided the new Statement of Intent (affidavit, notice of proposed rate change, and ratepayer protest form) on June 1, 2018.³ The Commissioner's action established July 6, 2018 as a new effective date of the increased rate -- 35 days from the second notice.⁴ On June 14, 2018, the Commission issued a Preliminary Order listing issues to be addressed in this docket but otherwise remaining silent on the end of the suspension period or any additional requirements triggered by the new Statement of Intent.

On June 28, 2018, Commission Staff filed a Request for Additional Intervention Date ("Request") taking the position, in part, that FGU's new Statement of Intent is proper.⁵ This response it timely filed.

II. AUTHORITIES

Texas Water Code ("TWC") § 13.1871(n) addresses intervention by ratepayers:

(n) The utility shall mail notice of the hearing to each ratepayer before the hearing. The notice must include a description of the process by which a ratepayer may intervene in the ratemaking proceeding.⁶

⁴ Id.

² FGU Affidavit, PUC Interchange Filing No. 105 (May 2, 2018).

³ Statement of Intent, PUC Interchange Filing No. 125 (June 1, 2018).

⁵ Commission Staff's Request for Additional Intervention Date at 2 (footnote no. 4) (June 28, 2018).

⁶ TWC § 13.1871(u).

PUC's regulation implementing TWC § 13.1871 at 16 Texas Administrative Code ("TAC") § 24.22(d)(2)(B) is virtually identical:

(B) The utility shall mail notice of the hearing to each affected ratepayer at least 20 days before the hearing. The notice must include a description of the process by which a ratepayer may intervene in the proceeding.⁷

Neither the Chairman's May 24, 2018 memorandum, the Preliminary Order, nor other Commission rules address the process for ratepayer intervention for Class B utilities.⁸ Indeed, no statutory or regulatory provisions expressly address ratepayer intervention when the Commission has ordered a second Statement of Intent and a second effective date of rate increase.

III. ARGUMENT

The Commission's recent requirement (announced during Open Meeting) to issue a new Statement of Intent establishing a new effective date of the rate increase is unprecedented. This action, in turn, raises the question of what additional procedural requirements were triggered by the Commission's directive, if any. In other words, must new notice of hearing, procedures to request another round of intervention, and/or a new prehearing conference be held all because the Commission ordered a new Statement of Intent? The short answer is no.

Although the use of the word "hearing" in TWC § 13.1871(n) and 16 TAC § 24.22(d)(2)(B) is not specific and could mean the whole series of hearings that may occur (from preliminary to evidentiary), it is generally understood that the singular "hearing" referred to in TWC § 13.1871(n) and 16 TAC § $24.22(d)(2)(B)^9$ is the prehearing conference. That is, there is no requirement to notify ratepayers of the process to intervene outside the prehearing conference or more than once.

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⁷ 16 TAC § 24.22(d)(2)(B).

⁸ Under TWC § 13.002(4-c), FGU is actually a Class C utility. However, pursuant to § 13.1872(c)(2), because FGU is seeking more than a price index adjustment, it is treated like a Class B utility under § 13.1871 for rate making purposes.

⁹ Note that while 16 TAC § 24.22(c)(1)(B) requires notice of intervention procedures earlier at the notice of application stage for larger TWC § 13.187 utilities, Class B utilities (and those Class C utilities requesting rate increases) need only apprise ratepayers at the notice of hearing stage 20 days prior to the prehearing conference per 16 TAC § 24.22(d)(2)(B)

Clearly notice of the prehearing conference has already been given and the hearing held. There has been no claim that notice of that May 18, 2018 hearing was deficient. However, now without statutory or regulatory support, the PUC Staff claims that a second notice apprising ratepayers of the process to intervene (and additional opportunity to intervene) is warranted because the PUC Staff originally called the application "insufficient,"¹⁰ but then reversing their position by submittal of their supplemental recommendation on completeness.¹¹ First, putting aside that the Commission (not CADM or Staff) never formally found the FGU application was substantially incomplete, let alone incomplete,¹² and FGU was merely providing answers to Staff's oral questions about the application voluntarily,¹³ Staff's request would create a new notice and opportunity for intervention process whole cloth. Again, this is unprecedented and unjustified.

Staff appears to justify a new opportunity for intervention by opining that individuals who did not intervene earlier, "may reconsider upon receiving additional information provided in a new statement of intent."¹⁴ A quick comparison of the two Statements of Intent, notarized on December 27, 2018 and May 30, 2018 respectively, however, show the notices are virtually identical. Apart from different signature dates and affiants, the billing comparison, protest instructions, and side by side comparison of the change to the fixed monthly charge are all the same.¹⁵ There is no new or different information conveyed in the May 30 notice that a ratepayer receiving the December 27 notice would not have received – the rate is still being increased from \$35 per month to \$65 per month. Furthermore as Staff knows, a Statement of Intent, new or old, does not provide additional information about the application, but merely conveys the effective date of the rate increase, its amount and the like. There is simply no new application or substantively different application in

¹⁰ Commission Staff's Recommendation on Sufficiency (Jan. 19, 2018).

¹¹ Commission Staff's Supplemental Recommendation on Administrative Completeness and Suspension of Rates and Request for Referral to the State Office of Administrative Hearings (Mar. 22, 2018).

¹² Although Staff uses the word "insufficient," TWC § 13.1871(e) refers to an application or statement of intent that is "not substantially complete or does not comply with the regulatory authority's rules." As a comparison, 16 TAC § 24.26(b) refers to a utility that "has failed to properly complete the rate application."

¹³ Some of Staff's questions literally sprung from poor copy quality on the receiving end of the electronically transmitted information and were not substantive issues at all.

¹⁴ Commission Staff's Request for Additional Intervention Date at 2 (June 28, 2018).

¹⁵ See attached Exhibit A (Dec. 27, 2017 Statement of Intent) and Exhibit B (May 30, 2018 Statement of Intent).

this case, just good faith attempts by FGU to answer questions posed by Staff with no ultimate bearing on the rate requested.

Additionally, if the standard for notice and intervention changed every time a new ratepayer hooked on to the system as Staff suggests, an applicant would have the continuous and expensive obligation to send out public notices. Hearings (much less potential settlement of contested hearings) would never move to resolution. This process is counter to the Legislature's intent that the Commission and intervenors do not suspend, drag out, delay, or otherwise pause the implementation of any proposed rates beyond a maximum of 265 days regardless of circumstance.

If the Staff believes additional notice and intervention to ratepayers is necessitated every time an application is deemed insufficient or incomplete (by them), they should provide minimal due process to those utilities bearing the burden of that duplicative process by proposing these policy changes of statewide applicability through formal rulemaking in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act. In the alternative, if the ALJ believes a new notice and opportunity for intervention is warranted, FGU requests that any new intervenor be aligned with the existing intervenors represented by one individual and accept the procedural schedule as it existed at the time of intervention in accordance with Commission procedural rules.¹⁶

IV. PRAYER

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Forest Glen Utility Company prays that the ALJ issue an Order denying Staff's Request for Additional Intervention Date or, if granted, require any new intervening party to be aligned with the existing intervenors and accept the procedural schedule as fixed in SOAH Order No. 2 without changes.

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¹⁶ 16 TAC § 22.104(d)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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ATTORNEYS FOR FOREST GLEN UTILITY COMPANY

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have or will serve a true and correct copy of the foregoing document via hand delivery, facsimile, electronic mail, overnight mail, U.S. mail, or Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested on all parties on the 6th of July 2018.

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I further represent that a copy of the attached NOTICE was provided by

to each customer or other affected party on or about December 27

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AFFIANT (Utility's Authorized Representative)

Forest Glen Utility Co.

NAMF OF UTILITY

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If the Affiant to this form is any person other than the sole owner, partner, officer of the Utility, or its attorney, a properly verified Power of Attorney must be enclosed.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME, this the ______ day of ______ December _____, 20 17 _____, to cornify which witness my hand and seal of office.



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EXHIBIT A

P.U.C. DOCKET NO. 47897 *

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RATE CHANGE PURSUANT TO TEX. WATER CODE § 13.1871

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FOREST GLEN UTILITY COMPANY	21070	FILING CLERK

Company Name

CCN Number(s)

has filed a rate change application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission or PUC) The application may be reviewed online at interchange publications gov. You may also inspect a copy of the rate change application at your utility's office at the address below or at the Commission's office (1701 N. Congress Ave, Austin, TX 78701). The proposed rates will apply to service received after the effective date provided below, unless modified or suspended by the Commission. If the Commission receives a sufficient number of protests, separately or in a combined protest letter, from at least______[number of] nalepayers (10 percent of the utility's distorners over whose rates the Commission has original jurisdiction) or from any affected manicipality before the 91st day after the proposed effective date, the matter will be set for hearing. See Protest Form on the next page for instructions on how to protest.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF PROPOSED INCREASE: 2/1/2018

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EXHIBIT A

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RATEPAYER PROTEST

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Unless protests are received from at least 10% of ratepayers or from any affected municipality, or the Commission Staff requests a hearing, no hearing will be held and the rates will be effective as proposed.

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Please fill out the following:

I wish to PROTEST the following proposed rate action/s:

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Other (please specify below)

Signature of Protestant:

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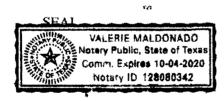
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NOTICE OF PROPOSED RATE CHANGE PURSUANT TO TEX. WATER CODE § 13.1871

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FOREST GLEN UTILITY COMPANY

Company Name

CCN Number(s)

has filed a rate change application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission or PUC). The application may be reviewed online at interchange.puc.texas.gov. You may also inspect a copy of the rate change application at your utility's office at the address below or at the Commission's office (1701 N. Congress Ave, Austin, TX 78701). The proposed rates will apply to service received after the effective date provided below, unless modified or suspended by the Commission. If the Commission receives a sufficient number of protests, separately or in a combined protest letter, from at least 22 [number of] ratepayers (10 percent of the utility's customers over whose rates the Commission has original jurisdiction) or from any affected municipality before the 91st day after the proposed effective date, the matter will be set for hearing. See Protest Form on the next page for instructions on how to protest.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF PROPOSED INCREASE: 7/6/2018

(must be at least 35 days after notice is provided to customers and 35 days after application is filed) (Proposed rates requested by the utility are not final. The Commission may modify the rates and order a refund or credit against future bills all sums collected during the pendency of the rate proceeding in excess of the rate finally ordered plus interest.)

Reason(s) for proposed Rate Change:

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RATEPAYER PROTEST

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Filing Clerk Public Utility Commission of Texas 1701 North Congress Avenue P.O. Box 13326 Austin, Texas 78711-3326

Unless protests are received from at least 10% of ratepayers or from any affected municipality, or the Commission Staff requests a hearing, no hearing will be held and the rates will be effective as proposed.

CUSTOMER INFORMATION (to be completed by customers submitting protests)

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Si desca info	rmacion en Espanol, puede llamar al 1-888-782-8477
Hearing- and speech-impaired individuals	s with text telephones may contact the PUC's Customer Assistance Hotline at 512-936-7136

CURRENT RATES			PROPOSED RATES	·	
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Regulatory Assessment of 1% is added to base rate and gallonage charges. Additional fees and meter sizes may be shown on a separate page.

If applicable, list any bill payment assistance programs to low income Ratepayers.

FGU has maintained rates below the cost of service since 2012.

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