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**APPLICATION OF QUADVEST, L.P.
TO AMEND ITS CERTIFICATE OF
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY IN
FORT BEND COUNTY**

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**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF TEXAS**

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COMMISSION STAFF'S MOTION TO AMEND PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

COMES NOW the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission), representing the public interest, and files this Motion to Amend Procedural Schedule, and would show the following:

I. BACKGROUND

On February 7, 2018, Quadvest L.P. (Quadvest or Applicant) filed an application to amend its water Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 11612 and sewer CCN No. 20952 in Fort Bend County. The total area being requested includes approximately one hundred eight (108) acres and zero (0) current customers.

Previously, on April 18, 2017, in Docket No. 47072, Quadvest filed an application to amend its water CCN No. 11612 and sewer CCN No. 20952 in Montgomery County. Subsequent to the filing of the application in Docket No. 47072, on May 17, 2018, the Commission's Office of Policy and Docket Management (OPD) approved a pass-thru rate change filed by Quadvest in Docket No. 48041 related to the same tariff at issue in Docket No. 47072. Thereafter, on June 14, 2018, OPD approved further pass-thru rate changes as filed by Quadvest in Docket Nos. 48051 and 48052. As a result, the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) granted a motion to abate Docket No. 47072, so the tariff being considered in that proceeding could properly incorporate the changes approved in Docket Nos. 48041, 48051, and 48052. The docket has since been unabated, and on July 24, 2018, the ALJ admitted evidence in that matter, including a revised tariff.

Additionally, on July 25, 2017, in Docket No. 47440, Quadvest filed an application to amend its water CCN No. 11612 and sewer CCN No. 20952 in Montgomery County. The ALJ has granted nine motions for extension in Docket No. 47440 based on the parties' inability to submit joint proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law until the tariff in the aforementioned Docket No. 47072 has been reconciled.

On June 27, 2018, Order No. 5 was issued in this docket, No. 48034, establishing a deadline for Staff to provide final maps, certificates, and tariffs to the Applicant for review and consent by August 8, 2018.

On September 20, 2018, Order No. 7 was issued in this docket, No. 48034, granting Commission Staff's second request to amend the procedural schedule since there was no current base tariff upon which Staff could rely to implement the revisions requested in Applicant's application. Order No. 7 reset the deadline for Staff to provide final maps, certificates, and tariffs to the Applicant for review and consent to October 30, 2018. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

II. AMENDED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Until the tariffs in Quadvest's other two currently pending dockets, Nos. 47072 and 47440, are reconciled, Staff has no current base tariff that can be used to implement the revisions requested in the subject application. Therefore, Staff requests a six-week extension to its deadline to provide final maps, certificates, and tariffs, in order to allow for the potential approval of tariffs in Quadvest's two preceding CCN amendment dockets. The remaining deadlines are also advanced accordingly. Staff's request would result in the following modifications to the procedural schedule:

| Event | Date |
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| Deadline for Staff to provide final maps, certificates, and tariffs (if applicable) to Applicant for review and consent | December 11, 2018 |
| Deadline for Applicant to file signed consent forms with the Commission | January 3, 2019 |
| If no hearing is requested, deadline for Staff to file a final recommendation on the application | January 10, 2019 |
| If no hearing is requested, deadline for parties to file joint proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law | January 24, 2019 |

Staff has contacted Quadvest regarding the amended procedural schedule, and Quadvest agrees with the proposed dates.

Dated: October 29, 2018

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on October 29, 2018, in accordance with 16 TAC § 22.74.



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