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APPLICATION OF MANVEL TERRACE UTILITIES, INC. FOR A PRICE INDEX RATE ADJUSTMENT PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
PUBLIC UTILITY COMPLESSION
ONTEXAS

#### COMMISSION STAFF'S AMENDED RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Staff), representing the public interest, and files this Commission Staff's Amended Recommendation. On June 13, 2018, Manvel Terrace Utilities, Inc. (Applicant) filed an application for a price index rate adjustment under Tex. Water Code § 13.1872 (TWC) and 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 24.36. On July 13, 2018, Staff filed its Recommendation on Administrative Completeness and Recommendation on Final Disposition (Recommendation), recommending that the Commission find the application administratively complete, as supported by the memorandum of Sherrie Keylon of the Commission's Water Utility Regulation Division attached to Staff's Recommendation. Staff further recommended that application be approved and the Applicant be ordered to provide an amended notice to customers by July 31, 2018 using the notice page attached to Ms. Keylon's memorandum. However, the notice page was inadvertently omitted. This pleading includes the previously omitted notice page.

Dated: July 24, 2018

Respectfully Submitted,

### PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS LEGAL DIVISION

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on July 24, 2018, in accordance with 16 Texas Administrative Code § 22.74.

Justine Isabelle Caedo Tan

## NOTICE OF APPROVED UTILITY PRICE RATE ADJUSTMENT

| Utility Name:   | Manvel Terra  | ce Utilities   |                                   |                                |  |
|---|---|----------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| CCN Number(s  | ): Wate   | r <u>12080</u> | Sewer                             |                                | N/A                                      |
| below. This rat<br>based on a perce                   | on the next page will appear was requested by the entage change in the pricallows the utility to recrice index. | utility and ap | proved by the light is set by the | Public Utility<br>Commission a | Commission of Texa unnually. Texas Water |
| The following pu<br>adjustment:<br>Manvel Terrace Uti | blic water system(s), sew   | ver system(s), | and/or subdivisi                  | on(s) will be a                | iffected by this rate                    |
| Effective Da  | te of Approved Increas  |                | August 2                          |                                | receive notice)                          |
|   | nent will apply to all ser<br>approximately 30 to 45 d  |                |                                   | ive date and v                 | vill be reflected on the                 |
| Address:  | 2460 Country Club Dri   | ve             |                                   |                                |  |
| City:   | Pearland  |                |                                   |                                |  |
| State/Zip:  | TX/77581  |                |                                   |                                |  |
| Telephone:  | 281-485-0550  |                |                                   |                                |  |
|   | Percent of Rate   | Adjustment     | 3.50% <sup>1</sup>                |                                |  |
|   | Date Notice De  |                | 7/31/2018                         |                                |  |
|   | Date Meters ar  |                | 31st                              |                                |  |
|   |   | ,              |                                   |                                |  |
|   | Billi   | ng Comp        | parison <sup>*</sup>              |                                |  |
|   | Charges based   | on Gallons (   | G) per Month (n                   | no)                            |  |
|   |   | Water:         |                                   |                                |  |
|   | Previous  |                |                                   | New                            |  |
| 5,000   | G \$47.47   | /mo            | 5,000 G                           | \$49.12                        | /mo                                      |
| 10,000  |   | /mo            | 10,000 G                          | \$68.67                        | /mo                                      |
| 30,000  | ) G \$141.97  | /mo            | 30,000 G                          | \$146.87                       | /mo                                      |
|   |   | Sewer:         |                                   |                                |  |
|   | Previous  |                |                                   | New                            |  |
| 5,000   | G   | /mo            | 5,000 G                           |                                | /mo                                      |
| 10,000  | ) G   | /mo            | 10,000 G                          |                                | mo                                       |

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The Texas Water Code limits the increase to the lesser of either 5% or the change in annual price index. The current annual price index change is published at:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>The billing comparison only includes base rate, block gallonage rate and gallonage rate charges.

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| Utility Name:  | Manvel Terrace Utilities | <u> </u> |       | ···· |   |
|----------------|--------------------------|----------|-------|------|---|
| CCN Number(s): | Water                    | 12080    | Sewer | N/A  |   |
|                |                          |          |       |      | Τ |

### **WATER**

|                                    | BAS | SE RATES                         |                             |
|------------------------------------|-----|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Meter Size (includes 1000 gallons) |     | Previous<br>Monthly<br>Base Rate | New<br>Monthly<br>Base Rate |
| 5/8" or 3/4"                       | \$_ | 32.35                            | \$<br>33.48                 |
| 1"                                 |     |                                  |                             |
| 1 1/2"                             |     |                                  |                             |
| 2"                                 |     |                                  |                             |
| 3"                                 |     |                                  |                             |
| 4"                                 |     |                                  |                             |

| GALL                     | ONAGE CHARGE                         | ES      |                     |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------|---------------------|
| for each addition        | nal 1,000 gallons over the n         | ninimur | מ                   |
| Previous<br>Tariff Rates | Current Change in PUC<br>Price Index |         | New<br>Tariff Rates |
| \$<br>3.78               | 3.50% <sup>1</sup>                   | \$      | 3.91                |

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|----------------|--------------------------|----------|-------|-----|
| CCN Number(s): | Water                    | 12080    | Sewer | N/A |
|                |                          |          |       |     |

### **SEWER**

|                                 | BASE RAT                 | ΓES |                        |     |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|-----|------------------------|-----|
| Meter Size (includes 0 gallons) | Previo<br>Mont<br>Base F | hly | New<br>Montl<br>Base R | hly |
| 5/8" or 3/4"                    | N/A                      |     | N/A                    |     |
| 1"                              |                          | NA  |                        | NA  |
| 1 1/2"                          |                          | NA  |                        | NA  |
| 2"                              |                          | NA  |                        | NA  |
| 3"                              |                          | NA  |                        | NA  |
| 4"                              |                          | NA  |                        | NA  |

| GAL                      | LONAGE CHARGES                       | 1                   |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|
| for each add             | itional 1,000 gallons over the mir   | nimum               |
| Previous<br>Tariff Rates | Current Change in PUC<br>Price Index | New<br>Tariff Rates |
|                          | 3.50%1                               |                     |

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