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CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE \$
AND NECESSITY IN WILSON \$
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# COMMISSION STAFF'S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Staff), representing the public interest, and files this Request for Extension. In support thereof, Staff shows the following:

#### I. BACKGROUND

On February 26, 2019, the City of Floresville (Floresville) filed an application to amend its sewer Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 20279, in Wilson County, Texas. The requested area includes approximately 4,201 acres and 171 connections.

On May 31, 2019, the administrative law judge (ALJ) issued Order No. 3, finding the application administratively complete and requiring notice. The ALJ found Floresville's notice deficient in Order No. 5, issued on September 6, 2019, and again in Order No. 8, issued on December 4, 2019. Order No. 8 directed Floresville to cure the identified deficiencies in the notice on or before January 6, 2020. On January 8, 2020, Floresville requested an extension of time.

On January 10, 2020, the ALJ issued Order No. 9, granting an extension request and requiring Floresville to cure the deficiencies addressed in Staff's recommendation on or before February 10, 2020, and requiring Staff to file its supplemental recommendation on notice sufficiency on or before February 16, 2020. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

## II. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

Pursuant to 16 TAC § 22.4(b), Staff may request that the time allowed for filing any documents be extended for good cause. Floresville filed its supplemental notice late, on February

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Pursuant to 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 22.4, if the deadline is set on a day the Commission is not open for business, the deadline is extended until the end of the next day on which the Commission is open for business. February 16, 2020 falls on a Sunday, and the Commission is closed on February 17, 2020. Therefore, the deadline is extended to February 18, 2020.

14, 2020. Consequently, Staff will need additional time to review the supplemental notice before making its recommendation. As such, Staff requests that the deadline to file its supplemental recommendation on notice sufficiency be extended to February 25, 2020.

## III. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests the issuance of an order granting Staff's request and extending the deadline for Staff to file a supplemental recommendation on notice sufficiency to February 25, 2020.

Dated: February 18, 2020

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 February 18, 2020, in accordance with 16 TAC § 22.74.

Taylor P. Denison