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**APPLICATION OF PARK WATER
COMPANY TO OBTAIN
CERTIFICATES OF CONVENIENCE
AND NECESSITY IN MIDLAND
COUNTY**

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COMMISSION STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION ON SUFFICIENCY OF NOTICE

COMES NOW the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Staff), representing the public interest, and in response to Order No. 4, files this Recommendation on Sufficiency of Notice. In support thereof, Staff shows the following:

I. BACKGROUND

On March 8, 2019, Park Water Company (Park WC) filed an application for water and sewer certificates of convenience and necessity in Midland County. The requested service area consists of 262 acres and currently has no customers.

On June 17, 2019, Order No. 4 was issued, establishing a deadline of 10 days after Applicants' filing of proof of notice for Commission Staff to file a recommendation on notice. On July 8, 2019, proof of notice was filed with the Commission, making July 18, 2019, the deadline for Staff to file a recommendation on the sufficiency of notice. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

II. RECOMMENDATION ON NOTICE

Staff has reviewed the affidavit of notice filed by SWWC on July 8, 2019 and recommends that it be found sufficient. Notice was mailed on June 17, 2019.

III. PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Because Staff recommends the notice be found sufficient, Staff proposes the following procedural schedule.

| Event | Date |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| Notice Completed | June 17, 2019 |
| Deadline for Intervention | July 17, 2019 |

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| Deadline for Staff to provide final maps, certificates, and tariffs (if applicable), to Applicant for review and consent | August 16, 2019 |
| Deadline for Applicant to file signed consent forms with the Commission | August 30, 2019 |
| If no hearing is requested, deadline for Staff to file a final recommendation on the Application | September 9, 2019 |
| If no hearing is requested, deadline for parties to file joint proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law | September 17, 2019 |

IV. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests the entry of an order consistent with the above recommendation.

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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 18, 2019 in accordance with 16 TAC § 22.74.


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