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APPLICATION OF RIVER ACRES WATER SUPPLY CORPORATION TO AMEND ITS WATER CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY IN NUECES COUNTY 2019 SEP 11 PH 2:03 PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION ITY COMMICS OF FILING CLERK

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 and would show the following:

I. BACKGROUND

On August 12, 2019, River Acres Water Supply Corporation (River Acres) filed a petition to amend its water Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 11084 in Nueces County. Specifically, River Acres is requesting a service area comprised of two separate tracts totaling 783 and including one current customer that River Acres is already serving. River Acres has received a request for service for a residential development that will include 81 homes and anticipates future residential development of one tract and future mixed used development of the other tract.

Order No. 1, issued August 14, 2019, established a deadline of September 12, 2019, for Staff to file comments on the administrative completeness of the application and notice and to propose a procedural schedule for further processing of the application. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

II. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

Pursuant to 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 22.4(b), Staff may request that the time allowed for filing any documents be extended for good cause. Staff needs additional time to review the application. Accordingly, Staff requests that its deadline to file a recommendation on the application and address notice requirements be extended to September 19, 2019. Staff attempted to contact the representative for River Acres listed in the application to discuss the requested extension and had not received a reply at the time of this filing.

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III. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests the issuance of an order granting Staff's request and extending the deadline for Staff to file comments on the administrative completeness of the application and notice to September 19, 2019.

Dated: September 11, 2019

Respectfully Submitted,

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DOCKET NO. 49845 CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on September 11, 2019, in accordance with 16 Texas Administrative Code § 22.74.

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