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APPLICATION OF RIVER ACRES WATER SUPPLY CORPORATION TO AMEND ITS WATER CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY IN NUECES COUNTY 2021 JAN -7 AM ID: 04 PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION FILING CLEAR OF TEXAS

COMMISSION STAFF'S AGREED REQUEST FOR EXTENSION AND REVISED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

COMES NOW the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission), with the agreement of River Acres Water Supply Corporation (River Acres), and files this Commission Staff's Agreed Request for Extension and Revised Procedural Schedule. In support thereof, Staff shows the following:

I. BACKGROUND

On August 12, 2019, River Acres filed an application to amend its water Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 11084 in Nueces County.

On November 23, 2020, Order No. 13 in this proceeding was filed, establishing a procedural schedule and requiring Staff to file a final recommendation on the application by January 8. 2021. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

II. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

Under 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 22.4(b), Staff may request that the time allowed for filing any documents be extended for good cause. On January 6, 2021, River Acres filed its 2019 Audited Financial Statement, which is necessary for Staff's final review of the application. In order to allow time for Staff to review the new information, Staff respectfully requests that the deadline to file Staff's final recommendation on the application be extended to February 8, 2021 and that the following revised procedural schedule be adopted:

Event	Deadline
If no hearing is requested, deadline for Commission Staff to file a final recommendation on the application	February 8, 2021
If no hearing is requested, deadline for the parties to file joint proposed findings of fact, conclusions of law, and ordering paragraphs	February 22, 2021

III. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests that the deadline to file a final recommendation on the application be extended until February 8, 2021 and that the above-proposed revised procedural schedule be adopted.

Dated: January 7, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that, unless otherwise ordered by the presiding officer, notice of the filing of this document was provided to all parties of record via electronic mail on January 7, 2021, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

<u>/s/Courtney Dean</u> Courtney N. Dean