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APPLICATION OF HILL COUNTRY UTILITIES, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF CHANGE IN OWNERSHIP UNDER TWC § 13.302

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PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

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 would show the following:

I. BACKGROUND

On October 21, 2019, Hill Country Utilities, LLC (Hill Country) filed an application for approval of the transfer of membership interest under Texas Water Code § 13.202 and 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 24.243. Hill Country provides water service to customers in Bandera County through the Cielo Rio water system under certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) number 13112. Hill Country also holds sewer CCN number 21002.

On October 23, 2019, Order No. 1 was issued, requiring Staff to file a recommendation on the administrative completeness of the application and proposed notice by November 21, 2019. This pleading, therefore, 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. Staff respectfully requests an additional two weeks to review supplemental information filed in the application. As such, Staff requests that the deadline to file comments on the administrative completeness of the application and proposed notice be extended to December 4, 2019.

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III. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests an order consistent with the foregoing request.

Dated: November 20, 2019

Respectfully Submitted,

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS
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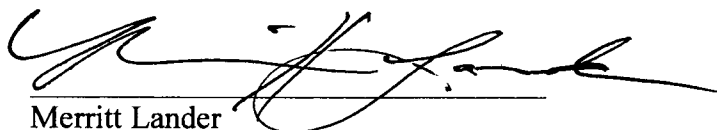


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on November 20, 2019 in accordance with 16 TAC § 22.74.



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