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BEFORE THE
STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

APPLICATION OF TIMBERCREST PARTNERS LLC FOR
AUTHORITY TO CHANGE RATES

SOAH ORDER NO. 6
ADOPTING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE;
SETTING HEARING ON THE MERITS

On September 9, 2022, Commission Staff filed a proposed procedural schedule and request to limit discovery. The request to limit discovery is denied, absent an agreement by the applicant. The procedural schedule is adopted, as modified below to allow for a two-day hearing instead of three.

I. PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

The following procedural schedule is adopted.

Event	Deadlines
Direct Testimony or Statement of Position of Timbercrest	September 27, 2022
Direct Testimony or Statement of Position of Staff	October 14, 2022
Last Day to Propound Discovery on Timbercrest Direct Testimony	October 14, 2022
Last Day to Propound Discovery on Staff Direct Testimony	October 24, 2022

Rebuttal Testimony of Timbercrest	October 24, 2022
Hearing on the Merits	November 9-10, 2022
Initial Briefs	December 2, 2022
Reply Briefs	December 16, 2022

Except for the hearing on the merits, any of the above deadlines may be modified without further order by filing a written agreement of the parties.

Staff agrees to respond to discovery on its direct testimony within 10 business days.

By October 7, 2022, the parties SHALL submit a proposal regarding prehearing filing of exhibits. See PUC Docket No. 53551, SOAH Order No. 4. The proposal must address whether the parties intent to use a court reporter or rely on an audio recording.

II. HEARING ON THE MERITS

The hearing on the merits will convene at **9:00 a.m. on November 9, 2022, via Zoom videoconference**. The hearing is expected to last two days. Attend the hearing in one of these ways:

Join by computer or smart device:

Go to <https://soah-texas.zoomgov.com> and enter the following:

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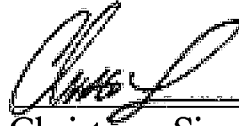
Join by telephone (audio only):

Call +1 669 254 5252 and enter the following:

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SIGNED SEPTEMBER 13, 2022.

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Christiaan Siano,
Presiding Administrative Law Judge