

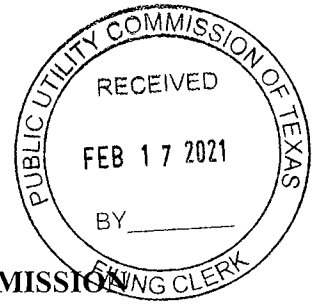


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**DOCKET NO. 50927**

**PETITION OF THE CITY OF  
MESQUITE AND TALTY SPECIAL  
UTILITY DISTRICT FOR APPROVAL  
OF A SERVICE AREA CONTRACT  
UNDER TEXAS WATER CODE  
§ 13.248 AND TO AMEND  
CERTIFICATES OF CONVENIENCE  
AND NECESSITY IN KAUFMAN  
COUNTY**

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**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF TEXAS**

**ORDER NO. 5  
FINDING APPLICATION AND NOTICE SUFFICIENT, AND ESTABLISHING  
PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

This Order addresses the administrative completeness of the petition and sufficiency of the notice provided by the City of Mesquite and Talty Special Utility District. The petitioners seek approval of a service area contract, under Texas Water Code § 13.248, and to amend Talty's certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) number 10850 in Kaufman County. On February 12, 2021, Commission Staff filed a supplemental recommendation regarding the administrative completeness of the application and sufficiency of the notice.

Commission Staff recommended that that application be found administratively complete. Further, Commission Staff stated the petitioners met the notice requirements of 16 Texas Administrative Code § 24.253(c)(2) and (3).

The administrative law judge (ALJ) finds the petition administratively complete and notice sufficient. The ALJ establishes the following procedural schedule for further processing of the application:

<b>Event</b>	<b>Date</b>
Deadline to move to intervene	March 3, 2021
Deadline to request a hearing	March 10, 2021
Deadline for Commission Staff to provide final maps, certificates, and tariffs (if applicable), to petitioners for review and consent	March 26, 2021
Deadline for petitioners to file signed consent forms with the Commission	April 9, 2021

If no hearing is requested, deadline for Commission Staff to file a final recommendation on the petition	April 23, 2021
If no hearing is requested, deadline for parties to file joint proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law	May 7, 2021

**Signed at Austin, Texas the 17th day of February 2021.**

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS**

  
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**HUNTER BURKHALTER**  
**CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE**