



Control Number: 51089



Item Number: 36

Addendum StartPage: 0

RECEIVED

DOCKET NO. 51089

2020 DEC 14 AM 11: 33

APPLICATION OF DONALD E. §  
WILSON DBA QUIET VILLAGE II §  
DBA QV UTILITY AND CSWR- §  
TEXAS UTILITY OPERATING §  
COMPANY, LLC FOR SALE, §  
TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF §  
FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE §  
RIGHTS IN HIDALGO COUNTY §

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF TEXAS  
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
FILING CLERK

**COMMISSION STAFF’S RECOMMENDATION ON SUFFICIENCY OF NOTICE**

COMES NOW the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission), representing the public interest, and in response to Order No. 7, files this Recommendation on Sufficiency of Notice. Staff recommends that notice be deemed sufficient. In support thereof, Staff shows the following:

**I. BACKGROUND**

On July 20, 2020, CSWR-Texas Utility Operating Company, LLC (CSWR-Texas) and Donald E. Wilson dba Quiet Village II dba QV Utility (QV Utility) (collectively, Applicants) filed an application for approval of the sale, transfer, or merger of facilities and certificate rights in Hidalgo County. Applicants filed supplemental information on July 27, 2020 and November 3 and 4, 2020.

On November 10, 2020, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 7, finding the application sufficient and establishing a deadline of December 14, 2020, for Staff to file a recommendation on the sufficiency of notice. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

**II. NOTICE SUFFICIENCY**

On December 4, 2020, CSWR-Texas filed its proof of notice, which contained an affidavit from Josiah Cox, the President of CSWR-Texas, attesting that on December 3, 2020 notice was provided to all current customers, neighboring utilities, and affected parties. Included with the filing was a copy of the notice and maps provided along with a list of notice recipients. Staff has reviewed the proof of notice and recommends that it be found sufficient.

### III. PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

In accordance with Staff's sufficiency recommendation, Staff proposes the following procedural schedule:

Event	Date
Notice completed	December 3, 2020
Deadline to intervene	January 4, 2021 <sup>1</sup>
Deadline for Staff to request a hearing or file a recommendation on approval of the sale and on the CCN amendment	February 3, 2021
Deadline for parties to file a response to Staff's recommendation on approval of the sale	February 17, 2021
Deadline for parties to file a joint motion to admit evidence and proposed order approving sale and allowing transaction to proceed.	March 3, 2021
120-day deadline for the Commission to approve the sale or require a hearing	April 2, 2021 <sup>2</sup>

### IV. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests the entry of an order finding the Applicants' notice sufficient and adopting the proposed procedural schedule.

---

<sup>1</sup> Under 16 TAC § 24.239(b), the intervention period shall not be less than 30 days unless good cause is shown. Notice was mailed on December 3, 2020. Therefore, the intervention deadline is January 2, 2021. Because the Commission is not open for business on January 2, 2021, the deadline moves to January 4, 2021 under 16 TAC § 22.4(a).

<sup>2</sup> Under 16 TAC § 24.239(a) and (i), the deadline for Commission action is 120 days after the mailing or publication of notice, whichever occurs later. One hundred and twenty days after December 3, 2020 is April 2, 2021.

Dated: December 14, 2020

Respectfully submitted,

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS  
LEGAL DIVISION**

Rachelle Nicolette Robles  
Division Director

Eleanor D'Ambrosio  
Managing Attorney

/s/ John Harrison  
John Harrison  
State Bar No. 24097806  
1701 N. Congress Avenue  
P.O. Box 13326  
Austin, Texas 78711-3326  
(512) 936-7277  
(512) 936-7268 (facsimile)  
John.Harrison@puc.texas.gov

**DOCKET NO. 51089**

**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 December 14, 2020, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, filed in Project No. 50664.

/s/ John Harrison  
John Harrison