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UNOPPOSED REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

COMES NOW, Blessing Mobile Home Park (“Blessing”) and files this its Unopposed Request for Extension from Parties and, in support thereof, would show the following:

I. BACKGROUND

On October 16, 2020, Blessing filed an application to implement a pass-through rate increase (“Application”), pursuant to 16 Texas Administrative Code (“TAC”) § 24.25(b)(2)(C)-(F), seeking an increase to its water pass-through rate from \$2.88 to \$3.45 per 1,000 gallons and increasing its wastewater pass-through rate from \$4.15 to \$4.45 per 1,000 gallons.¹ The Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (“Staff”) filed its Recommendation on the Application and Notice on November 16, 2020, recommending the pass-through rates requested pursuant to the Application be approved and Blessing’s notice be deemed sufficient.²

On December 14, 2020, Blessing and Staff filed the Joint Proposed Notice of Approval and Motion to Admit Evidence in Support Thereof.³ The Administrative Law Judge (“ALJ”) issued an order on December 30, 2020, “requiring clarification from parties” be filed by January 11, 2021.⁴ On January 11, 2020, Blessing filed an Unopposed Response to Order Requiring Clarification from Parties.⁵ On January 20, 2021, the ALJ filed an order addressing the “need for further clarification from” Blessing regarding “evidence of the nature of the legal relationship between R&R and Lewis Stonegate” by January 27, 2021 (Order No. 6).⁶ This request for extension is timely filed.

¹ Pass-Through Application (Oct. 16, 2020).

² Commission Staff’s Recommendation on the Application and Notice at 2 (Nov. 16, 2020).

³ Joint Proposed Notice of Approval and Motion to Admit Evidence in Support Thereof (Dec. 14, 2020).

⁴ Order Requiring Clarification from Parties (Dec. 30, 2020).

⁵ Unopposed Response to Order Requiring Clarification from Parties (Jan. 11, 2021).

⁶ Order Requiring Clarification from Applicant (Jan. 20, 2021).

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II. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

Pursuant to 16 Texas Administrative Code Section 22.4(b), Blessing may request that the time allowed for filing any documents be extended for good cause.⁷ Counsel for Blessing requests an extension to respond to the ALJ's Order No. 6 because counsel is also preparing for a contested case hearing that is scheduled to begin January 28, 2021. Counsel requires additional time to prepare for the January 28, 2021 contested case hearing and fully respond to Order No. 6. For these reasons, Blessing requests an extension of two weeks, or February 11, 2021, to file the requested information.

III. UNOPPOSED REQUEST

Blessing has conferred with Staff on the contents of this request for extension and Staff is unopposed.

IV. CONCLUSION

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Blessing Mobile Home Park respectfully requests that an order be issued granting Blessing an extension of two weeks, or until February 11, 2021, to respond to Order No. 6.

Respectfully submitted,

By:  _____

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⁷ 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 22.4(b).

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have served or will serve a true and correct copy of the foregoing document via hand delivery, facsimile, electronic mail, overnight mail, U.S. mail and/or Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested to all parties on this the 26th day of January 2021.



John Carlton