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APPLICATION OF FRANKLIN	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
WATER SERVICE CO. LLC AND	§	
CSWR-TEXAS UTILITY OPERATING	§	OF TEXAS
COMPANY, LLC FOR SALE,	§	
TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF	§	
FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE	§	
RIGHTS IN LUBBOCK COUNTY	§	

ORDER NO. 9
ADMITTING EVIDENCE AND REQUIRING CLARIFICATION

This Order addresses the August 20, 2021 joint motion to admit evidence filed by Franklin Water Service Co. LLC, CSWR-Texas Utility Operating Company, LLC and the need for clarification.

I. Evidence

The administrative law judge grants the joint motion and admits the following evidence into the record of this proceeding:

1. The applicants' application, including confidential attachments, filed on November 20, 2020;
2. CSWR-Texas's response to Commission Staff's first request for information (RFI), and all confidential attachments, filed on January 4, 2021;
3. CSWR-Texas's first supplement to the application filed on April 1, 2021;
4. CSWR-Texas's amended confidential attachment G filed on May 18 and 19, 2021;
5. CSWR-Texas's updated response to Commission Staff's first RFI filed on May 18 and 19, 2021;
6. CSWR-Texas's affidavit of notice to current customers, neighboring utilities, and affected parties, including confidential exhibit B, filed on May 20 and 21, 2021;
7. CSWR-Texas's amendment to the application filed on June 11, 2021;
8. CSWR-Texas's amended confidential attachment G filed on June 23 and 24, 2021;
9. Commission Staff's recommendation on sufficiency of notice filed on June 25, 2021; and

10. Commission Staff's recommendation on the transaction, including confidential attachments, filed on July 22, 2021.

II. Requiring Clarification

On June 11, 2021, CSWR-Texas filed an amended application page stating the total number of existing water connections as 108. In the July 22, 2021 memo of Patricia Garcia, Commission Staff states that there are 219 existing water customers. Additionally, in the August 20, 2021 proposed order approving the sale and transfer to proceed, the parties state that there are 219 current customers.

By September 7, 2021, the parties must clarify the correct number of existing water customers.

Signed at Austin, Texas the 1st day of September 2021.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS



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ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE**