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APPLICATION OF MONARCH	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
UTILITIES I L.P. TO AMEND ITS	§	
SEWER CERTIFICATE OF	§	OF TEXAS
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY IN	§	
CHAMBERS COUNTY	§	

COMMISSION STAFF’S RECOMMENDATION ON FINAL DISPOSITION

On December 3, 2020, Monarch Utilities I L.P. (Monarch) filed an application to amend its sewer certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) 20899 in Chambers County, Texas. Monarch's application indicates that there are no customers in the areas proposed for decertification. Monarch filed supplemental information on February 17, 2021, April 29, 2021, June 14, 2021, September 24, 2021, and November 19, 2021.

On June 21, 2022, the administrative law judge filed Order No. 18, establishing a deadline of July 15, 2022 for the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Staff) to file a final recommendation on the application. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

I. FINAL RECOMMENDATION ON THE APPLICATION

Staff has reviewed Monarch’s application, and as detailed in the attached, amended, memorandum of Jolie Mathis, of the Commission’s Infrastructure Division, Staff recommends that the application be approved. Staff’s review indicates that Monarch meets the applicable technical, managerial, and financial requirements of Chapter 13 of the Texas Water Code and Title 16, Chapter 24 of the Texas Administrative Code, and therefore, is capable of providing continuous and adequate service. Additionally, Staff’s review suggests that approval of the application is necessary for the service, accommodation, convenience, and safety of the public.

The corresponding map, certificate, and tariff consented to by Monarch are included with this pleading.

II. CONCLUSION

For the reasons stated above, Staff respectfully recommends that the Commission approve Monarch’s application.

Date: July 15, 2022

Respectfully Submitted,

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS
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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 July 15, 2022, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

/s/ Kourtnee Jinks

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