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<b>PETITION OF THE CITY OF</b>	<b>§</b>	<b>PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION</b>
<b>GEORGETOWN AND JARRELL-</b>	<b>§</b>	
<b>SCHWERTNER WATER SUPPLY</b>	<b>§</b>	<b>OF TEXAS</b>
<b>CORPORATION FOR APPROVAL OF A</b>	<b>§</b>	
<b>SERVICE AREA CONTRACT UNDER</b>	<b>§</b>	
<b>TEXAS WATER CODE § 13.248 AND TO</b>	<b>§</b>	
<b>AMEND A CERTIFICATE OF</b>	<b>§</b>	
<b>CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY IN</b>	<b>§</b>	
<b>WILLIAMSON COUNTY</b>	<b>§</b>	

**COMMISSION STAFF'S FIFTH SUPPLEMENTAL SUFFICIENCY  
RECOMMENDATION**

On February 11, 2021, the City of Georgetown (Georgetown) and Jarrell-Schwertner Water Supply Corporation (JSWSC) (collectively, the Petitioners) filed a petition for approval of a service area contract under Texas Water Code (TWC) § 13.248 and to amend the Georgetown's water certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) number 12369 and JSWSC's water CCN number 10002 in Williamson County, Texas. The Petitioners' TWC § 13.248 service area contract is being reviewed in accordance with 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 24.253.

On September 20, 2021, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 6 requiring Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to file comments on the administrative completeness of the application and proposed notice and propose a procedural schedule by November 19, 2021. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

**I. ADMINISTRATIVE SUFFICIENCY RECOMMENDATION**

Commission Staff recommends that the Petitioners application be found administratively complete, as supplemented. Commission Staff has attached the memoranda of Pai Liu, with the Commission's Infrastructure Division, further detailing Staff's recommendation. In the last staff memo dated July 19, 2021, Staff inadvertently made a typographical error on the total acreage for the requested area of 4,244 acres, that should have been 4,224 acres. Accordingly, Staff recommend that the application be found sufficient for further review.

**II. NOTICE SUFFICIENCY RECOMMENDATION**

Commission Staff continues to recommend that the Petitioners' notice and supplemental information be found sufficient.

### **III. PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

Commission Staff proposes the following procedural schedule in accordance with its recommendation:

<b>Event</b>	<b>Date</b>
Deadline for Commission Staff to provide final maps, certificates, and tariffs (if applicable) to Applicants for review and consent	January 7, 2022
Deadlines for Applicants to file consent forms with the Commission	January 21, 2022
If no hearing is requested, deadline for Staff to file a final recommendation on the application	February 4, 2022
If no hearing is requested, deadline for parties to file a joint proposed finding of fact and conclusions of law	February 18, 2022

### **IV. CONCLUSION**

Staff respectfully requests an order consistent with the recommendations discussed above.

Dated: November 19, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

#### **PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS LEGAL DIVISION**

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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 November 19, 2021, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

/s/ Kourtnee Jinks

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# *Public Utility Commission of Texas*

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## **Memorandum**

**TO:** Kourtnee Jinks, Attorney  
Legal Division

**FROM:** Pai Liu, Policy Advisor  
Infrastructure Division

**DATE:** November 16, 2021

**RE:** Docket No. 51811 – *Petition of the City of Georgetown and Jarrell-Schwertner Water Supply Corporation for Approval of Service Area Contract Under Texas Water Code § 13.248 and to Amend Certificates of Convenience and Necessity in Williamson County*

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The Petitioners filed an agreement requesting that JSWSC be permitted to continue to provide retail water utility service to 14 property owners that are located within Georgetown's water CCN No. 12369.

Specifically, Georgetown and JSWSC entered into a contractual agreement which permits JSWSC to provide water services within the agreed upon water service area. The Petitioners will not transfer assets or facilities under the terms of the agreement.

On October 18, 2021 the Petitioners submitted additional documentation to satisfy the notice requirements under 16 TAC § 24.253(c). In the last staff memo dated July 19, 2021, Staff inadvertently made a typographical error on the total acreage for the requested area of 4,244 acres, that should have been 4,224 acres. The requested area provided in the supplemental maps and digital mapping data filed on June 3, 2021 included approximately 4,224 acres. The requested area includes 14 customer connections and approximately 4,224 acres of transferred area from Georgetown's CCN No. 12369 to JSWSC's CCN No. 10002.

The result of the petition will be the subtraction of approximately 4,224 acres from CCN No. 12369 and the addition of approximately 4,224 acres to CCN No. 10002.

Based on the mapping review by Tracy Montes, Infrastructure Division, and my technical and managerial review of the additional information filed by the Petitioners on October 18, 2021, I recommend that the petition be deemed administratively complete.