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

COMMISSION STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION ON FINAL DISPOSITION

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. FINAL RECOMMENDATION

After review, and as supported by the attached memorandum of Pai Liu of the Infrastructure Division, Staff recommends approval of the application. Staff's review indicates that the Applicants meet the requirements of Chapter 13 of the Texas Water Code and Title 16, Chapter 24 of the Texas Administrative Code. The Applicants will not transfer assets or facilities under the terms of the agreement, and customers in the area subject to the transfer will continue to receive service from JSWSC.

Staff further recommends that the Applicants file certified copies of the attached certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) map, along with a written description of the CCN service areas in the Williamson County Clerk's Office, as required by TWC § 13.257(r) and (s). Staff has attached copies of the final map and certificates consented to by the Applicants to this final recommendation.

On or before February 18, 2022, the parties will file joint proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law in accordance with Order No. 7.

II. CONCLUSION

For the reasons detailed above, Staff respectfully recommends that the application be approved.

Dated: February 4, 2022

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 February 4, 2022, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

/s/ Kourtnee Jinks
Kourtnee Jinks

Public Utility Commission of Texas

Memorandum

TO: Kourtnee Jinks, Attorney

Legal Division

FROM: Pai Liu, Infrastructure Analyst

Infrastructure Division

DATE: February 2, 2022

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.

The requested area includes approximately 4,224 acres of transferred area from City of Georgetown (CCN No. 12369) to Jarrell-Schwertner WSC (CCN No. 10002).

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

The customers are currently provided service by Jarrell-Schwertner WSC and will continue to receive service from Jarrell-Schwertner WSC. No assets or facilities are being transferred under the terms of the agreement.

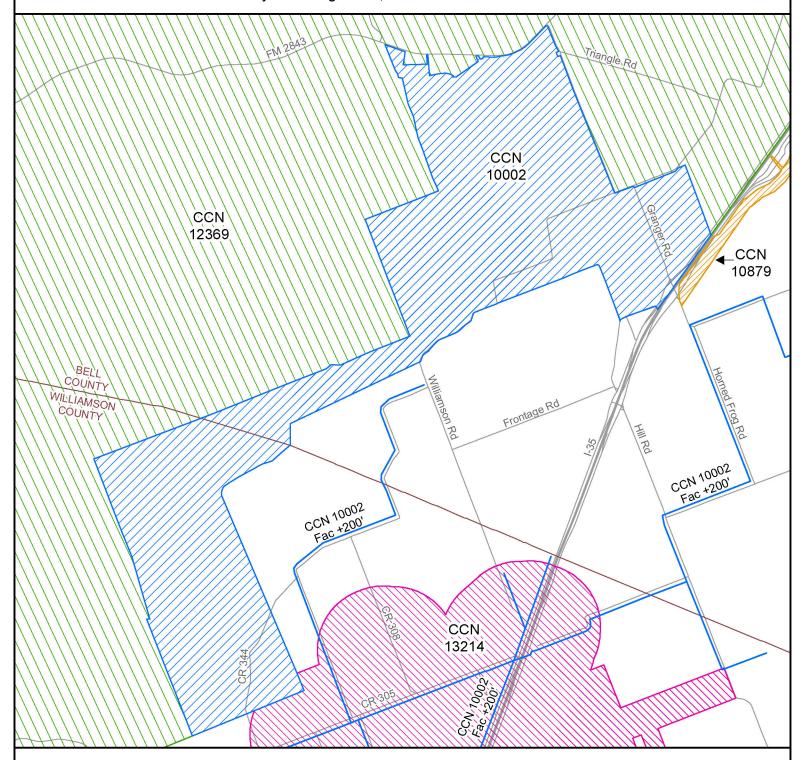
The Petitioners submitted documentation to satisfy the notice requirements under 16 TAC § 24.253(c).

The petition meets all applicable statutory requirements of TWC Chapter 13 and 16 TAC Chapter 24 rules and regulations. Therefore, I recommend approval of the petition.

The Petitioners consented to the attached map and certificates on January 13, 2022 and January 14, 2022.

Jarrell-Schwertner Water Supply Corporation Portion of Water CCN No. 10002 PUC Docket No. 51811 13.248 Agreement Amended CCN No. 10002 and

Decertified a Portion of City of Georgetown, CCN No. 12369 in Bell and Williamson Counties





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Water CCN

10002 - Jarrell-Schwertner WSC

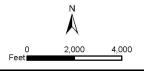
12369 - City of Georgetown

10879 - Salado WSC

13214 - City of Jarrell

Water CCN Facilities +200'

10002 - Jarrell-Schwertner WSC



Map by: Komal Patel Date: December 14, 2021 Project: 51811JarrellSchwertner.mxd



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By These Presents Be It Known To All That City of Georgetown

having obtained certification to provide water utility service for the convenience and necessity of the public, and it having been determined by this Commission that the public convenience and necessity would in fact be advanced by the provision of such service, City of Georgetown is entitled to this

Certificate of Convenience and Necessity No. 12369

to provide continuous and adequate water utility service to that service area or those service areas in Bell, Burnet, and Williamson Counties as by final Order or Orders duly entered by this Commission, which Order or Orders resulting from Docket No. 51811 are on file at the Commission offices in Austin, Texas; and are matters of official record available for public inspection; and be it known further that these presents do evidence the authority and the duty of City of Georgetown to provide such utility service in accordance with the laws of this State and Rules of this Commission, subject only to any power and responsibility of this Commission to revoke or amend this Certificate in whole or in part upon a subsequent showing that the public convenience and necessity would be better served thereby.



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Jarrell-Schwertner Water Supply Corporation

having obtained certification to provide water utility service for the convenience and necessity of the public, and it having been determined by this Commission that the public convenience and necessity would in fact be advanced by the provision of such service, Jarrell-Schwertner Water Supply Corporation is entitled to this

Certificate of Convenience and Necessity No. 10002

to provide continuous and adequate water utility service to that service area or those service areas in Bell and Williamson Counties as by final Order or Orders duly entered by this Commission, which Order or Orders resulting from Docket No. 51811 are on file at the Commission offices in Austin, Texas; and are matters of official record available for public inspection; and be it known further that these presents do evidence the authority and the duty of the Jarrell-Schwertner Water Supply Corporation to provide such utility service in accordance with the laws of this State and Rules of this Commission, subject only to any power and responsibility of this Commission to revoke or amend this Certificate in whole or in part upon a subsequent showing that the public convenience and necessity would be better served thereby.