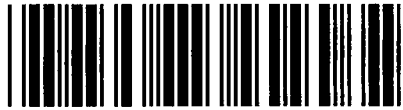




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PETITION OF AQUA TEXAS, INC. §
AND PARKER COUNTY SPECIAL §
UTILITY DISTRICT FOR APPROVAL §
OF SERVICE AREA CONTRACT §
UNDER TEXAS WATER CODE § 13.248 §
AND TO AMEND CERTIFICATES OF §
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY IN §
PARKER COUNTY – SADDLE CLUB §
ESTATES §

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY
COMMISSION OF TEXAS

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AQUA'S RESPONSE TO ORDER NO. 2

TO THE HONORABLE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE:

COMES NOW, Aqua Texas, Inc. (Aqua) and files this Response to Order No. 2. In support thereof, Aqua would show the following.

On March 30, 2021, Aqua and Parker County Special Utility District filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) a petition for approval of a service-area contract under Texas Water Code § 13.248 and to amend their water certificates of convenience and necessity in Parker County related to Aqua's Saddle Club Estates Public Water System (Application). On May 3, 2021, Order No. 2 was issued which ordered Aqua to submit supplemental application information by May 29, 2021. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

Order No. 2 instructed Aqua to "supplement the application to cure the deficiencies described [in] Pai Liu's April 29, 201 memorandum" and to "not issue notice until the application is deemed administratively complete."¹ However, Pai Liu's memorandum only includes instructions for remedying the deficiencies in the Application by providing customers with a copy of the notice. Attached as **Exhibit A** is the notice Aqua will send to customers based on the proposed notice included in Pai Liu's memorandum. Aqua respectfully requests that it be ordered

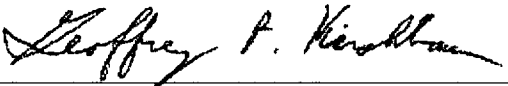
¹ Order No. 2 Finding Application Insufficient, Establishing Deadlines and Opportunity to Cure (May 3, 2021, Item No. 4).

to send the notice attached as **Exhibit A** to its affected customers in the requested area despite the instruction provided in Order No. 2 tied to administrative completeness.

PRAYER

Aqua Texas, Inc. respectfully requests the Commission approve the notice attached as **Exhibit A** and allow Aqua Texas, Inc. to send the notice to its customers affected by the Application before the Application is declared administratively complete. Alternatively, Aqua Texas, Inc. requests the Commission approve the notice and deem the Application administratively complete so that Aqua may provide notice.

Respectfully submitted,

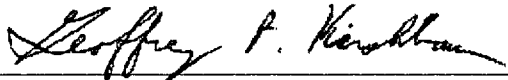
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AND AQUA TEXAS, INC.**

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 May 25, 2021, in accordance with the Orders Suspending Rules issued in Project No. 50664.


Geoffrey P. Kirshbaum

Notice to Customers

**NOTICE OF PETITION OF AQUA TEXAS, INC. AND
PARKER COUNTY SPECIAL UTILITY DISTRICT FOR APPROVAL OF A
SERVICE AGREEMENT AND TO PROVIDE WATER UTILITY SERVICE IN
PARKER COUNTY, TEXAS.**

To: All Affected Customers at their Current Billing Address Date Notice Mailed: May __, 2021

Aqua Texas, Inc. (Aqua) and Parker County Special Utility District (PCSUD) have filed a petition with the Public Utility Commission of Texas for approval of a service agreement pursuant to TWC §13.248 and to amend Aqua's Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 13201 and PCSUD's CCN No. 12313 for the provision of retail water in Parker County, Texas.

The requested area includes 11 current customers, is located approximately 5 mile(s) west of downtown Weatherford, Texas, and is generally bounded on the north by Chappel Hill Court and the terminus of Brook Hollow Lane; on the east by Patrick Creek; on the south by Greenwood Road; and on the west by Green Gables Lane.

The requested area includes approximately 47 acres, comprised of 47 acres of transferred area (from CCN No. 12313).

The result of the petition will be the addition of approximately 47 acres to CCN No. 13201.

The result of the petition will be the subtraction of approximately 47 acres from CCN No. 12313.

The current water rates for Aqua Texas, Inc. are:

Monthly Minimum Charges by Meter Size (Includes 0 gallons)

Meter Size	Year 1 (Partial) 5/1/2013 through 12/31/2013	Year 2 Beginning 1/1/2014	Year 3 Beginning 1/1/2015 Until Changed
5/8" x 3/4"	\$45.06	\$45.06	\$45.06
1"	\$112.65	\$112.65	\$112.65
1½ "	\$225.30	\$225.30	\$225.30
2"	\$360.48	\$360.48	\$360.48
3"	\$720.96	\$720.96	\$720.96
4"	\$1,126.50	\$1,126.50	\$1,126.50
6"	\$2,253.00	\$2,253.00	\$2,253.00
8"	\$3,604.80	\$3,604.80	\$3,604.80
10"	\$5,181.90	\$5,181.90	\$5,181.90
12"	\$9,687.90	\$9,687.90	\$9,687.90

Gallorage Charge: Per 1,000 gallons used

	Year 1 (Partial) 5/1/2013 through 12/31/2013	Year 2 Beginning 1/1/2014	Year 3 Beginning 1/1/2015 Until Changed
1 to 5,000 gallons	\$2.40	\$2.65	\$2.85
5,001 to 10,000 gallons	\$4.70	\$4.82	\$4.95
10,001 to 20,000 gallons	\$7.13	\$7.13	\$7.13
20,001 and over	\$7.60	\$7.60	\$7.60

Regional Pass-Through Gallorage Charge:.....\$0.4224 per 1,000 gallons
(effective March 1, 2021)

Federal Tax Change Credit Rider:.....(7.23%) of the monthly retail bill
(Effective May 1, 2018)

Federal Tax Change Credit Rider:.....(5.20%) of the monthly retail bill
(Effective January 1, 2019)

Monthly Minimum Charge for any meter size larger than 12" will be calculated using American Water Works Association (AWWA) approved meter equivalency factors.

The minimum monthly charges and gallorage charge have been effect since January 1, 2013.

See enclosed map of the requested area.

You may request a public hearing. A request for a public hearing must be in writing and include:

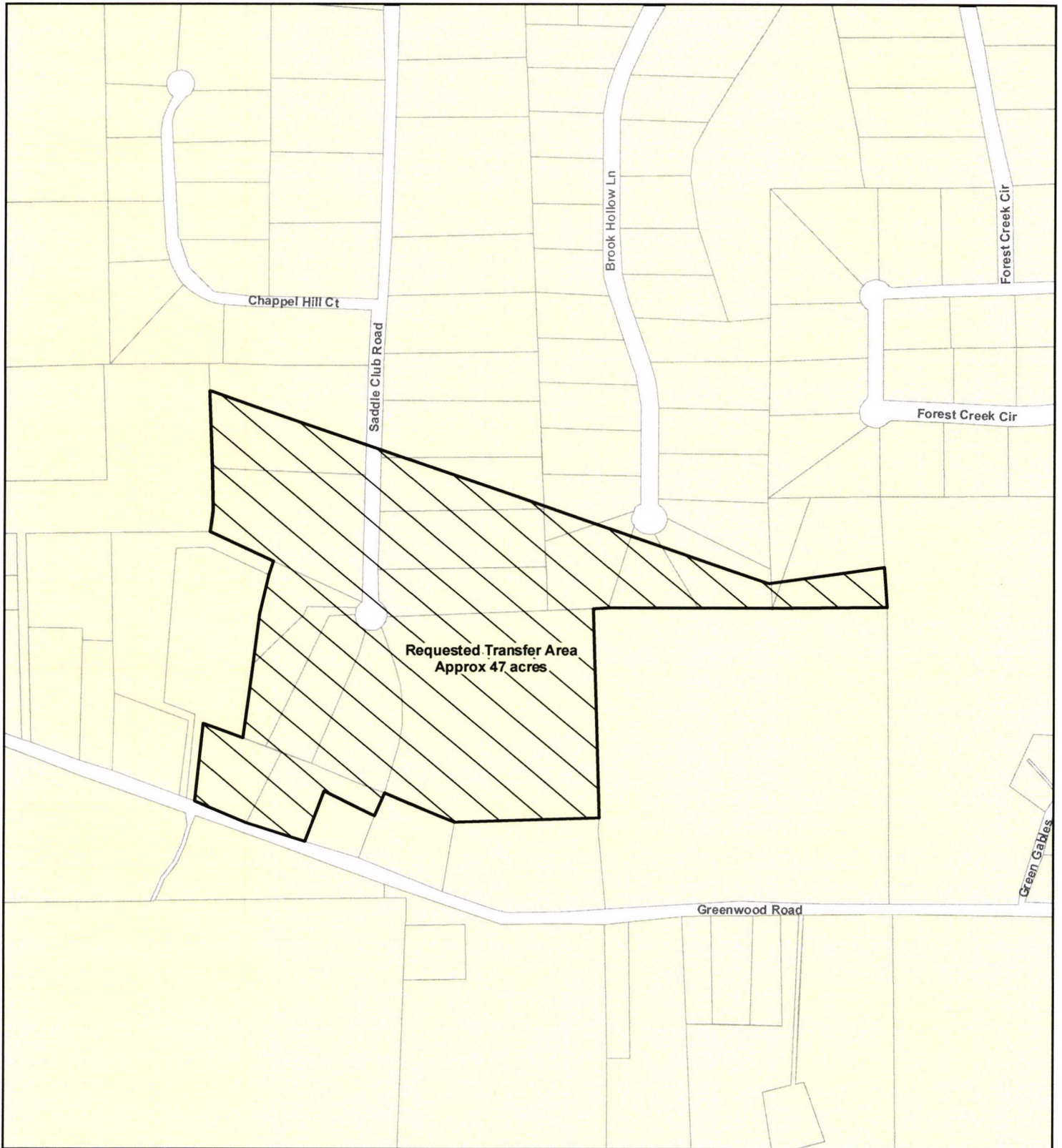
- (1) your name, mailing address, and daytime telephone number;
- (2) the Utility name, docket number or another recognizable reference to this application;
- (3) the statement, "I/we request a public hearing";
- (4) a brief description of how you or the persons you represent would be adversely affected by the granting of the application for a CCN; and
- (5) your proposed adjustment to the application which would satisfy your concerns and cause you to withdraw your request for a hearing.

Persons who wish to intervene in the proceeding or comment upon action sought should contact the Public Utility Commission, P.O. Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711-3326, or call the Public Utility Commission at (512) 936-7120 or (888) 782-8477. Hearing- and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (TTY) may contact the commission at (512) 936-7136. The deadline for intervention in the proceeding is (30 days from the mailing or publication of notice, whichever occurs later, unless otherwise provided by the presiding officer). You must send a letter requesting intervention to the commission which is received by that date. The letter must include the person's name, address, email address and fax number if applicable.

A public hearing will be held only if a legally sufficient hearing request is received or if the Commission on its own motion requests a hearing. Only those individuals who submit a written request will receive notice if a hearing is scheduled.

Si desea información en español, puede llamar al 1-888-782-8477.

Updated: March 17, 2021



Detail Map

13.248 Agreement
to Transfer a Portion of Parker County SUD, CCN No. 12313 to Aqua Texas, Inc. CCN No. 13201
in Parker County



Requested Transfer Area - approx 47 acres

Map by: S. Burt, ASBGI
Date: March 5, 2021
Base: Parker County Land Parcels
Project: Saddle Club Transfer Detail Map

