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APPLICATION OF UTILITIES	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
INVESTMENT COMPANY, INC. AND	§	
UIC 13 LLC AND MONARCH	§	OF TEXAS
UTILITIES I L.P. FOR SALE,	§	
TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF	§	
FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE	§	
RIGHTS IN HARRIS, LIBERTY, AND	§	
CHAMBERS COUNTIES	§	

ORDER NO. 5 FINDING NOTICE SUFFICIENT AND ESTABLISHING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

This Order addresses the sufficiency of the notice provided by Utilities Investment Company, Inc. and UIC 13 LLC and Monarch Utilities I L.P. regarding the application for sale, transfer, or merger of facilities and certificate rights in Harris, Liberty, and Chambers counties. On August 2, 2021, the applicants filed the affidavit of Brian Bahr, director, rates and regulatory of Monarch Utilities, attesting that individual notice was mailed to all required parties on July 26, 2021.

On August 26, 2021, Commission Staff filed a recommendation regarding applicants' notice and proposed a procedural schedule for continued processing.

The administrative law judge finds applicants' notice sufficient and adopts the following procedural schedule for continued processing of this docket:

The following procedural schedule applies:

Notice completed	July 26, 2021
Deadline to intervene	August 25, 2021 ¹
Deadline for Commission Staff to request a hearing or file a	September 30, 2021
recommendation on approval of the sale and on the CCN	
amendment	
Deadline for applicants to file a response to Commission	October 21, 2021
Staff's recommendation on approval of the sale	
Deadline for parties to file a joint motion to admit evidence	November 12, 2021
and proposed order approving sale and allowing transaction to	
proceed	

 $^{^1}$ Under 16 TAC § 24.239(b), the intervention period shall not be less than 30 days unless good cause is shown. Notice was mailed to the last party on July 26, 2021. Therefore, 30 days after July 26, 2021 is August 25, 2021.

120-day deadline for the Commission to approve the sale or require a hearing

Signed at Austin, Texas the 31st day of August 20212021.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

GREGORY R. SIEMANKOWSKI ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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 $^{^2}$ Under 16 TAC § 24.239 (a) and (j), the deadline for Commission action is 120 days after the mailing or publication of notice, whichever occurs later. One hundred and twenty days after July 26, 2021 is November 23, 2021.