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<b>APPLICATION OF PATTERSON</b>	<b>§</b>	<b>PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION</b>
<b>WATER SUPPLY LLC AND MYRA</b>	<b>§</b>	
<b>WATER SYSTEM FOR SALE,</b>	<b>§</b>	<b>OF TEXAS</b>
<b>TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF</b>	<b>§</b>	
<b>FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE</b>	<b>§</b>	
<b>RIGHTS IN COOKE COUNTY</b>	<b>§</b>	

**COMMISSION STAFF’S SUPPLEMENTAL RECOMMENDATION ON SUFFICIENCY  
OF CLOSING DOCUMENTS**

On August 13, 2021, Patterson Water Supply LLC (Patterson) and Myra Water System (Myra) (collectively, Applicants) filed an application for approval of the sale, transfer, or merger of facilities and certificate rights in Cooke County. Specifically, Patterson seeks approval to acquire facilities and to transfer water service area held under water Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 12514 to Patterson under water CCN No. 13248. The requested area includes approximately 982 acres and 116 current customers.

On September 26, 2022, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 16, requiring the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to file a supplemental recommendation on sufficiency of closing documents by October 28, 2022. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

**I. SUFFICIENCY OF CLOSING DOCUMENTS**

Staff has reviewed the closing documents filed by the Applicants on July 1, 2022, August 12, 2022, August 18, 2022, and October 13, 2022, and recommends that they be found sufficient. Based on its review, Staff has determined that the Applicants’ filing meets the requirements of 16 TAC § 24.239(a) and (k)-(m). Therefore, Staff recommends that the closing documents be found sufficient.

## II. PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

In accordance with Staff's recommendation that Applicants' closing documents be found sufficient, Staff proposes the following procedural schedule for continued processing of the docket:

Event	Date
Deadline for Staff to provide final maps, certificates, and tariffs (if applicable) to Applicants for review and consent.	November 28, 2022
Deadline for Applicants to file signed consent forms with the Commission.	December 9, 2022
Deadline for parties to jointly file a proposed notice of Approval, including proposed findings of fact, conclusions of law, and ordering paragraphs.	December 16, 2022

## III. CONCLUSION

For the reasons detailed above, Staff respectfully requests that an order be issued finding that the closing documents filed by the Applicants are sufficient. Staff further requests that the procedural schedule proposed above be adopted for continued processing of this docket.

Dated: October 28, 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 October 28, 2022, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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