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PETITION OF FLAT FORK WATER	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
SUPPLY CORPORATION AND CITY OF	§	
CENTER FOR SALE, TRANSFER, OR	§	OF TEXAS
MERGER OF FACILITIES AND	§	
CERTIFICATE RIGHTS IN SHELBY	§	
COUNTY	§	

COMMISSION STAFF'S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

On November 29, 2021, Flat Fork Water Supply Corporation (Flat Fork WSC) and the City of Center (the City) (jointly, Applicants) filed an application for approval of the sale, transfer, or merger of facilities and certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) rights in Shelby County. Applicants seek approval to sell and transfer a portion of Flat Fork WSC's water system to the City's CCN No. 10397. The application reflects a requested area of 500 acres and 39 customers.

On November 30, 2021, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 1 requiring the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to file a recommendation regarding the administrative completeness of the application and propose a procedural schedule by December 29, 2021. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

I. REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION

Under 16 Texas Administrative Code § 22.4(b), Staff may request that the time allowed for filing any documents be extended for good cause. Staff requires additional time to conduct its review of the application. Accordingly, Staff respectfully requests the entry of an order extending the deadline for Staff to file its comments on the administrative completeness of the application and proposed notice and to propose a procedural schedule to January 12, 2022.

II. CONCLUSION

Staff respectfully requests the entry of an order extending Staff's deadline to January 12, 2022, to file its comments on administrative completeness of the application and proposed notice and to propose a procedural schedule for further processing of the docket.

Dated: December 29, 2021

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 December 29, 2021, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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