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REQUEST FOR AN EMERGENCY	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
ORDER APPOINTING A TEMPORARY	§	
MANAGER FOR VILLA UTILTIES,	§	OF TEXAS
REED ESTATES WATER SYSTEM,	§	
VISTA UTILITIES, AND J & L TERRY	§	
LANE WITHOUT A HEARING	§	

ORDER NO. 1 NOTICE OF HEARING AND PREHEARING CONFERENCE

This Order addresses the March 17, 2022 emergency order appointing a temporary manager to Villa Utilities, Reed Estates Water System, Vista Utilities, and J & L Terry Lane without a hearing.

I. Notice of Hearing to Affirm, Modify, or Set Aside Emergency Order

Under 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 22.297(d), a hearing to affirm, modify, or set aside the emergency order will be held during the Commission's open meeting currently scheduled to begin at **9:30 a.m. on April 21, 2022**, in the Commissioners' Hearing Room, located at the William B. Travis Office Building, 1701 N. Congress, Seventh Floor, Austin, Texas. The parties must be present promptly at 9:30 a.m. for consideration of this docket at the Commissioners' convenience.

Under Texas Water Code § 13.454 and 16 TAC § 22.299, the affected parties may participate in this hearing to affirm, modify, or set aside the emergency order, or waive the right to a hearing.

By April 1, 2022, Commission Staff must file and serve upon Villa Utilities, Reed Estates Water System, Vista Utilities, and J&L Terry Lane a notice of hearing that complies with the requirements of Texas Government Code §§ 2001.051–2001.052.

II. Notice of Prehearing Conference

The parties are hereby notified that a prehearing conference in this matter will be held at **9:30 a.m. on April 20, 2022**, in the Commissioners' Hearing Room, located at the William B. Travis Office Building, 1701 N. Congress, Seventh Floor, Austin, Texas.

At the prehearing conference, the administrative law judge (ALJ) will rule on the admissibility of prefiled exhibits and any other matters that may assist in the disposition of this case in a fair and efficient manner.

III. Regarding Distribution and Number of Copies

By April 5, 2022, the parties must electronically file through the Commission's interchange (https://interchange.puc.texas.gov/): (a) a list of the witnesses they plan to call at the hearing; and (b) copies of the exhibits they plan to offer in evidence at the hearing..

In addition, the parties must provide a total of 12 hard copies of all offered exhibits for distribution as follows:

Distribution of Exhibits	Number of Copies
Commissioners	8
Commission Counsel	1
Administrative Law Judge	1
Appeals Box	2
Total Copies	12

The ALJ will distribute the copies to the Commissioners, Commission Counsel, and the appeals box. Should any confidential exhibits be presented, the above number of copies must also be provided for hearing purposes. Confidential exhibits must meet the requirements of 16 TAC § 22.71(d)(1).

Signed at Austin, Texas the 22nd day of March 2022.

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ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE