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APPLICATION OF CSWR-TEXAS	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
UTILITY OPERATING COMPANY	§	
LLC AND WATER WORKS I AND II	§	OF
FOR SALE, TRANSFER, OR MERGER	§	
OF FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE	§	TEXAS
RIGHTS IN LLANO COUNTY	§	

COMMISSION STAFF’S PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

On February 22, 2022, CSWR-Texas Utility Operating Company, LLC (CSWR-Texas) and Cody and Anita Lewis dba Cassie Water Company, Deer Springs Water Company, and Water Works I and II filed an application for approval of the sale, transfer, and merger of facilities and certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) rights in Burnet and Llano Counties. On March 29, 2022, Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) requested that Docket No. 53259 be severed into three separate dockets, one for each system. On April 4, 2022, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 1, severing the proceedings and restyling this docket to only include CSWR-Texas and Water Works I and II.

On June 23, 2022, the ALJ filed Order No. 4, finding notice sufficient and establishing a deadline of July 1, 2022, for Staff to file a proposed procedural schedule for this application. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

I. PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Staff proposes the following procedural schedule:

Event	Date
Notice complete	May 23, 2022
Deadline to intervene	June 22, 2022 ¹
Deadline for Staff to request a hearing or file a recommendation on the approval of the sale	July 29, 2022
Deadline for parties to file a response to Staff’s recommendation on approval of the sale	August 5, 2022
Deadline for parties to file a joint motion to admit evidence and proposed order approving notice of sale and allowing the transaction to proceed.	August 12, 2022
Under 16 TAC § 24.239(a) and (i), the deadline for Commission action is 120 days after the sale or require a hearing.	September 20, 2022 ²

1. Under 16 TAC § 24.239(b), the intervention period is 30 days from the mailing of notice. Notice was mailed on May 23, 2022. Therefore, 30 days after May 23, 2022, is Wednesday, June 22, 2022.
2. Under 16 TAC § 24.239(a) and (i), the deadline for Commission action is 120 days after the mailing of notice, which ever occurs later. One hundred and twenty days after May 23, 2022, is Tuesday, September 20, 2022.

II. CONCLUSION

For the reasons detailed above, Staff recommends that the proposed procedural schedule be adopted and respectfully requests the entry of an order consistent with this recommendation.

Dated: June 30, 2022

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on June 30, 2022, a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served on all parties of record via electronic mail in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules issued in Project No. 50664.

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