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APPLICATION OF CSWR-TEXAS UTILITY OPERATING COMPANY, LLC AND PATTERSON WATER SUPPLY, LLC FOR SALE, TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE RIGHTS IN DALLAS, DENTON, PARKER, TARRANT, AND WISE COUNTIES PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF TEXAS

ORDER NO. 24 REQUIRING ADDITIONAL CLARIFICATION AND, IF NEEDED, SUPPLEMENTAL EVIDENCE AND MOTION TO ADMIT

This Order requires the parties to clarify certain matters the administrative law judge (ALJ) has encountered while working on the proposed approval in this application. If necessary, the parties must also supplement the record and request admission of the supplemental material.

First, this application seeks the approval of the sale, transfer, or merger of a *portion* of the facilities and service area held under Patterson Water Supply, LLC's water certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) number 13248 to CSWR-Texas Utility Operating Company, LLC under CCN number 13290 and amendment of CSWR-Texas's CCN number 13290 to include the area transferred from Patterson. However, if only a portion of Patterson's water facilities and or service area are being transferred, it seems to the ALJ that Patterson's water CCN number 13238 should also be amended to remove the area transferred to CSWR-Texas. The ALJ requires the parties to indicate in the record of this proceeding where this matter is addressed, specifically whether it is a portion of Patterson's water facilities and whether it is a portion of Patterson's water service area, and if it is not addressed, address it or indicate why it does not need to be addressed. The parties must also indicate whether an amended certificate, map or tariff for Patterson should also be provided, and if so provide them.

Second, 78 acres of the water service area being transferred from Patterson to CSWR-Texas will ultimately be dually certificated between CSWR-Texas and the City of Denton, under the city's water CCN number 10195. The parties must confirm whether an amended certificate or map for Denton's water CCN number 10195 is necessary, and if so, provide them. The parties must also confirm whether the area that will be dually certificated is represented as requested area number 3, the Vacation Village Subdivision in Denton County, and in addition whether the notice provided for this application should have indicated an area will be dually certificated.

Third and last, the ALJ has been unable to locate revised maps for CSWR-Texas. The parties must indicate where in the record of this proceeding the proposed revised maps for CSWR-Texas have been filed, indicate why they should not be provided, or provide them.

On or before March 13, 2024, the parties must provide the requested clarifications, and if necessary, the supplemental material, and if appropriate, another supplemental motion to admit evidence.

Signed at Austin, Texas the 28th day of February 2024.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

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