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APPLICATION OF SKYLINE DRIVE	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
LANDOWNERS ASSOCIATION AND	§	
JOHNSON COUNTY SPECIAL UTILITY	§	OF TEXAS
DISTRICT FOR SALE, TRANSFER OR	§	
MERGER OF FACILITIES AND	§	
CERTIFICATE RIGHTS JOHNSON	§	
COUNTY	§	

JOINT REQUEST FOR ABATEMENT

On August 1, 2022, Skyline Drive Landowners Association (SDLA) and Johnson County Special Utility District (Johnson County SUD) (collectively, Applicants) filed an application for approval of the sale, transfer, or merger (STM) of facilities and certificate rights in Johnson County. Specifically, Johnson County SUD, Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) No. 10081, seeks approval to acquire facilities and to transfer all of the water service area from Skyline Drive under water CCN No. 12479.

On August 2, 2022, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 1, establishing a deadline of September 1, 2022 for the (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to file a recommendation on the administrative completeness of the application and proposed notice and propose a procedural schedule. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

I. REQUEST FOR ABATEMENT

Applicants and Staff (collectively, Parties) request an abatement of this proceeding. Specifically, SDLA filed an application to decertify a portion of its water CCN under Docket No. 52453.¹ On July 19, 2022, the ALJ in Docket No. 52453 filed a proposed order and memorandum,² requesting the docket be placed on an open meeting agenda for the Commissioner's consideration. If SDLA's application is approved, the final order would decertify approximately 22 acres from SDLA's water CCN that was incorrectly included in SDLA's initial certificated service area.³

¹ *Application of Skyline Drive Landowners Association Water System to Decertify a Portion of its Water Certificate of Convenience and Necessity in Johnson County*, Docket No. 52453 (pending).

² *Id.*, Proposed Order & Memorandum (Jul. 19, 2022).

³ *Id.*, Finding of Fact Nos. 10 and 11.

Currently, this docket includes the area to be decertified in Docket No. 52453. Therefore, the Parties respectfully request that this docket be abated until the application in Docket No. 52453 receives a final order from the Commission. Once there is a final order, the Parties will confer for the Applicants to amend the application as necessary and to lift the abatement in this docket.

II. CONCLUSION

For the reasons detailed above, the Parties respectfully requests the entry of an order abating this docket.

Dated: September 1, 2022

Respectfully submitted,

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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 September 1, 2022 in accordance with the Second Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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