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APPLICATION OF TEXAS WATER	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
UTILITIES, L.P. AND SOUTHERN	§	
HORIZONS DEVELOPMENT, INC.	§	OF TEXAS
FOR SALE, TRANSFER, OR MERGER	§	
OF FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE	§	
RIGHTS IN LIBERTY AND	§	
MONTGOMERY COUNTIES	§	

TEXAS WATER UTILITIES, L.P.'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Pursuant to 16 Texas Administrative Code § 22.262(d), Texas Water Utilities, L.P. (TWU) timely files this request for oral argument.¹

On November 1, 2024, the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) Counsel issued notice that the Proposal for Decision (PFD) in this proceeding is scheduled for consideration at the Commission's December 12, 2024 open meeting. TWU respectfully requests oral argument be allowed at the December 12, 2024 open meeting due to the significant, and potentially far-reaching, issues addressed in the PFD. Because the issues in this proceeding are largely of first impression, TWU believes brief oral argument will assist the Commissioners in their deliberations on the PFD. As such, TWU respectfully requests oral argument to address the issues in the PFD and to answer any questions the Commissioners may have.

 $^{^{-1}}$ A request for oral argument must be filed "no later than 3:00 p.m. seven days before the open meeting at which the commission is scheduled to consider the case." $16 \text{ TAC} \S 22.262(d)(3)$.

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 December 2, 2024, in accordance with the Second Order Suspending Rules, filed in Project No. 50664.

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