



## **Filing Receipt**

**Filing Date - 2023-12-27 09:04:44 AM**

**Control Number - 55045**

**Item Number - 16**

**DOCKET NO. 55045**

<b>APPLICATION OF CITY OF FORT</b>	<b>§</b>	<b>PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION</b>
<b>WORTH TO AMEND A CERTIFICATE</b>	<b>§</b>	
<b>OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY</b>	<b>§</b>	<b>OF TEXAS</b>
<b>AND FOR DUAL CERTIFICATION</b>	<b>§</b>	
<b>WITH THE CITY OF HURST IN</b>	<b>§</b>	
<b>TARRANT COUNTY</b>		

**ORDER NO. 5**  
**FINDING NOTICE, AS SUPPLEMENTED, SUFFICIENT AND ESTABLISHING**  
**PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE FOR CONTINUED PROCESSING**

This Order addresses the sufficiency of the notice provided by the City of Fort Worth. Fort Worth provided an affidavit of notice dated November 21, 2023, and signed by Chris Harder, water director of Fort Worth, attesting that notice was provided on November 3, 2023, to its current customers, neighboring utilities, and affected parties, as well as the maps that were attached to the notice. Fort Worth also provided an affidavit of landowner notice dated December 21, 2023, and signed by Mr. Harder, attesting that individual notice was provided via first-class mail to a landowner owning tracts of land over 25 acres wholly or partially in the requested certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) area on December 21, 2023. Further, Fort Worth provided an affidavit of publication of notice dated November 20, 2023, and signed by Stefani Beard, representative of the *Fort Worth Star - Telegram*, a newspaper of general circulation in Tarrant County, that publication notice was provided on November 6 and 13, 2023.

On December 22, 2023, Commission Staff filed a supplemental recommendation on the sufficiency of notice.

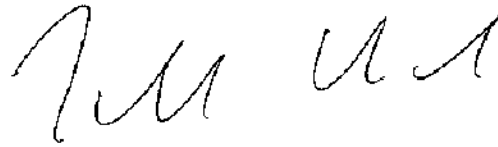
The administrative law judge finds the notice sufficient.

The following procedural schedule is established for continued processing:

<b>Event</b>	<b>Date</b>
Notice complete	December 21, 2023
Deadline for intervention	January 22, 2024
Deadline for Commission Staff to request a hearing or file a recommendation on the CCN amendment	February 7, 2024
Deadline for applicant to file a response to Commission Staff's recommendation. If no response is desired, deadline for the parties to file a joint proposed notice of approval.	February 21, 2024

Signed at Austin, Texas the 27th day of December 2023.

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Huhn', is written above a horizontal line.

**JEFFREY J. HUHN**  
**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE**