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#### **PUC DOCKET NO. 55338**

PROCEEDING TO RESOLVE ISSUES	§	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
IN DOCKET NO. 53719 RELATED TO	§	
TRANSPORTATION	<b>§</b>	OF TEXAS
ELECTRIFICATION AND CHARGING	§	
INFRASTRUCTURE	§	

### OFFICE OF PUBLIC UTILITY COUNSEL'S REQUEST FOR HEARING

The Office of Public Utility Counsel ("OPUC"), representing the interests of residential and small commercial consumers in Texas, respectfully submits its request for a hearing on the merits pursuant to Order No. 2.<sup>1</sup> On July 11, 2022, OPUC filed a motion to intervene in Docket No. 53719,<sup>2</sup> which was granted July 22, 2022.<sup>3</sup> On August 16, 2023, the Public Utility Commission of Texas ordered that issues 68 and 69 related to transportation electrification and charging infrastructure be severed from Docket No. 53719 and placed into new Docket No 55338, *Proceeding to Resolve Issues in Docket No. 53719 Related to Transportation Electrification and Charging Infrastructure*.<sup>4</sup> Order No. 2 establishes an October 11, 2023 deadline for intervenors to request a hearing.<sup>5</sup> Therefore, pursuant to Order No. 2, this request for a hearing is timely filed.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Order No. 2 Establishing Procedural Schedule (Sept. 5, 2023). (Order No. 2).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Application of Entergy Texas for Authority to Change Rates, Docket No. 53719 (Aug. 24, 2023).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Application of Entergy Texas for Authority to Change Rates, Docket No. 53719, SOAH Order Memorializing Prehearing Conference; Adopting Procedural Schedule; and Setting Hearing on the Merits at 1 (Jul. 29, 2022).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Order Severing Issues (Aug. 16, 2023).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Order No. 2 at 1.

Date: October 11, 2023

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document was served on all parties of record in this proceeding on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of October 2023 by facsimile, electronic mail, and/or first-class U.S. Mail.

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