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APPLICATION OF YANCEY WATER SUPPLY CORPORATION AND NEW ALSACE WATER SUPPLY CORPORATION FOR SALE, TRANSFER, OR MERGER OF FACILITIES AND CERTIFICATE RIGHTS IN MEDINA COUNTY PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF TEXAS

ORDER NO. 3 FINDING NOTICE SUFFICIENT AND ESTABLISHING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

This Order addresses the sufficiency of notice for the November 1, 2023 application of Yancey Water Supply Corporation and New Alsace Water Supply Corporation for approval of the sale, transfer, or merger of facilities and certificate rights in Medina County.

On December 7, 2023 and January 3, 2024, Yancey WSC filed proof of notice and a supplemental proof of notice, respectively. Yancey WSC's documents included the affidavit of Cole Ruiz, attorney for Yancey WSC, attesting that there are no landowners owning tracts of land over 25 acres wholly or partly inside the requested area; and the affidavits of Cole Ruiz, attorney for Yancey WSC, attesting that notice was mailed to all current customers, neighboring utilities, and affected parties on December 7 and 21, 2023.

On January 17, 2024, Commission Staff filed a recommendation on the sufficiency of notice and proposed a procedural schedule.

The administrative law judge (ALJ) finds notice sufficient.

The ALJ establishes the following procedural schedule for the continued processing of this docket:

| Event | Date |
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| Notice completed | December 21, 2023 |
| Deadline to intervene | January 22, 2024 ¹ |
| Deadline for Commission Staff to request a hearing or file a recommendation on approval of the sale and on the certificate of convenience and necessity amendment | February 26, 2024 |
| Deadline for the parties to file a response to Commission Staff's recommendation or to request a hearing | March 2, 2024 |
| Deadline for intervenors to request a hearing | March 2, 2024 |

¹ Under 16 Texas Administrative Code § 22.4(a), when a deadline falls on a day the Commission is closed for business, the deadline moved to the next day the Commission is open for business.

| If no hearing is requested, deadline for the parties to file a joint motion to admit evidence and a proposed order approving the sale and allowing the transaction to proceed | March 11, 2024 |
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| 120-day deadline for the Commission to approve the sale or require a hearing | April 19, 2024 |

Signed at Austin, Texas on the 23rd day of January 2024.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

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SUSAN E. GOODSON ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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