

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY RURAL WATER)
ASSOCIATION FOR APPROVAL OF CONTINUING) CASE NO.
EDUCATION CREDIT FOR COMMISSIONERS) 2014-00429

ORDER

Kentucky Rural Water Association (“KRWA”) has applied, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:070, for accreditation and approval of its 2015 Management Conference to be held on February 18-19, 2015, at the Sloan Convention Center in Bowling Green, Kentucky. This management conference provides instruction on various water and wastewater facility processes and procedures.

This Commission is required to “encourage and promote the offering of high quality water district management training programs that enhance a water district commissioner’s understanding of his or her responsibilities and duties.”¹

Based on a review of KRWA’s application and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that the application should be accepted for filing. Eight of the nine hours of instruction to be presented at the 2015 Management Conference will enhance a water district commissioner’s understanding of his or her responsibilities and duties. The one-hour presentation regarding Local Option Sales Tax to be presented at 10:40 a.m., on February 18, 2015, involves proposed legislation. A session involving proposed legislation does not enhance a water district commissioner’s understanding of

¹ KRS 74.020(7)(c).

his or her responsibilities and duties. Should the local option sales tax be enacted, the Local Option Sales Tax session will be eligible for one credit hour of water district management training.

Having reviewed KRWA's application, the Commission finds that the 2015 Management Conference should be accredited for eight hours of water district management training.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. KRWA's application for accreditation of its 2015 Management Conference to be held on February 18-19, 2015, in Bowling Green, Kentucky, is accepted for filing and is approved for a maximum of eight credit hours of water district management training.

2. The one-hour Local Option Sales Tax session is not approved for continuing education credit of water district management training.

3. KRWA shall retain a record of all water district commissioners attending the accredited and approved sessions.

4. No later than 30 days after the 2015 Management Conference is held, KRWA shall file with the Commission:

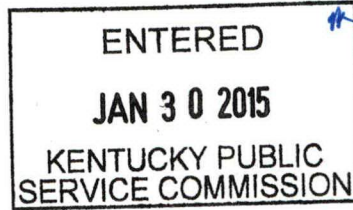
a. A sworn statement attesting that the accredited instruction was performed:

b. A description of any changes in the presenters or the proposed curriculum that occurred after KRWA's application;

c. The name of each attending water district commissioner, his or her water district, and the number of accredited hours that he or she attended; and

d. A copy of any written material given to water commissioners attending the presentations.

By the Commission



ATTEST:



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