

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF LETCHER)	
COUNTY WATER AND SEWER DISTRICT FOR A)	CASE NO.
RATE ADJUSTMENT PURSUANT TO 807 KAR)	2022-00431
5:076)	

ORDER

On April 3, 2023, Commission Staff issued Commission Staff's Second Request for Information to Letcher County Water and Sewer District (Staff's Second Request) pursuant to an Order establishing a procedural schedule dated February 16, 2023, which required Letcher County Water and Sewer District (Letcher District) to file its response to Staff's Second Request no later than April 17, 2023.¹ On April 17, 2023, Letcher District filed a request for an extension of time through May 1, 2023. Letcher District stated the extension was needed due to Letcher District's auditor being unable to provide the information necessary to respond too many of the questions as the auditor was in the final stages of tax season and that Letcher District was consulting with an engineer in order to respond to questions regarding decommissioning of sewer operations.² Letcher District stated a 14-day extension would be sufficient to supply the data requested in Staff's Second Request. Subsequently, Letcher District tendered its response to Staff's Second Request on May 1, 2023.

¹ Order (Ky. PSC Feb. 16, 2023), Appendix.

² Request of Extension of Time (filed Apr. 17, 2023) at 1–2.

The Commission finds that Letcher District's request for an extension of time in which to submit its response to Staff's Second Request should be granted. The unavailability of the auditor due to tax season and the need to consult with an engineer regarding the decommissioning of sewer operations is good cause for an extension of time. Further, the Commission finds that an amended procedural schedule should be established to ensure the orderly review of Letcher District's application. The amended procedural schedule is attached as an Appendix to this Order.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Letcher District's request for an extension of time is granted.
2. Letcher District's response to Staff's Second Request tendered on May 1, 2023, is accepted for filing.
3. The amended procedural schedule set forth in the Appendix to this Order shall be followed.
4. The Commission does not look favorably on motions for continuances. Accordingly, future motions for extensions of time with respect to the schedule herein shall be made in writing and will be granted only upon a showing of good cause.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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ATTEST:

Linda C. Bridwell

Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2022-00431 DATED MAY 18 2023

Letcher District shall file responses to supplemental
requests for information no later than05/01/2023

Commission Staff's Report shall be filed no later than.....06/01/2023

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