

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF CHRISTIAN	)	
COUNTY WATER DISTRICT FOR THE	)	
ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC	)	
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO	)	CASE NO.
CONSTRUCT A WATER SYSTEM	)	2023-00341
IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT PURSUANT TO	)	
THE PROVISIONS OF KRS 278.020 AND 807	)	
KAR 5:001	)	

COMMISSION STAFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR INFORMATION  
TO CHRISTIAN COUNTY WATER DISTRICT

Christian County Water District (Christian District), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, shall file with the Commission an electronic version of the following information. The information requested is due on November 30, 2023. The Commission directs Christian District to the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085<sup>1</sup> regarding filings with the Commission. Electronic documents shall be in portable document format (PDF), shall be searchable, and shall be appropriately bookmarked.

Each response shall include the question to which the response is made and shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided. Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or the

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<sup>1</sup> Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-19* (Ky. PSC July 22, 2021), Order (in which the Commission ordered that for case filings made on and after March 16, 2020, filers are NOT required to file the original physical copies of the filings required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8).

person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

Christian District shall make timely amendment to any prior response if Christian District obtains information that indicates the response was incorrect or incomplete when made or, though correct or complete when made, is now incorrect or incomplete in any material respect.

For any request to which Christian District fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, Christian District shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.

Careful attention shall be given to copied and scanned material to ensure that it is legible. When the requested information has been previously provided in this proceeding in the requested format, reference may be made to the specific location of that information in responding to this request. When applicable, the requested information shall be separately provided for total company operations and jurisdictional operations. When filing a paper containing personal information, Christian District shall, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(10), encrypt or redact the paper so that personal information cannot be read.

1. Refer to Christian District's Application, Exhibit A (Project Description and Necessity).
  - a. Describe how Christian District determined where to install water lines and describe how the decision to construct each water line was made. Use the number labels on Exhibit A-9 (Map).

b. Provide any documentation supporting Christian District's assessment of which areas were unserved or underserved, including but not limited to population growth studies.

c. Provide copies of all engineering reports pertaining to the proposed project.

d. State whether "Phase 9" of construction is part of a larger plan to add or replace infrastructure and describe any such plan.

e. Identify any proposed water lines for which alternate designs or routes were considered as well as the estimated construction cost of those alternatives and any difference in operations and maintenance costs.

f. Explain how Christian District determined what size pipe would be used for the proposed project.

g. State whether Christian District plans to claim depreciation for the proposed infrastructure. If so, state the useful lives of the proposed infrastructure.

2. Refer to Christian District's Application, Exhibit A-9 (Map).

a. Describe what the "Alternate Phase IX Water Line" markings on the Map constitute.

b. State whether "Alternate Phase IX Water Line" markings are also proposed future water lines.

3. Refer to Christian District's Application, page 3, paragraph 5(vi). State how Christian District plans to fund any cost overruns.



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