

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY-)	
AMERICAN WATER COMPANY TO AMEND)	CASE NO.
TARIFF TO REVISE QUALIFIED)	2023-00030
INFRASTRUCTURE CHARGE)	

ORDER

The Commission, on its own motion, finds that a procedural schedule entered on April 6, 2023, should be amended to extend the Commission’s investigation into the Qualified Infrastructure Program (QIP) Rider application. On May 31, 2023, subsequent to the filing of the QIP application, Kentucky-American Water Company (Kentucky-American) filed a Notice of Intent to file a rate application within 30 to 60 days.¹ The Commission believes that the rate application and accompanying information may impact the QIP application.

The Commission finds that an extension of 90 days for further review of the QIP application is necessary to ensure that the QIP Rider affecting the overall rate charged to Kentucky-American customers is fair, just and reasonable. The Commission reserves the right to extend this investigation period further or to merge this case into the rate application case. The QIP Rider approved in Case No. 2022-00328² remains in effect until further Order of the Commission.

¹ Case No. 2023-00191, *Electronic Application of Kentucky-American Water Company for an Adjustment of Rates* (filed May 31, 2023), Notice of Intent and Election.

² Case No. 2022-00328, *Electronic Application of Kentucky-American Water Company for a Balancing Adjustment for its QIP Charge* (Ky. PSC Mar. 2, 2023).

IT IS THEREFORE ORDRED that:


1. The procedural schedule issued April 6, 2023, is amended to the extent that the Commission has determined that an extension of 90 days for further investigation is necessary.

2. Kentucky-American shall respond to all requests for information issued by Commission Staff, whether identified on a procedural schedule or otherwise, as provided in those requests.


3. Nothing in this Order shall be construed to limit the Commission's ability to extend the investigation period further or issue further Orders in this matter.

4. All remaining provisions of the April 6, 2023 procedural schedule not in conflict with this Order remain in effect.

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