

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC INVESTIGATION OF EAST CASEY)	
COUNTY WATER DISTRICT AND ITS OFFICERS,)	
KEVIN ATWOOD, LILY SANDUSKY, RICKY)	CASE NO.
CARMAN, TRACY GOSSAGE, JOHN MCQUERY,)	2022-00228
AND ITS MANAGER, ANDY GREYNOLDS, TO)	
COMPLY WITH A COMMISSION ORDER, KRS)	
278.990)	

ORDER

On August 22, 2022, the Commission, in exercise of its authority under KRS 278.250 and KRS 278.260, found that a prima facie case existed; that East Casey County Water District (East Casey District), East Casey District’s board of commissioners, and its individual officers—Kevin Atwood, Lily Sandusky, Tracy Gossage, John McQuery, and Ricky Carman, along with Andy Greynolds, manager of East Casey District (Individual Respondents), acting in their respective official and individual capacities—violated the Commission’s October 15, 2021 Order in Case No. 2021-00371¹; and therefore subject to the penalties provided in KRS 278.990 or removal from office pursuant to KRS 74.025. On September 9, 2022, by and through counsel, East Casey District and the Individual Respondents filed an answer to the Commission’s opening Order in this proceeding. East Casey District and Individual Respondents requested that the Commission (1) accept the answer as a sufficient response to the allegation contained

¹ Case No. 2021-00371, *Electronic Purchased Water Adjustment Filing of East Casey County Water District* (Ky. PSC Oct. 15, 2021) at 7, ordering paragraph 6. The East Casey District was ordered to file an application for an adjustment in base rates within six months of the date of entry of the Order.

in the opening Order; (2) establish a new time period for East Casey District's submission of an application for a rate adjustment that will afford adequate time for preparation of the application; and (3) close this proceeding.

Pursuant to KRS 278.250, the Commission may, in the performance of its duties, investigate and examine the condition of any utility subject to its jurisdiction. Further, KRS 278.250 provides that "[i]n conducting such investigation, the commission may proceed with or without a hearing as it deems best but shall make no order without giving a hearing to the parties affected thereby."

On its own motion, the Commission finds that East Casey District and the Individual Respondents shall clarify whether each has waived a hearing in this matter and requested that the Commission render a final decision on the written record.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that within 14 days of service of this Order, East Casey District and the Individual Respondents shall file either a motion requesting a hearing, or a written notice waiving a hearing and requesting a decision based upon the written record.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



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