

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC INVESTIGATION OF)	
THE OPERATING CAPACITY OF)	CASE NO.
MARTIN COUNTY WATER DISTRICT)	2016-00142
PURSUANT TO KRS 278.280)	

ORDER

This matter is before the Commission upon a motion filed on August 31, 2018, by Martin County Water District (Martin District), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8, for the Commission to direct the use of electronic filing procedures for this proceeding.

807 KAR 5:001, Section 8(1), permits an applicant to use electronic filing procedures upon a timely election. Per 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8(2), an applicant is required to file with the Commission a written notice of its election to use electronic filing procedures at least seven days prior to the submission of the application; however, in prior cases the Commission has granted the use of electronic filing procedures after the commencement of the case for good cause and if there is no prejudice to other parties. Based upon the difficulty that Martin District has experienced with filings at the Commission, Martin District is reminded that any filings that require confidential treatment should be redacted prior to being uploaded into the system and the request for confidential treatment of material submitted shall conform to the requirements of 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13. An original non-redacted version must be submitted to the Commission in paper medium.

In support of its motion, Martin District argues that use of electronic filing procedures will reduce Martin District's costs, and provide additional efficiency for the parties. The Commission finds that in the instant case, Martin District could increase efficiency, lower costs, and there is no objection by the intervening party to the use of electronic filing procedures. The Commission further finds that Martin District's request for use of electronic filing procedures should be granted.

The Commission, having considered the motion and finding good cause, HEREBY ORDERS that:

1. Martin District's request for electronic filing for this case is granted.
2. The style of this case shall be amended to use the word "Electronic" as set forth above, and all future correspondence or filings in connection with this case shall reference the above style and case number.
3. All documents submitted in this proceeding shall comply with the Commission's rules of procedure as set forth in 807 KAR 5:001, and any deviation from these rules shall be submitted in writing to the Commission for consideration.
4. Any party filing a paper shall upload an electronic version using the Commission's E-Filing System and shall file an original and one copy in paper medium.
5. Any request for confidential treatment of material submitted shall conform to the requirements of 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13.
6. Materials submitted to the Commission that do not comply with the rules of procedure or that do not have an approved deviation are subject to rejection pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 3.

By the Commission



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