

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN ELECTRONIC INVESTIGATION INTO)	
MILBURN WATER DISTRICT TO DETERMINE)	
THE FEASIBILITY OF MERGER WITH A)	CASE NO.
PROXIMATE UTILITY PURSUANT TO KRS 74.361)	2021-00341
OR ABANDONMENT PURSUANT TO KRS)	
278.020(6), KRS 278.021)	

ORDER

On June 12, 2024, Graves County Water District and Milburn Water District (collectively, the Parties) filed a joint motion requesting an extension of time (motion) until August 13, 2024, to submit their responses to Commission Staff's Feasibility Study of Merger (Feasibility Study) dated May 31, 2024. Pursuant to Commission Staff's Feasibility Study, the Parties were to file responses on June 14, 2024.¹

In the motion, the Parties stated that neither of the board of commissioners of either water district has had the opportunity to meet and discuss the report's findings and recommendation. The next regular meeting of the Graves County Board of Commissioners is June 25, 2024, and Milburn's next Board of Commissioners meeting is June 13, 2024.² In light of the report's potential impact, the Parties stated that each district's board of commissioners require adequate time to review the Feasibility Report's findings and recommendations and prepare a thorough and complete response.³

¹ Commission Staff's Notice of Filing and Feasibility Report (filed May 31, 2024).

² Parties' Joint Motion (filed June 12, 2024) at 2.

³ Parties' Joint Motion at 2.

The Parties further stated in their motion that the requested extension would allow them to provide the Commission with greater information on the Kentucky General Assembly's appropriation of \$5,000,000 to the Carlisle County Fiscal Court in its 2024 Regular Session "to support the Carlisle County Water District [sic] in providing water treatment and water lines to schools in the county,"⁴ and how this effort addresses some of concerns contained in the Feasibility Report.⁵

The Commission, having considered the Parties' motion, finds that good cause exists to grant an extension until August 13, 2024, to file their responses to the Feasibility Study dated May 31, 2024.

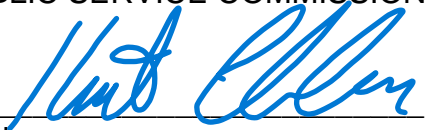
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The Parties' motion for an extension of time is granted.
2. The Parties shall file their responses, if any, to the Feasibility Study on or before August 13, 2024.

⁴ 2024 Ky. Acts Ch. 223, § 6; Parties' Joint Motion, Exhibit 1.

⁵ Parties' Joint Motion at 3.

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