## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF GARRISON- ) QUINCY-KY-O-HEIGHTS WATER DISTRICT FOR ) AN ALTERNATIVE RATE FILING PURSUANT TO ) 807 KAR 5:076 )

CASE NO. 2023-00408

## <u>O R D E R</u>

On December 19, 2023, Garrison-Quincy-Ky-O-Heights Water District (Garrison District) filed<sup>1</sup> an application with the Commission, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:076, requesting an adjustment to its water and sewer rates.<sup>2</sup> The Commission established a procedural schedule by Order dated January 10, 2024,<sup>3</sup> that, among other things, requires Commission Staff to file all supplemental requests for information to Garrison District no later than February 20, 2024.

Due to numerous Commission Staff scheduling conflicts, the Commission, on its own motion, finds that the procedural schedule established on January 10, 2024, should be amended to afford Commission Staff additional time to prepare and file its supplemental requests for information to Garrison District. Specifically, the Commission

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Garrison District tendered its application on December 11, 2023. By letter dated December 19, 2023, the Commission rejected the application for filing deficiencies. The deficiencies were subsequently cured, and the application is deemed filed on December 19, 2023.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:076, Section 7(2), if the Commission has not issued an order after six months from the date an alternative rate filing application is deemed filed, the utility may place the proposed rates into effect, subject to refund, pending the Commission's order upon filing written notice with the Commission of its intent to do so. Otherwise, an applicant using the alternative rate filing procedure may not place the proposed rates into effect until the Commission has issued an order approving the rates. 807 KAR 5:076, Section 7(1).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> See Order (Ky. PSC Jan. 10, 2024).

finds that Commission Staff's date for filing all supplemental requests for information to Garrison District should be extended to March 1, 2024.

After Commission Staff files all supplemental requests for information to Garrison District on or before the amended deadline of March 1, 2024, Garrison District shall file its responses to supplemental requests for information no later than March 15, 2024.

On or before April 30, 2024, Commission Staff shall file with the Commission and serve upon all parties of record a written report (Commission Staff's Report) containing its findings and recommendations regarding Garrison District's requested water and sewer rate adjustments. After Commission Staff's Report is filed on or before the amended deadline of April 30, 2024, Garrison District will have 14 days to file a written response to Commission Staff's Report.<sup>4</sup> If Garrison District does not file written objections to a finding contained in Commission Staff's Report within 14 days after the date of the filing of Commission Staff's Report, it shall be deemed a waiver of all objections to that finding.<sup>5</sup>

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The procedural schedule established on January 10, 2024, is amended.

2. Commission Staff shall file all supplemental requests for information to Garrison District no later than March 1, 2024.

3. Garrison District shall file its responses to supplemental requests for information no later than March 15, 2024.

4. Commission Staff's Report shall be filed no later than April 30, 2024.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> 807 KAR 5:076, Section 11(3)(a).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> 807 KAR 5:076, Section 11(3)(c).

5. Garrison District shall file its written response, if any, to Commission Staff's Report within 14 days of the filing of the Commission Staff's Report.

6. All provisions of the Commission's January 10, 2024 Order that are in conflict with the provisions of this Order are vacated, and all other provisions not in conflict with the provisions of this Order shall remain in effect.

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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION Chairman Vice Chairman Commissioner



ATTEST:

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