

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC SOUTHERN MADISON WATER)	
DISTRICT UNACCOUNTED-FOR WATER LOSS)	CASE NO.
REDUCTION PLAN, SURCHARGE AND)	2023-00070
MONITORING)	

ORDER

On June 16, 2024, Southern Madison Water District (Southern Madison District) filed a motion requesting an extension of time until July 15, 2024, to submit its response to Commission Staff's Second Request for Information (Staff's Second Request) dated May 22, 2024. Pursuant to Staff's Second Request, Southern Madison District was to file responses to Staff's Second Request with the Commission on June 7, 2024.

Southern Madison District stated, in its motion, that it discovered Staff's Second Request on or about June 15, 2024, when reviewing the case to upload its May 2024 monthly reports.¹ Counsel for Southern Madison District stated neither she nor Southern Madison District received written or electronic notice of Staff's Second Request.² Accordingly, Southern Madison District requested an extension, until July 15, 2024, to respond to Staff's Second Request and to file its May 2024 and June 2024 monthly reports.³

¹ Southern Madison District's Motion for Extension (filed June 16, 2024) at 1.

² Southern Madison District's Motion for Extension at 1.

³ Southern Madison District's Motion for Extension at 1.

The Commission would note that Staff's Second Request was sent electronically on May 22, 2024, to Southern Madison District's electronic email addresses on file with the Commission, wrobinsonsmwd@outlook.com, abramsjb@yahoo.com, and to counsel's email address as provided in the instant motion, tblevins@blevinslaw.net. The Commission would remind Southern Madison District of its responsibility to maintain a valid electronic email address on file with the Commission which Southern Madison District monitors for Commission filings, and in the event of any change in email address, must notify the Commission of that change.

Having considered Southern Madison District's motion, the Commission finds that an extension should be granted until July 15, 2024, for Southern Madison District to file its responses to Staff's Second Request dated May 22, 2024. While it appears electronic notice was properly sent to counsel and Southern Madison District, it was ultimately not discovered by Southern Madison District until June 15, 2024, and an extension is necessary for Southern Madison District to provide its response. However, Southern Madison District indicated in its motion that it discovered Staff's Second Request in the process of reviewing the case file to upload its monthly reports (for May 2024) that were due on June 16, 2024. Southern Madison District has not presented any argument as to why it is unable to file those monthly reports, and the Commission finds that Southern Madison District should file the monthly reports that were due on or before June 15, 2024, by June 30, 2024. Southern Madison District's motion for an extension until July 15, 2024, to file its monthly reports due on July 15, 2024, is moot, as that is the existing deadline for that reporting.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. Southern Madison District's motion for extension of time until July 15, 2024, is granted for its response to Staff's Second Request.

2. Southern Madison District's motion for extension of time until July 15, 2024, to file its monthly reports that were due on June 15, 2024, is denied. Southern Madison District shall file the monthly reports that were due on or before June 15, 2024, on or before June 30, 2024.

3. Southern Madison District's motion for extension to file its monthly reports for June 2024 that are due on July 15, 2024, already, is moot.

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