PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

Application of the Village of Readstown, Vernon County, Wisconsin, as a Water Public Utility, for Authority to Adjust Water Rates

4950-WR-102

NOTICE OF HEARING

Hearing Date:

Friday, September 17, 2021 - 11:00 a.m.

Hearing Location:

Audiovisual Hearing - No physical location

Parties and Commission staff appear by audiovisual connection over the internet, or may use the audio-only telephone connection, if no adequate internet connection exists.

A member of the public who wishes to comment appears by audiovisual connection over the internet, or may use the audio-only telephone connection, if no adequate internet connection exists.

Anyone may observe by audiovisual connection over the internet, or by audio-only telephone connection.

The Commission will livestream the audio of this hearing on its website.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin will hold a public hearing in this proceeding on Friday, September 17, 2021, at 11:00 a.m. The Commission shall receive evidence from the parties and Commission staff, and comments from members of the public. The presiding Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) may allot additional time to receive evidence and comments, if necessary.

This is a Class 1 proceeding as defined in Wis. Stat. § 227.01(3)(a).

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1. Go to: Zoom at https://zoom.us/

2. Select: Join A Meeting

3. Enter: pschearings (Personal Link Name)

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1. Dial: +1 312 626 6799

2. Enter: 809 513 2930# (Meeting ID)

Each participant shall provide their name, and status as either a party representative, Commission staff, or a member of the public. Each participant using the internet connection shall provide this information in the "Join Meeting" dialog screen, or by renaming the participant's screenname after gaining admittance to the hearing. Each person connecting by telephone shall provide this information immediately after gaining admittance to the hearing.

Upon connecting to the hearing, each participant will enter a waiting room and await admittance to the hearing. Before commencing the hearing, the ALJ will admit each participant who connected before the designated start time. The ALJ will admit each participant who connects after the hearing begins at the earliest opportunity that does not disrupt the hearing. Each member of the public shall remain muted until the ALJ invites that person to comment.

The Commission will livestream the audio of this hearing on its website. The livestream allows anyone with an adequate internet connection to listen to the hearing without joining to it. To access the livestream, go to the Commission's website at http://psc.wi.gov, and select "Live Broadcast" button². The live broadcast webpage provides neither: (1) an opportunity to make a comment, nor (2) closed captioning.

DOCUMENTS. All documents in this docket are filed on the Commission's Electronic Records Filing (ERF) system. To view these documents: (1) go to the Commission's E-Services Portal at http://apps.psc.wi.gov, (2) enter "4950-WR-102" in the box labeled "Quick Single Docket Search," and (3) select "Documents." To receive electronic notifications when new

¹ The direct link to the audiovisual connection is:

https://us02web.zoom.us/mv/pschearings

² The direct link to the live broadcast webcast is

https://apps.psc.wi.gov/APPS/eventscalendar/broadcast/livebroadcast.aspx.

³ The direct link to the documents filed in the docket is

https://apps.psc.wi.gov/ERF/ERFsearch/content/searchResult.aspx?UTIL=4950&CASE=WR&SEQ=102&START=none&END=none&TYPE=none&SERVICE=none&KEY=none&NON=N

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SCHEDULE. For the official schedule in this docket, check the notices and orders filed in this docket on the ERF system. For public convenience only, the Commission will maintain the schedule in this docket on the PSC Docket Calendar. To view the calendar: (1) go to the Commission's E-Services Portal at http://apps.psc.wi.gov, and (2) select the button labeled "Docket Calendar." From there you may browse or search the calendar, and subscribe to a particular docket schedule.

PUBLIC COMMENTS. A person may testify in this proceeding without becoming a party and without attorney representation. A person may submit this testimony in only one of the following ways:

- Web Comment. Go to the Commission's web site at http://psc.wi.gov, click on "File a Comment" button. On the next page, select the "File a comment" link that appears for docket number 4950-WR-102⁵. Web comments shall be received no later than Tuesday, September 21, 2021.
- Oral Comment. Speak over the telephone during the public session. The Administrative Law Judge may receive an oral comment from any member of the public in attendance after the close of any party and Commission staff testimony. The Administrative Law Judge will receive an oral comment by unmuting each phone connection one at a time and inquiring into the each caller's desire to comment.
- Mail Comment. Submit a comment by U.S. Mail. All comments submitted by U.S. mail shall be received no later than Tuesday, September 21, 2021. A mail comment shall include the phrase "Docket 4950-WR-102 Comments" in the heading, and shall be addressed to:

Docket 4950-WR-102 Comments Public Service Commission P.O. Box 7854 Madison WI 53707-7854

The Commission will not accept comments submitted via e-mail or facsimile (fax).

A person shall limit a public comment to non-technical personal knowledge or personal opinion. A person may include references to other materials in a comment, but may not include as part of a comment, any document not written or substantially modified by that person. The Commission shall only accept documents that a person offers to supplement a comment for the

⁴ The direct link to the PSC Docket Calendar is

https://apps.psc.wi.gov/APPS/docketCalendar/Calendar.aspx

⁵ The direct link to the public comment webpage for this docket is:

https://apps.psc.wi.gov/ERF/ERF/comment/filecomment.aspx?util=4950&case=WR&num=102

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purpose of showing the basis of an opinion, not for proof of the matter asserted. Parties may object to the receipt of a public comment.

Any material submitted to the Commission is a public record and may appear on the Commission web site. Only one comment may be submitted per person during a comment period. The Commission may reject a comment that does not comply with the requirements described in this notice.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT. The Commission does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the provision of programs, services, or employment. Any person with a disability who needs accommodations to participate in this docket, or who needs to obtain this document in a different format should contact the docket coordinator listed below.

CONTACT. Please direct questions about this docket or requests for additional accommodations for a person with a disability, to the Commission's docket coordinator, Alex Hanna, at (608) 267-2336 or <u>Alex.Hanna@wisconsin.gov</u>.

Michael E. Newmark Administrative Law Judge

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