



TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

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NOTICE OF HEARINGS

IN RE: Petition of Atmos Energy Corporation for Approval of a Franchise Agreement with Bedford County, Tennessee

DOCKET NO.: 03-00484

IN RE: Petition of Atmos Energy Corporation for Approval of Franchise Agreements with Williamson County and Johnson City, Tennessee.

DOCKET NO.: 03-00520

DATE: December 22, 2003

Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-4-107 *et seq.*, a hearing has been scheduled in each of the above-captioned proceedings for **Tuesday, January 20, 2004 at 10:00 a.m.** in the Hearing Room on the Ground Floor at 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee. These hearings will be conducted in accordance with the Tennessee Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-5-101 *et seq.* Randal L. Gilliam, serving as Hearing Officer, will conduct the hearings. All parties are entitled to be represented by counsel.

These hearings are scheduled for the purpose of hearing testimony regarding Atmos Energy Corporation's requests for approval of franchise agreements with Bedford and Johnson County, Tennessee and with Johnson City, Tennessee. Atmos Energy Corporation is hereby directed to file pre-filed testimony of all witnesses who will testify regarding the requests for approval of the franchise agreements. All pre-filed testimony shall be filed with the Office of the Chairman of the Authority no later than **2:00 p.m. on Monday, January 12, 2003.**

Any motion to change the date of these hearings or of the date for filing of pre-filed testimony must be made in writing and filed with the Office of the Chairman of the Authority not later than seven (7) days from the date of this Notice. A copy of any such motion must be served on all parties.

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Randal L. Gilliam, Hearing Officer

cc: Parties of Record