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IN RE:)
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FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND)
NECESSITY AND AUTHORITY TO CHARGE RATES IN)
HARDEMAN SPRINGS SUBDIVISION LOCATED IN)
WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE)

Docket No. 17-00014

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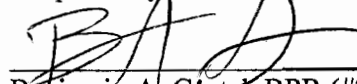
PRE-FILED DIRECT TESTIMONY OF MICHAEL J MYERS

Comes now the Petitioner in the above-styled action before the Tennessee Regulatory Authority and files the Pre-Filed Direct Testimony of Michael J. Myers in support of the contemporaneously filed Petition of Integra Water Tennessee, LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity and Authority To Charge Rates in Hardeman Springs Subdivision Located in Williamson County, Tennessee.

The testimony is identified below.

July 17, 2018
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Respectfully submitted,



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Q: Please state your name for the record and your position with the Petitioner, Integra Water Tennessee, LLC.

A: Michael J Myers, I am the Managing Member and President of Integra Water Tennessee, LLC

Q: Are you presenting testimony on behalf of Integra Water Tennessee, LLC?

A: Yes.

Q: Did you assist and cause the Petition to be filed in this proceeding requesting an Initial Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for Hardeman Springs Subdivision in Williamson County, Tennessee?

A: Yes

Q: Can you describe the service you propose to provide?

A: Yes, Integra Water Tennessee proposes to provide wastewater utility service to the planned 121 residential homes located in the Hardeman Springs Subdivision. We are anticipating 12 customers at the end of year 1 with eventual buildout of 121 residential homes. The Utility System will consist of a collection system that conveys the untreated wastewater from the home to a recirculating sand filter for treatment prior to disposing of the treated effluent to a subsurface drip irrigation system.

Q: How many customer will be served by the proposed system?

A: As stated above, the subdivision is planned for 121 residential homes.

Q: Do you operate any other systems in this area?

A: This is our second filing with the TRA in Tennessee. The first system has not yet gone on line but we anticipate it going into operation during the summer of 2017. Integra Water Tennessee, LLC's affiliated companies own and operate other water and wastewater utility systems in North Carolina and Alabama under the names Envirolink and Old North State Water Company in North Carolina and Integra Water in Alabama.

Q: Does Integra Water Tennessee possess the managerial, technical and financial ability to provide wastewater service in the area referred to in the Petition?

A: As stated above, this is the second submittal in Tennessee for Integra Water Tennessee. The Tennessee operation will be supported by Integra Water in Birmingham Alabama for customer service, billing, accounting and financial support. In addition, Integra Water Tennessee will be supported locally by Mr. Jamie Reed (SEC, Inc.) for engineering support, Mr. Cecil Brown for operational support and Mr. Benjamin Gastel for legal support.

In total these family of companies have been in the business of providing water and wastewater utility ownership and management of municipal owned and investor owned water and wastewater infrastructure since 1997 and have a staff of over 60 employees specializing in engineering, finance, accounting, operations and maintenance of water and wastewater facilities.

Q: Is there a public need for wastewater service in the area?

A: Yes. There are 31 planned residential homes for this community that will require wastewater service. As an investor owned utility with current operations in Alabama and North Carolina, we have the managerial, technical and financial resources to provide wastewater service to the service area.

Q: Is all the information contained in the Petition accurate to the best of your knowledge?

A: Yes, it is.

Q: Does Integra Water Tennessee intend on complying with all the Authority rules, statutes, and orders pertaining to the provision of wastewater service in Tennessee?

A: Yes. We have been fortunate to sustain significant growth over the years and have garnered an excellent reputation with state regulatory officials in all the areas we serve. We take our responsibility to provide water and wastewater utility service in an environmentally responsible manner very seriously, therefore we feel very comfortable in affirming that Integra Water Tennessee will comply with all the Authority rules, regulations and orders pertaining to the provision of providing wastewater service in Tennessee.

Q: Does this conclude your testimony?

A: Yes.

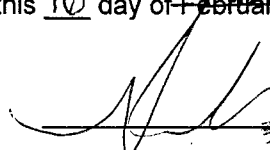
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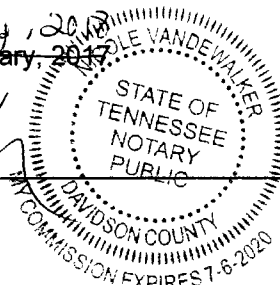
County of DAVIDSON)

Michael J Myers having been duly sworn, makes oath that the statements contained in the foregoing Pre-Filed Direct Testimony are true to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.


Michael J Myers

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me on this 16 day of ~~February~~ ^{July}, 2017.


Notary Public



My Commission Expires: _____

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was sent by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid and electronic mail on July 17, 2018 to the following:

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