BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

March 31, 2021

IN RE:)	
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PETITION OF TENNESSEE-AMERICAN)	DOCKET NO.
WATER COMPANY REGARDING THE 2021)	21-00006
PRODUCTION COSTS AND OTHER PASS-)	
THROUGHS RIDER)	

ORDER ESTABLISHING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

This matter is before the Hearing Officer of the Tennessee Public Utility Commission ("Commission" or "TPUC") to establish a procedural schedule for the orderly administration of these proceedings. On March 25, 2021, Tennessee-American Water Company ("TAWC" or the "Company") and the Consumer Advocate Unit in the Financial Division of the Office of the Attorney General ("Consumer Advocate"), the parties in this matter, filed the *Parties' Joint Proposed Procedural Schedule*. The goal and design of any procedural schedule is to efficiently move the proceedings forward to a hearing and final conclusion on the merits. Nevertheless, a procedural schedule's effectiveness directly depends on cooperation by the parties in meeting the individual benchmark dates. Based on the agreements made by TAWC and the Consumer Advocate regarding the procedural schedule, the Hearing Officer hereby establishes the Procedural Schedule set forth in Exhibit A attached to this Order.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED.

Monica Smith-Ashford, Hearing Officer

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PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

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Due Date	Filing/Activity
March 5, 2021	Consumer Advocate's 1st Discovery Request
March 25, 2021	TAWC's Response to 1st Discovery Request
April 5, 2021	Consumer Advocate's 2 nd Discovery Request
April 12, 2021	TAWC's Response to 2 nd Discovery Request
May 3, 2021	Consumer Advocate's Pre-Filed Testimony
May 24, 2021	TAWC's Pre-Filed Rebuttal Testimony
June 1, 2021	Pre-Hearing Motions
June 7, 2021	Pre-Hearing Telephone Status Conference
June 14, 2021	Target Hearing Date

- All filings shall be filed in the TPUC docket room by 2:00 p.m. (central) on the date due.
- Nothing herein restricts the parties from participating in additional informal discovery.
- ➤ Copies of all discovery exchanged between the parties shall be filed with TPUC within 3 business days of the exchange of information. All spreadsheets shall be filed in Excel format with working formulas intact.
- ➤ Any Pre-filed Testimony should include all supporting worksheets in Excel format with working formulas intact.
- ➤ Rebuttal Testimony should be limited only to issues raised in the Consumer Advocate's Direct Testimony and should include the page and line number of the Consumer Advocate's testimony that is being rebutted.