

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

May 18, 2021

IN RE:)	
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CHATTANOOGA GAS COMPANY PETITION)	DOCKET NO.
FOR APPROVAL OF ITS 2020 ANNUAL RATE)	21-00048
REVIEW FILING PURSUANT TO TENN. CODE)	
ANN. § 65-5-103 (d)(6))	

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 May 7, 2021, Chattanooga Gas Company (“CGC” or the “Company”) and the Consumer Advocate Unit in the Financial Division of the Office of the Attorney General (“Consumer Advocate” or “Intervenor”), the parties in this matter, filed the *Joint Filing of 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

PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

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Due Date	Filing/Activity
May 7, 2021	Intervenor's 1st Discovery Request
May 20, 2021	CGC's Response to 1st Discovery Request
May 24, 2021	Informal Discovery Meeting with all Parties (attendance optional)
May 28, 2021	Intervenor's 2nd Discovery Request
June 7, 2021	CGC's Response to 2nd Discovery
June 11, 2021	Informal Discovery Meeting (attendance optional)
June 25, 2021	Intervenor's Pre-Filed Testimony
July 1, 2021	CGC's 1st Discovery Request to Intervenor
July 12, 2021	Intervenor's Response to 1st Discovery Request
July 19, 2021	CGC's Pre-Filed Rebuttal Testimony
July 27, 2021	Pre-Hearing Motions
August 2, 2021	Pre-Hearing Conference
August 9, 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 Intervenor's Direct Testimony and should include the page and line number of the Intervenor's testimony that is being rebutted.