

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

June 11, 2024

IN RE:)	
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TENNESSEE WATER SERVICE, INC.)	DOCKET NO.
PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF ITS 2024)	24-00028
ANNUAL RATE REVIEW FILING)	
PURSUANT TO TENN. CODE ANN.)	
§ 65-5-103 (d)(6) AND REQUEST FOR)	
RATE STRUCTURE MODIFICATION)	

ORDER ESTABLISHING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

This matter came before the Administrative Judge of the Tennessee Public Utility Commission (“Commission” or “TPUC”) to establish a procedural schedule for the orderly administration of these proceedings. At the request of the Administrative Judge, on June 6, 2024, Tennessee Water Service, Inc. (“TWS” or the “Company”) and the Consumer Advocate Division of the Office of the Tennessee Attorney General (“Consumer Advocate”) filed a *Revised Joint Filing of Proposed Procedural Schedule* (“*Proposed Procedural Schedule*”) setting forth a proposed 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 TWS and the Consumer Advocate regarding the procedural schedule, the Administrative Judge 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/Deadline	Filing/Activity
April 30, 2024	TWS's Filing
May 20, 2024	Consumer Advocate's First Discovery Request
June 3, 2024	TWS's Response to First Discovery Request
June 10, 2024	Consumer Advocate's Second Discovery Request
June 17, 2024	TWS's Response to Second Discovery
July 1, 2024	Consumer Advocate's Pre-Filed Testimony
July 8, 2024	TWS's First Discovery Request
July 11, 2024	Consumer Advocate's Response to First Discovery Request
July 15, 2024	TWS's Pre-Filed Rebuttal Testimony
July 22, 2024	Settlement Deadline and/or Pre-Hearing Motions
August 5, 2024	Pre-Hearing Status Conference
August 12, 2024	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 voluntarily 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.
- For all spreadsheets, a copy shall be submitted in Excel format with working formulas intact. This includes spreadsheets that are exhibits to Pre-Filed Testimony.
- Rebuttal Testimony is 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.