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IN RE: INTEGRATED RESOURCE MANAGEMENT, INC. REQUEST

PURSUANT TO TPUC RULE 1220-04-13-.07(7) THE EMERGENCY

RELEASE OF ESCROW FUNDS

DOCKET NO.: 25-00051

DATE: JULY 21, 2025

On July 9, 2025, Integrated Resource Management, Inc. ("IRM") filed a request for an "emergency release of escrow funds for necessary non-routine expenditures incurred in 2025 to date." IRM states that its emergency request is made in accordance with the provisions of TPUC Rule 1220-04-13-.07(7). The emergency request seeks reimbursement for system repairs performed in March, April, and June 2025, totaling \$5,468.71. IRM's *Petition* states that the repairs performed were "necessary, urgent, and non-routine."

In relevant part, TPUC Rule 1220-04-13-.07(7) requires that, "[t]he utility must first receive authorization from the Commission via approved petition or, in emergency situations, authorization in writing from the Chairman of the Commission upon written request by a representative of the utility to use such funds." While the Rule does not define "emergency situations," in a previous docket, the Commission found that an emergency existed where a repair

 3 Id

⁴ Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs 1220-04-13-.07(7).

¹ Integrated Resource Management, Inc. Request Pursuant to TPUC Rule 1220-04-13-.07(7) the Emergency Release of Escrow Funds, p. 1 (July 9, 2025) ("*Petition*").

² *Id*.

required immediate attention. In that docket, DSH & Associates, LLC ("DSH") filed its emergency request for approval prior to the commencement of the repair.⁵

In the present docket, IRM has requested reimbursement for repairs that have already been performed a month or more before the request was filed. There is no impending emergency situation that demands the expeditious Commission Chair letter ruling contemplated in Commission Rule 1220-04-13-.07(7). Therefore, in accordance with the Notice Concerning Attorney Representation in Contested Case Proceedings Before the Commission published on August 28, 2023, IRM shall have its counsel enter an appearance in this docket. In addition, IRM shall file Pre-Filed Testimony in support of its *Petition*. To process the *Petition* expediently, IRM should file counsel's entry of appearance and Pre-Filed Testimony on or before August 1, 2025.

Aaron J. Conklin, Administrative Judge

⁵ See In re: DSH & Associates, LLC Emergency Request to Utilize Escrow Funds Pursuant to Commission Rule 1220-04-13-.07(7), Docket No. 23-00058, Tennessee Public Utility Commission Response to DSH & Associates, LLC Emergency Request to Utilize Escrow Funds Pursuant to Commission Rule 1220-04-13-.07(7) (August 11, 2023).

⁶ *Petition*, p. 1 (July 9, 2025).