

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
UTILITIES COMMISSION  
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. A-41, SUB 21

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of	)	
Village of Bald Head Island,	)	
Complainant,	)	ORDER ALLOWING IN PART
	)	AND DENYING IN PART
v.	)	RESPONDENTS' MOTION
	)	FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
Bald Head Island Transportation, Inc.,	)	TO RESPOND TO DATA
and Bald Head Island Limited, LLC,	)	REQUESTS
	)	
Respondents.	)	

BY THE PRESIDING COMMISSIONER: On June 29, 2022, Bald Head Island Transportation, Inc. (BHIT), and Bald Head Island Limited, LLC (BHIL, and collectively, Respondents), filed a Motion for Extension of Time to Respond to the Village of Bald Head Island's (VBHI or Complainant) First Data Requests to Bald Head Island Transportation, Inc., requesting a seven day extension from July 5, 2022, up through and including July 12, 2022, in which to do so.

In support, Respondents state that on June 22, 2022, VBHI served upon them its first set of data requests and that those data requests included 25 individual requests which also included sub-parts. Respondents explain that preparing responses will require detailed coordination between counsel and clients and the extension is not sought for purposes of delay. Respondents also state that they are working diligently, including through the coming holiday, to identify and gather information to support responses and produce responsive materials. Respondents state that they have consulted with counsel for VBHI and that due to the deadlines set out in the Commission's Scheduling Order, VBHI consents only to a two-and-a-half day extension — to noon on July 8, 2022 — conditioned upon any objections posed by Respondents being limited to standard objections for privileged materials. Respondents also state that they intend to file to objections by July 5, 2022, to the individual data requests to which Respondents do not intend to provide responsive materials. Respondents seek an extension only as to remaining requests to which they intend to provide a response.

The Presiding Commissioner concludes that good cause exists to grant Respondents' motion only in part. Given the holiday weekend, objections or responses to the requests are due on or before July 5, 2022, already 13 days after VBHI's first set of data requests were served upon Respondents. Considering the holiday weekend and VBHI's conditional consent to extend the time to respond to noon on July 8, 2022, the

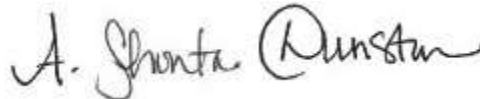
Presiding Commissioner concludes that it is appropriate to extend the time in which Respondents may respond to VBHI's first set of discovery requests by three calendar days. Respondents shall have up to and including 5:00 p.m. on July 8, 2022, in which to serve upon VBHI its responses and responsive materials to VBHI's first set of data requests. Any objections to the discovery requests continue to be due to be filed with the Commission on or before July 5, 2022.

IT IS, THEREFORE, SO ORDERED.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 30th day of June, 2022.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "A. Shonta Dunston". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

A. Shonta Dunston, Chief Clerk