STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. W-1333, SUB 0 DOCKET NO. W-1130, SUB 11

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of		
Application by Currituck Water and)	
Sewer, LLC, 4700 Homewood Court,)	
Suite 108, Raleigh, North Carolina)	
27609, and Sandler Utilities at Mill Run,)	PUBLIC STAFF'S
LLC, 448 Viking Drive, Suite 220,)	MOTION TO CONTINUE
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23452, for)	EVIDENTIARY HEARING
Authority to Transfer the Sandler)	
Utilities at Mill Run Wastewater System)	
and Public Utility Franchise in Currituck)	
County, North Carolina, and for)	
Approval of Rates)	

NOW COMES THE PUBLIC STAFF – North Carolina Utilities Commission (Public Staff), by and through its Executive Director, Christopher J. Ayers, and respectfully moves the Commission for a one-day continuance of the evidentiary hearing scheduled to commence on June 8, 2022 to and until 10:00 a.m. Thursday, June 9, 2022, to allow the Public Staff, Currituck Water and Sewer, LLC (Currituck), and Sandler Utilities at Mill Run, LLC (Sandler) (Currituck and Sandler are collectively referred to as the "Companies") to complete settlement negotiations in this proceeding. In support of this motion, the Public Staff respectfully shows the Commission the following:

1. On May 5, 2022, Currituck filed with the Commission a motion for three-week continuance of the evidentiary hearing previously scheduled by the Commission for May 9, 2022. The subject motion informed the Commission that

the parties to the dockets were engaged in discussions in an effort to resolve some or all of the contested outstanding issues and, if after three weeks, the parties were unable to reach agreement, any party could file a motion with the Commission to reschedule the hearing.

- 2. On May 6, 2022, the Commission issued an order continuing the expert witness hearing to 10 a.m. on Wednesday June 8, 2022, and continuing as necessary until its conclusion.
- 3. The parties to this proceeding are making significant progress toward reaching agreement on all issues in this proceeding and intend to file a Stipulation and Settlement Agreement by Monday, June 6, 2022.
- 4. In order to provide the Commission with adequate time to review and evaluate the proposed Stipulation, the Public Staff, therefore, respectfully requests that the Commission grant the parties a one-day continuance of the expert witness hearing to Thursday, June 9, 2022, at 10:00 a.m.
- 5. The Public Staff has consulted with counsel for Currituck and Sandler, and they do not object to this motion.
- 6. WHEREFORE, for the reasons set forth above, the Public Staff respectfully requests a one-day continuance of the evidentiary hearing presently scheduled to commence June 8, 2022, in this proceeding and grant any further relief as the Commission deems just and necessary.

Respectfully submitted this 3rd day of June, 2022.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that I have served a copy of the foregoing Motion upon each of the parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record by emailing them an electronic copy or by causing a paper copy of the same to be hand-delivered or deposited in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, properly addressed to each.

This the 3rd day of June, 2022.

Electronically submitted /s/ Gina C. Holt