

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
AQUA OHIO, INC. FOR AUTHORITY TO
ASSESS A SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT
CHARGE.

CASE NO. 19-567-WW-SIC

ENTRY

Entered in the Journal on May 22, 2019

{¶ 1} On March 4, 2019, Aqua Ohio, Inc. (Aqua) filed an application for authority to collect a system improvement charge (SIC) for water service in its Lake Erie Division, Masury Division, and the service areas formerly served by Ohio American Water Company, Mohawk Utilities, Inc., and Tomahawk Utilities, Inc.

{¶ 2} R.C. 4909.172 governs the procedure for consideration of an application for authority to collect a SIC.

{¶ 3} Aqua states that it is a public utility and a waterworks company, as those terms are defined in R.C. 4905.02(A) and 4905.03(G).

{¶ 4} By Entry issued March 25, 2019, the attorney examiner, among other things, invited any interested persons to file comments regarding Aqua's application by May 24, 2019.

{¶ 5} On May 22, 2019, Staff filed a motion requesting an extension of the filing deadline for comments. Staff avers that the application is still under review and additional time is needed for Staff to perform a thorough plant in-service investigation review. Staff proposes that comments be due by July 15, 2019. Additionally, Staff contends that the Ohio Consumers' Counsel does not object to the requested extension; however, Aqua opposes the requested extension. In order to afford Aqua an opportunity to respond to Staff's request, Aqua may file any memorandum contra by end of business on May 23, 2019.

{¶ 6} It is, therefore,

{¶ 7} ORDERED, That Aqua may file a memorandum contra to Staff's motion in accordance with Paragraph 5. It is, further,

{¶ 8} ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon all parties of record.

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/s/Lauren L. Augostini

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry setting date for memorandum contra to be filed electronically filed by Heather A Chilcote on behalf of Lauren L. Augostini, Attorney Examiner, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio