

BEFORE THE GUAM PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN RE: PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF) GWA'S THIRD FIVE-YEAR) FINANCIAL PLAN.)))))) _____)	GWA Docket 18-08 ORDER FOR PRELIMINARY SCHEDULING CONFERENCE
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On July 6, 2019, the Guam Waterworks Authority ["GWA"] filed its Petition for Approval of Guam Waterworks Authority's Five-Year Financial Plan and Rate Relief. On July 17, 2019, at 10:00a.m., GWA and the Georgetown Consultant Group ["GCG"], the regulatory consultant for the PUC, conducted a telephone conference with the Administrative Law Judge to discuss procedures for the establishment of a schedule to address and resolve the rate case.

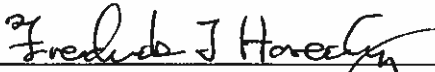
GCG stated that it would provide a proposed scheduling plan to GWA. It has now done so. GWA has requested that the telephone conference, previously scheduled for July 24, 2019, at 9:00a.m. be rescheduled for July 26, 2019, at 9:00 a.m.

In accordance with the foregoing, the Administrative Law Judge hereby issues the following ORDER FOR PRELIMINARY SCHEDULING CONFERENCE as follows:

1. The telephone scheduling conference shall be held at the 9:00a.m. on July 26, 2019.
2. GWA has been presented with a proposed scheduling plan by GCG; at the scheduling conference, it shall provide any comments on the proposed plan and its position on scheduling matters.
3. During the telephone conference, the Parties shall discuss and attempt to resolve any issues concerning the scheduling of this rate case. Such issues include, but are not necessarily limited to, the following:
 - (a) Status of issue as to whether the Navy will be an intervener in this proceeding;
 - (b) The schedule for issuance of Requests for Information, deadline for response dates, and issuance of any supplemental RFIs;
 - (c) Holding of a discovery conference between the Parties;
 - (d) Procedure for Identification and narrowing of rate case issues between the Parties;
 - (e) Submission of testimony by GCG;

- (f) Submission of RFIs by GWA, and response dates;
 - (g) Evidentiary hearings before the ALJ, if necessary;
 - (h) Village hearings (north, central, and south), and issuance of notice of hearings;
 - (i) ALJ Decision; and
 - (j) PUC Meeting date and issuance of Final Rate Order.
4. The Parties may raise any other issues relevant to the scheduling of this case during the telephone conference, including the scheduling of subsequent conferences and possible face to face meetings.

So Ordered this 23rd day of July, 2019.



Frederick J. Horecky
Chief Administrative Law Judge