

BEFORE THE  
LOUISIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

cc: PR

ASCENSION WATER COMPANY  
EX PARTE

DOCKET NO. S-37375

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*In re: Request for Letter of Non-Opposition for Increase in Flow-Through Rates.*

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NOW BEFORE the Louisiana Public Service Commission (“Commission” or “LPSC”), through undersigned counsel, comes Ascension Water Company (“AWC,” “Company,” or “Applicant”), who avers as follows:

1.

AWC is a Louisiana public utility providing safe and reliable water service in Ascension Parish, Louisiana.

2.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Louisiana Constitution, Article IV, Section 21, when a public utility files a proposed rate schedule that would result in a change in rates, it is required to give notice of such application by publication in the official state journal and in the official journal of each parish within the geographic area in which the schedule would become applicable.

3.

On September 9, 2024, AWC filed a Request for Letter of Non-Opposition for Increase in Flow-Through Rates (“Application”) with the Commission. Due to the increase in flow-through rates of wholesale water purchased by AWC, and out of an abundance of caution, Applicant caused to be published in the official State Journal and the official journal of the effected Parish of Ascension the notice of filing of Applicant’s Application.

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4.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "A" *in globo*, and incorporated herein by reference, are the official notices of publication issued by the official journals described hereinabove, along with the date of publication, which are as follows:

<b>Parish</b>	<b>Name of Official Journal</b>	<b>Date of Publication</b>
Ascension	<i>Gonzales Weekly Citizen</i>	September 19, 2024
STATE OF LOUISIANA	<i>The Advocate</i>	September 12, 2024

**WHEREFORE**, Ascension Water Company prays that this filing be accepted, and that the material attached hereto be filed into the record of this matter and for all other just and equitable relief.

**Respectfully submitted,**

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have on this 26<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2024, served copies of the foregoing pleading upon all known parties to this proceeding by U.S. Mail, email, facsimile, and/or hand delivery.

  
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JOHN N. GRINTON

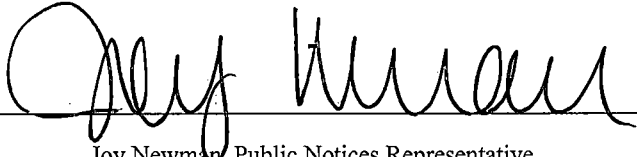
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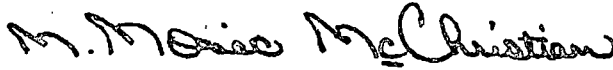


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Joy Newman, Public Notices Representative

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Ascension Water Company ("Ascension") filed with the Louisiana Public Service Commission ("LPSC") a Request for Letter of Non-Opposition for Increase in Flow-Through Rates seeking to update the flow-through rate for water purchased from the Baton Rouge Water Company. If approved, Ascension will be authorized to amend its tariff to reflect the increase in the flow-through rate referenced above, effective immediately. This request affects Ascension's customers located in Ascension Parish. The water purchased from the Baton Rouge Water Company will increase to \$0.645 per 1,000 gallons. Customers can contact the Louisiana Public Service Commission with questions or comments at (225) 342-4404.

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