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# N O T I C E

OPEN MEETING OF THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

Tuesday, June 28, 2022

9:00 a.m.

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Hearing Room One
1200 W. Washington St.
Phoenix, AZ 85007

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**NOTE:** The Commission may choose to take testimony under oath.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Invocation/Reflection**

**Ceremonial Matters**

## CHAIRWOMAN'S PROPOSED CONSENT AGENDA

1. **Elliott Financial Group, Inc. et al.** (S-21128A-20-0316)Notice of Opportunity for Hearing Regarding Proposed Order to Cease and Desist, Order of Restitution, Order Assessing Administrative Penalties, Order of Revocation, and Order for Other Affirmative Action.

2. **Blockfi Lending, LCC.** (S-21193A-22-0121) Proposed Order to Cease and Desist, Order for Administrative Penalties and Consent to Same

3. **ICA Financial Services, LLC *et al.*** (S-21181A-22-0047) – Proposed Order to Cease and Desist, Restitution, Revocation, for Administrative Penalties and Consent to Same by: Respondents Arthur Hoffman and ICA Financial Services, LLC.

4. **Feneck Consulting Group, LLC *et al.*** (S-21191A-22-0112) – Proposed Order to Cease and Desist, Restitution, for Administrative Penalties and Consent to Same by: John V. Feneck and Feneck Consulting Group a/k/a Feneck Consulting.

5. **Arizona Corporation Commission (Railroad Safety)** (RR-00000A-21-0389) – In the Matter of the 2022 Grade Crossing Array.

6. **ExteNet Asset Entity, LLC** (T-21071A-21-0296) - In the Matter of the Application of ExteNet Asset Entity, LLC for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to Provide Private Line Point-to-Point Fiber Transport Service for Wireless Providers.

7. **Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc.** (T-01847A-22-0038) – Application of Valley Telephone Cooperative Inc. to Approve Long-Term Financing.

8. **Lagoon Estates Water Company, Inc.** (W-01825A-21-0324 & W-01825A-20-0270 ) In the Matter of the Application of Lagoon Estates Water Company, Inc., for Approval of a Financing Application.

9. **Southwest Gas Corporation** (G-01551A-22-0104) – In the Matter of the Application of Southwest Gas Corporation for Approval to Adjust the Delivery Charge Adjustment (DCA) Rate to Reflect the Current Balance in the DCA Account.

10. **Joshua Valley Utility Company** (W-02023A-22-0024) – In the Matter of the Application of Joshua Valley Utility Company for Approval of its Application for Extension of Certificate of Convenience and Necessity.

11. **Valley Pioneers Water Company, Inc.** (W-02033A-20-0274) – In the Matter of the Application of Valley Pioneers Water Company, Inc. for Authority to Incur Long-Term Debt. Request to Amend Decision No. 77985 Pursuant to A.R.S § 40-252 with Notice and Opportunity to be Heard.

12. **Valley Utilities Water Company, Inc.** (W-01412A-18-0340) – Motion for Extension of Time to File its Next Rate Case Pursuant to A.R.S § 40-252 with Notice and Opportunity to be Heard.

13. **Bradshaw Water Company, Inc. (**W-02476A-19-0308 & W-02476A-20-0065**) –** In the Matter of the Applications of Bradshaw Water Company, Inc. for Approval of a Rate Increase and Financing Authority; Application to Extend a deadline in Decision No. 77903 Pursuant to A.R.S. 40-252 with Notice and Opportunity to Be Heard.

14. **Bradshaw Water Company, Inc.** (W-02476A-22-0056) – In the Matter of the Application of Bradshaw Water Company, Inc. for an Emergency Rate Increase.

15. **Halcyon Acres Water Users Association** (W-01953A-21-0343) – In the Matter of the Application of Halcyon Acres Water Users Association, Inc. for Approval of a Rate Increase.

16. **Arizona Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.** (E-01773A-22-0094) – In the Matter of the Application of Arizona Electric Power Cooperatives, Inc. to Amend Two Committed Revolving Lines of Credit.

17. **Graham County Electric Cooperative, Inc**. (E-01749A-22-0023) – In the Matter of the Application of Graham County Electric Cooperative, Inc. for Approval of its Application for Extension of Certificate of Convenience and Necessity.

18. **Tucson Electric Power Company** (E-01933A-20-0197) – Request for Extension of Time Regarding its Application for Approval of its 2021 Renewable Energy Standard Implementation Plan.

19. **Arizona Public Service Company** (E-01345A-22-0105) – In the Matter of the Application of Arizona Public Service Company for Approval of its Revised Rate Rider Resource Comparison Proxy.

20. **Arizona Public Service Company** (E-01345A-21-0203) – In the Matter of the Application for Approval of an Agreement Form Governing "Option A" Green Power Purchases.

21. **Arizona Public Service Company** (E-01345A-19-0236) **–** In the Matter of the Application for Approval of New Residential Electric Vehicle Charging Rate Schedule.

22. **Atlas Solar, LLC** (L-21187A-22-0078-00202) **–** In the Matter of the Application of Atlas Solar, LLC in Conformance with the Requirements of Arizona Revised Statutes 40-360, ET. SEQ., for Certificates of Environmental Compatibility Authorizing the Atlas Solar Tie Line Project in La Paz County, Arizona. (CEC-1 & CEC-2). Commission Approval of Legal Division Sample Order 1.

23. **Sunzia Transmission, LLC.** (L-00000YY-15-0318-00171) **–** In the Matter of the Application of SunZia Transmission, LLC, in Conformance with the Requirements of Arizona Revised Statutes 40-360, et. seq., for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility Authorizing the SunZia Southwest Transmission Project, which Includes the Construction of Two New 500kV Transmission Lines and Associated Facilities Originating at a New Substation (SunZia East) in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and Terminating at the Pinal Central Substation in Pinal County, Arizona. The Arizona Portion of the Project is Located within Graham, Greenlee, Cochise, Pinal and Pima Counties**.** Application to Amend Decision No. 75464 Pursuant to A.R.S § 40-252 with Notice and Opportunity to be Heard.

## REGULAR AGENDA

24. **Citizens Telecommunications Company of the White Mountains, d.b.a. Frontier Communications of the White Mountains, et al.** (T-03214A-21-0198 *et al.*) – Investigation of the Frontier Companies ("Frontier") in Arizona Regarding 9-1-1 Outages and the Adequacy of Frontier's Equipment and Facilities.

**Item Nos. 25 through 27 will be heard together.**

25. **Citizens Telecommunications Company of the White Mountains, d.b.a. Frontier Communications of the White Mountains, *et al.*; Arizona Corporation Commission**

(T-03214A-17-0305 & T-01954B-21-0334 *et al.*) – In the Matter of the Application of Citizens Telecommunications Company of the White Mountains, Inc. for a Streamlined Review of Existing Rates. In the Matter of Citizens Telecommunications Company of the White Mountains, Inc. d/b/a Frontier Communications of the White Mountains (Frontier), *et al.* to Classify and Regulate Retail Local Exchange Telecommunications Services as Competitive, and to Classify and Deregulate Certain Services as Non-essential. Commission Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Vote to Determine the Best Course of Action and Procedural Steps to Address the Company's Continued Disbursement of Arizona Universal Service Fund Dollars in Docket No. 17-0305 and Docket No. 21-0334.

26. **Arizona Corporation Commission** (RT-00000H-97-0137) – In the Matter of the Notice of Proposed Amendments to the Arizona Universal Service Fund. Commission Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Vote to Amend Decision No. 78358 Pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-252 with Notice and Opportunity to be Heard to (1) set all future monthly Arizona Universal Service Fund Surcharge for Category One Providers to $0.000000 per Access Line and $0.000000 per Interconnecting Trunk Line and (2) set all Future Monthly Arizona Universal Service Fund Surcharge for Category Two Providers at 0.000000 Percent of Intrastate Toll Revenues.

27. **Arizona Corporation Commission** (T-00000A-20-0336) – In the Matter of Commission Investigation into Possible Modification to the Arizona Universal Service Fund High-Cost Fund Rules. Commission Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Vote to Direct Staff to Initiate and Conduct Rulemaking to Repeal the Arizona Universal Service Fund High-Cost Fund Rules (A.A.C. R14-2-A1201 *et seq.*).

**Item No. 28 will not be heard prior to 11:00 a.m. on June 28, 2022**

28. **Global Water Resources, Inc.** (SW-20445A-20-0214 *et al.*) – In the Matter of the Applications of Global Water-Palo Verde Utilities Company, Inc., Global Water-Red Rock Utilities, LLC, Global Water-Northern Scottsdale Water Company, Inc., Global Water-Turner Ranches irrigation, LLC, Balterra Sewer Corp., Eagletail Water Company, LLC, Hassayampa Utilities Company, Inc., Global Water- Picacho Cove Utilities Company, Inc., Water Utility of Greater Tonopah, LLC, Global Water-Santa Cruz Water Company, LLC, Global Water-Picacho Cove Water Company, LLC, for the Establishment of Just and Reasonable Rates and Charges for Utility Service Designed to Realize a Reasonable Rate of Return on the Fair Value of their Property and for Certain Related Approvals.

29. **EPCOR Water Arizona, Inc.** (WS-01303A-21-0398) – In the matter of the application of EPCOR Water Arizona, Inc., an Arizona Corporation, to Extend its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity for its Luke 303 Wastewater District.

**Item No. 30 will not be heard prior to 1:00 p.m. on June 28, 2022**

30. **Tucson Electric Power Company** (L-00000C-11-0400-00164) – In the Matter of the Application of Tucson Electric Power Company for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility Authorizing the Construction of a 138kV Transmission Line and Associated Facilities from the Proposed Toro Switchyard, Section 29, Township 17 South, Range 14

East to the Rosemont Substation, at Section 30, Township 18 South, Range 16 East, each Located within Pima County, Arizona.

31. **Tucson Electric Power Company** (E-01933A-20-0116) – In the Matter of the Application of Tucson Electric Power Company for Approval of its Distributed Generation Interconnection Manual.

32. **Arizona Public Service Company** (E-01345A-20-0152) **–** In the Matter of the Application for Approval of Arizona Public Service Company's Distributed Generation Interconnection Manual. Commission Discussion and Update from Commission Utilities Division Staff but No Vote Regarding the Status of Staff's Review and Proposed Timeline from Processing and Evaluating Arizona Public Service Company's Arizona Public Service Company's Revised Interconnection Manual, Submitted on May 9, 2022.

33. **Arizona Public Service Company** (E-01345A-21-0240) **–** Commission Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Vote Regarding a 30-Year Power Purchase Agreement between Arizona Public Service Company and Arizona Solar One, LLC for the Purchase of Above-Market Priced Renewable Energy from Solana Generating Station.

34. **Arizona Corporation Commission** (W-99999A-21-0313) – In the Matter of the Arizona Corporation Commission's Creation of the Water Task Force.

35. **Arizona Corporation Commission** (E-00000A-22-0149) **–** Arizona Corporation Commission Docket for the Purpose of Tracking Arizona Investor-Owned Utilities' Progress Toward Achieving 100 Percent Clean Energy in Arizona. Commission Discussion and Possible Direction to Staff to Utilize the Docket as Set Forth in Chairwoman Lea Márquez Peterson's Letter Filed June 7, 2022.

36. **Arizona Corporation Commission** (E-00000A-22-0103) – In the Matter of Establishing a Commission Policy for the Development and Integration of Competitive Community Solar and Community Energy Storage Projects in Arizona. Opportunity to Receive Technical Assistance from National Renewable Energy Laboratory.

37. **Arizona Corporation Commission** (AU-00000A-16-0141) – In the Matter of Inquiry into Commission Policies. Commission Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Vote to Direct Staff to Issue a Conforming Order Establishing an Annual or Quarterly Economic Preparedness Meeting, as Described in Chairwoman Lea Márquez Peterson's Letter on June 7, 2022. The Commission May Vote to hold an Executive Session, which will not be Open to the Public, for the Purpose of Legal Advice Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A) (3) and (4).

38. **Arizona Corporation Commission –** Commission Discussion, Consideration, and Recap of Items or Requests to be Included on the Next Regular Open Meeting Agenda; Opportunity for Commissioners to Request Specific Items be Included on the Next Regular Open Meeting.

***Note from Chairwoman Lea Márquez Peterson:*** The following item, previously placed on the "Preliminary Agenda" will be placed on a Regular Open Meeting, Continency Open Meeting, or Special Open Meeting in July:

- **Arizona Corporation Commission** (RE-00000A-22-0029) – In the Matter of Possible Rulemaking for the Adoption of All-Source Requests for Proposals and Integrated Resource Planning Rules.