

PUC Public Meeting Summary

A Public Meeting Summary for 12/19/13



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Approved applications for Crown Energy Services Inc.; Oasis Energy; H&S Limousine Service Inc. (Bucks and Montgomery counties); Alpha Gas and Electric LLC; Supreme Energy Inc.; Walk's Moving (Blair County); OnCall Care LLC (Cumberland and Dauphin counties); Emissions Consult LLC; Mark Group Inc.; PTM Transportation LLC; Goldstar Energy Group Inc.; Tri-Valley Water Supply Inc.; Better Cost Energy LLC; Borough of Columbia; Broadvox-CLEC LLC; Pennsylvania American Water Co. (Butler County); and Trans National Communications International Inc.

Approved an application with conditions for Great American Power LLC.

Approved the license amendment for America Approved Commercial LLC.

Approved an application for discontinuance or abandonment of service for The Royal Bank of Scotland PLC.

Issued the Final Order regarding the conclusions and disposition of the Gas Beyond the Mains programs of **jurisdictional natural gas distribution companies.**

Approved the low bid received for outside legal services for human resources-related activities.

Adopted the proposed opinions and orders approving the settlement agreement for **Public Power LLC** pertaining to alleged erroneous customer enrollments; denying the exceptions and adopting the ALJ's initial decision in the case of Barbara Pezzuto vs. **Metropolitan Edison Co.**; denying the exceptions, in part, and granting them, in part, adopting the administrative law judge's (ALJ) recommended decision, as

modified, and adopting the settlement without modification for **Pennsylvania American Water Co.** tariff filing; denying the complainant's petition in Lisa Martin vs. **PECO Energy Co.**; denying the complainant's exceptions, adopting the initial decision and dismissing the complaint with prejudice in Fred Wilson vs. **Columbia Gas of PA Inc.**; denying the petition of Elizabeth Borough (**Allegheny County**) to approve a posting of the pertinent bridge for maximum loads; granting the joint petition for **CenturyLink** and **Lumos Networks**; granting the joint petition for **Frontier Communications** and **American Broadband**; adopting the ALJ's recommended decision, as modified, for **Core Communications Inc.** petition for arbitration; denying the exceptions and adopting the ALJ's initial decision for the **UGI Penn Natural Gas Co.** petition for a finding that structures to shelter pipeline facilities in West Wyoming Borough (**Luzerne County**), to the extent considered to be buildings under local zoning rules, are reasonably necessary for the convenience or welfare of the public; granting reconsideration pending review of, and consideration on, the merits of the petition in the case of Kisha Dorsey vs. **Philadelphia Gas Works**; approving the settlement for a lower rate increase than requested by **Peoples TWP LLC.**

Adopted the proposed orders granting the petition for **United Water Pennsylvania** for its distribution system improvement charge; and updating the Technical Reference Manual to assess energy savings per the **Alternative Energy Portfolio Standards Act.**

Adopted the proposed tentative orders approving the 2014-16 Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan for **Duquesne Light Co.** and revoking the



certificate of public convenience held by **Affordable Voice Communications Inc.**

Approved the proposed rate increases for the Verizon Pennsylvania LLC 2014 Annual Price Change Opportunity Filing and Tariff Changes to Telephone Tariff Pa. P.U.C. Nos. 180A, 182, 182A, 185B, 185C and 304, and the **Verizon North LLC** 2014 Annual Price Change Opportunity Filing and Tariff Changes to Telephone Tariff Pa. P.U.C. Nos. 1, 3, 5 and 6;

Approved the 911 system renewal plans for Westmoreland County; Adams County; and Tioga County.

Adopted the ALJ's initial decision dismissing the complaint in Vincent Wagner vs. **UGI Utilities Gas Inc. – Gas Division**, and granting the preliminary objections and dismissing the complaint in Jennie Carter Harris vs. **Philadelphia Gas Works**.

Adopted the motion of Commissioner Brown in the case of Stephen Merrigan vs. **PECO Energy Co.**