



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

March 19, 2020

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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary  
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission  
Commonwealth Keystone Building  
400 North Street  
Harrisburg, PA 17120

**Re: Petition for Expedited Approval of PGW's Letter to Request to Amend its Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan Pursuant to 2019 Amendments to Policy Statement / Docket No. M-2019-3012599**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Enclosed please find the Notice of Intervention, Public Statement, and Verification, on behalf of the Office of Small Business Advocate ("OSBA"), in the above-captioned proceeding.

Copies will be served on all known parties in this proceeding, as indicated on the attached Certificate of Service.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Sharon E. Webb".

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*Enclosures*

cc: Robert D. Knecht  
Parties of Record

**BEFORE THE  
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

**Petition for Expedited Approval of Philadelphia :**  
**Gas Works' Letter to Amend its Universal :**  
**Service and Energy Conservation Plan Pursuant :**     **Docket No. M-2019-3012599**  
**To 2019 Amendments to Policy Statement :**           **Docket No. P-2020-3018867**  
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**NOTICE OF INTERVENTION  
OF THE OFFICE OF SMALL BUSINESS ADVOCATE**

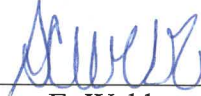
The Office of Small Business Advocate (“OSBA”) files this Notice of Intervention with respect to Philadelphia Gas Works Letter Request to Amend its Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan Pursuant to 2019 Amendments to Policy Statement at Docket No. M-2019-3012559. In support of this Notice of Intervention, the OSBA avers as follows:

1.       The OSBA is an agency of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania authorized by the Small Business Advocate Act (Act 181 of 1988, 73 P.S. §§ 399.41 - 399.50) to represent the interest of small business consumers as a party in proceedings before the Commission.

2.       Representing the OSBA in this proceeding is:

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Respectfully submitted,



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business customers pay a portion of the costs of the PGW's universal service programs.


The Commission's decision in the above-captioned proceeding will affect the rates of small business customers. Therefore, the Small Business Advocate will participate in the instant proceeding before the Commission to protect the interests of PGW's small business customers.

Dated: March 19, 2020

**VERIFICATION**

I, John R. Evans, hereby state that the facts set forth herein above are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief and that I expect to be able to prove the same at a hearing held in this matter. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. § 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities).

Date: 03/19/2020

  
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(Signature)

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Service and Energy Conservation Plan  
Pursuant to 2019 Amendments to Policy  
Statement** :  
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: **P-2020-3018867**  
: **M-2019-3012599**  
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that true and correct copies of the foregoing have been served via email (*unless other noted below*) upon the following persons, in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

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