**BEFORE THE**

**PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Petition of Philadelphia Gas Works for :

Approval of Demand-Side Management :

Plan for FY 2021-2023 :

: P-2014-2459362

Philadelphia Gas Works Universal Service :

and Energy Conservation Plan for 2014-2016, :

52 Pa.Code § 62.4 – Request for Waivers :

**PREHEARING CONFERENCE ORDER**

On May 7, 2020, Philadelphia Gas Works (PGW or Respondent) filed its Implementation Plan which details the program budgets and implementation of PGW’s EnergySense Demand-Side Management Portfolio from September 1, 2020 to August 31, 2023. Within the 2021-2023 Implementation Plan, PGW proposes to continue four of the existing five Demand-Side Management (DSM) programs: (1) Residential Equipment Rebates Program; (2) Commercial Equipment Rates Program; (3) Residential Constructions Grant Program; and (4) the online Smart Thermostat Marketplace Program.

On June 5, 2020, the Office of Consumer Advocate (OCA), through its counsel, filed a Notice of Intervention and Public Statement. The OCA filed a corresponding Notice of Appearance on September 1, 2020.

On September 1, 2020, the Office of Small Business Advocate (OSBA), through its counsel, filed a Notice of Intervention, Public Statement, and Notice of Appearance.

On September 2, 2020, the Coalition for Affordable Utility Services and Energy Efficiency in Pennsylvanis (CAUSE-PA), through its counsel, filed a Petition to Intervene.

A telephonic prehearing conference will be held on Thursday, September 10, 2020, at 10:00 a.m. To participate in the hearing, you must dial the toll-free number listed below. You will be prompted to enter a Passcode Participant number, which is also listed below.

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| **Toll-free Conference Number:** | **1-877-874-1047** |
| **Passcode Participant Number:** | **11738422** |

The Commission's regulation concerning prehearing conferences in a nonrate proceeding is located at 52 Pa. Code § 5.222. We will discuss the following:

1. Whether PGW intends to file Petition to Extend it’s current DSM;
2. A proposed plan and schedule of discovery;
3. Possibility of settlement;
4. Issues;
5. Amount of hearing time needed;
6. Witnesses;
7. Schedule for submission of testimony, hearings and briefs; and
8. Any other appropriate matter.

Counsel should submit a prehearing memorandum addressing the agenda items to me on or before noon on Wednesday, September 9, 2020.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Commission offices are currently closed, and I do not have access to regular mail. Therefore, all documents must be emailed to me ([fbrady@pa.gov](mailto:fbrady@pa.gov)) and to my Legal Assistant ([pmcneal@pa.gov](mailto:pmcneal@pa.gov)). A copy of the Commission’s current service list of all parties (with available email addresses) is attached to this Order.

ORDER

THEREFORE,

IT IS ORDERED:

1. That the parties shall comply with the procedural rules and regulations discussed herein.

Date: September 2, 2020 /s/

F. Joseph Brady

Administrative Law Judge

**P-2014-2459362 - PETITION OF PHILADELPHIA GAS WORKS FOR APPROVAL OF DEMAND-SIDE MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR FY 2016-2020, AND PHILADELPHIA GAS WORKS UNIVERSAL SERVICE AND ENERGY CONSERVATION PLAN FOR 2014-2016, 52 PA. CODE § 62.4 – REQUEST FOR WAIVERS**

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