

July 21, 2021

*Via Electronic Filing*

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

In re: Formal Complaint Docket No. C-2021-3027361  
Office of Small Business Advocate  
v. The Borough of Hanover – Hanover Municipal Waterworks

Rate Case Docket No. R-2021-3026116  
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission  
v. The Borough of Hanover – Hanover Municipal Waterworks

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

We are counsel to the Borough of Hanover (“Borough”) in the above matters which include the Formal Complaint of the Office of Small Business Advocate, at Complaint Docket No. C-2021-3027361 (“OSBA Complaint”) relating to the Borough’s general rate filing at Rate Case Docket No. R-2021-3026116. By Secretarial letter dated July 20, 2021, you formally served a copy of the OSBA Complaint on us indicating by reference to § 5.61(d) that the Complaint would be heard in conjunction with the City’s general rate proceeding at Rate Case Docket No. R-2021-3026116. No answer to the OSBA Complaint is required by 52 Pa. Code § 5.61(d) unless directed by the Commission or the presiding officer. No filing direction has been issued by either the Commission or a presiding officer, and the Borough, accordingly, is not planning on filing an answer to the Complaint unless later directed to do so. Please advise if anything further is needed in regard to the matter.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS, NIESEN & THOMAS, LLC

By 

Thomas T. Niesen

cc: Certificate of Service  
R. Samuel Miller (via email)

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have this 21<sup>st</sup> day of July 2021, served a true and correct copy of the foregoing letter, upon the person and in the manner set forth below:

**VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL**

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