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May 6, 2026

A-6428901  
A-2026-3062191

HAPPY VALLEY HOPS & VINES TOURS LLC  
128 E CHURCH STREET  
CENTRE HALL PA 16828

**RE: Application of Happy Valley Hops & Vines Tours LLC**

To Whom It May Concern:

On May 1, 2026, the application of Happy Valley Hops & Vines Tours LLC, at A-2026-3062191, as a motor carrier was accepted for filing and docketed with the Public Utility Commission. In order for the Commission to proceed with the application, additional information is required.

Please forward the information to the Secretary of the Commission at the following address **within ten (10) working days** from the date of this letter.

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

**ALL Parties to proceedings pending before the Commission are advised to open and use an e-filing account through the Commission's website, OR you may submit your filing by overnight delivery. If a filing contains confidential or proprietary material, the filing is required to be submitted by overnight delivery.**

**Your answers should be verified per 52 Pa Code § 1.36.** Accordingly, you must provide the following statement with your responses:

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby state that the facts above set forth 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).

The blank should be filled in with the name of the appropriate company representative, and the signature of that representative should follow the statement.

Failure to comply with this request within 10 working days from the date of this letter will result in the denial of the application.

Please direct any questions to David Canzoneri, Bureau of Technical Utility Services at (717) 346-9738. Faxed or emailed filings are **not** accepted.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Matthew L. Homsher".

Matthew L. Homsher  
Secretary

Enclosure

Docket No. A-2026-3062191  
Happy Valley Hops & Vines Tours LLC

Request for Information

- 1.) You failed to adequately answer all aspects of question #5 of the Verified Statement of Applicant. **Please review Title 52 Pa Code §29.501-509 Driver Regulations** to see what is required of motor carriers.
  - a. Please explain your hiring standards for drivers; (**Title 52 Pa Code §29.503 – Age Restrictions**)
    - i. Are there any age restrictions?
  - b. Your system for conducting criminal background checks; (**Title 52 Pa Code §29.505 – Criminal History**)
    - i. How often will you conduct criminal background checks?
    - ii. What type of things in their criminal background check would disqualify them from employment?
    - iii. How will you maintain records (record retention) of the criminal background checks performed?
  - c. Your system for conducting driver license/history checks; (**Title 52 Pa Code §29.504 – Driver History**)
    - i. How often will you conduct driver license/history checks?
      1. You mentioned in your application that these checks would be conducted on a “periodic” basis. Please define what you mean by periodic.
    - ii. How will you maintain records (record retention) of such checks?
- 2.) In your Statement of Financial Position you stated that the ownership plan on contributing \$10,000 in startup funds. For these funds to be part of the LLC’s financial position then they need to be deposited into the LLC’s accounts. If you have not fully funded and equipped the business, now is the time to do so (before re-submitting your corrections). Applicants lacking suitable finances, resources, and equipment will be denied authority.
  - a. Please provide supporting documentation that the \$10,000 in startup funds have been deposited into the business’s accounts. Acceptable means of support include current copies of bank statements (account numbers may be redacted), and notarized/official statements of account balances/ownership provided by bank officers (with current contact information).