



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

May 21, 2026

The Honorable Emily DeVoe
Administrative Law Judge
PA Public Utility Commission
Office of Administrative Law Judge
Piatt Place
301 Fifth Avenue, Suite 220
Pittsburgh, PA 15222

The Honorable Ann Quimby
Administrative Law Judge
PA Public Utility Commission
Office of Administrative Law Judge
Piatt Place
301 Fifth Avenue, Suite 220
Pittsburgh, PA 15222

Re: Joint Application of American Water Works Company, Inc., Essential Utilities, Inc., Aqua Pennsylvania, Inc., Aqua Pennsylvania Wastewater, Inc., Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC, and Alpha Merger Sub, Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience under Sections 1102(a)(3) and 2210(c) of the Public Utility Code and All Other Necessary Approvals to Effect a Change of Control of Aqua Pennsylvania, Inc., Aqua Pennsylvania Wastewater, Inc., and Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC / Docket Nos. A-2025-3058927; A-2025-3058928; A-2025-3058929

Dear Judge DeVoe and Judge Quimby:

Enclosed please find the Direct Testimony and Exhibit of Celia Hashlamoun, labelled OSBA Statement No. 2, with associated Exhibit ES-1, on behalf of the Office of Small Business Advocate ("OSBA"), in the above-referenced proceedings.

As evidenced by the enclosed Certificate of Service, all known parties will be served, as indicated.

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

Sincerely,

/s/ Steven C. Gray

Steven C. Gray
Senior Attorney
Assistant Small Business Advocate
Attorney I.D. No. 77538

Enclosures

cc: PA PUC Secretary Matthew L. Homsher (Cover Letter & Certificate of Service Only)
Celia Hashlamoun
Kevin C. Higgins
Joseph Kubas
Parties of Record

Kimberly A. Joyce, Esquire
Essential Utilities Inc.
762 W. Lancaster Ave
Bryn Mawr, PA 19010
Kajoyce@essential.co

Kenneth M. Kulak, Esquire
Mark A. Lazaroff, Esquire
Catherine G. Vasudevan, Esquire
Brooke E. McGlinn, Esquire
Morgan, Lewis & Bockius, LLP
2222 Market Street
Philadelphia, PA 19103-3007
ken.kulak@morganlewis.com
mark.lazaroff@morganlewis.com
catherine.vasudevan@morganlewis.com
brooke.mcglinn@morganlewis.com

Anthony D. Kanagy, Esquire
Garrett P. Lent, Esquire
Hayley E. Wilburn, Esquire
Emily S. Grecu, Esquire
Post & Schell P.C.
17 North Second Street, Suite 500
Harrisburg, PA 17101
akanagy@postschell.com
glent@postschell.com
hwilburn@postschell.com
egrecu@postschell.com

Ria M. Pereira, Esquire
Lauren N. Berman, Esquire
Elizabeth R. Marx, Esquire
John W. Sweet, Esquire
Levi A. Phillips, Esquire
Pennsylvania Utility Law Project
118 Locust Street
Harrisburg, PA 17101
pulp@putilitylawproject.org

Meagan Moore, Esquire
PNG Companies LLC
375 North Shore Drive, Suite 600
Pittsburgh, PA 15212
meagan.moore@peoples-gas.com

Alexander R. Stahl, Esquire
Aqua Pennsylvania, Inc.
762 W. Lancaster Ave
Bryn Mawr, PA 19010
Astahl@aquaamerica.com

Maureen B. Carlton, Esquire
Andrew P. Griffin, Esquire
Aaron D. Nelson, Esquire
Curtin & Heefner LLP
1040 Stony Hill Road, Suite 150
Yardley, PA 19067
mbc@curtinheefner.com
apg@curtinheefner.com
adn@curtinheefner.com

Alex J. Baumler, Esquire
Sean Kilkenny, Esquire
Kilkenny Law, LLC
519 Swede Street
Norristown, PA 19401
alex@skilkennylaw.com
sean@skilkennylaw.com

Kevin Dooley Kent, Esquire
Joseph W. Jesiolowski, Esquire
Clark Hill PLC
Two Commerce Square
2001 Market Street, Suite 2620
Philadelphia, PA 19103
kkent@clarkhill.com
jjesiolowski@clarkhill.com

Michael L. Maddren, Esquire
Murphy Maddren Ltd
6 Dickinson Drive, Suite 115
Chadds Ford, PA 19317
mike@murphymaddren.com

Thomas Wyatt, Esquire
Matthew S. Olesh, Esquire
Matthew E. Selmasska, Esquire
James G. Pringle, Esquire
Obermayer, Rebmann, Maxwell
& Hippel LLP
Centre Square West
1500 Market Street, Suite 3400
Philadelphia, PA 19102
Thomas.Wyatt@obermayer.com
Matthew.Olesh@obermayer.com
Matthew.Selmasska@obermayer.com
James.Pringle@obermayer.com

Samuel J. Pasquarelli, Esquire
Sherrard, German & Kelly, P.C.
535 Smithfield Street, Suite 300
Pittsburgh, PA 15222
samuel.pasquarelli@sgkpc.com

Louis Agre, Esquire
Law Offices of Louis Agre
P.O. Box 35144
Philadelphia, PA 19128
louagrelaw@gmail.com

Date: May 21, 2026

/s/ Steven C. Gray _____
Steven C. Gray
Senior Attorney
Assistant Small Business Advocate
Attorney ID No. 77538