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VIA eFILING

Matthew L. Homsher, Secretary
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**Re: Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission v.
Pennsylvania-American Water Company
Docket Nos. R-2025-3057983 and R-2025-3058051**

Dear Secretary Homsher:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned proceedings is the **Unopposed Motion Of Pennsylvania-American Water Company For A Further Extension Of Time To Respond To The Petition Of Elizabeth Township For Rescission Or Amendment Of The Commission's Order, Temporary Rate Freeze, And Nunc Pro Tunc Relief** (the "Motion").

As evidenced by the enclosed Certificate of Service, copies of the Motion are being served upon Administrative Law Judge Watson and DeVoe and all parties of record.

If you have any questions, please contact me directly at 215.963.4603.

Very truly yours,



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**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION	:	
	:	Docket No. R-2025-3057983
	:	(Water)
v.	:	
	:	Docket No. R-2025-3058051
PENNSYLVANIA-AMERICAN WATER COMPANY	:	(Wastewater)
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served true and correct copies of the **Unopposed Motion Of Pennsylvania-American Water Company For A Further Extension Of Time To Respond To The Petition Of Elizabeth Township For Rescission Or Amendment Of The Commission’s Order, Temporary Rate Freeze, And Nunc Pro Tunc Relief** on the following individuals in the matter specified in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54:

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PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION	:	
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v.	:	DOCKET NOS. R-2025-3057983
	:	R-2025-3058051
PENNSYLVANIA-AMERICAN WATER COMPANY	:	
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**UNOPPOSED MOTION OF PENNSYLVANIA-AMERICAN WATER COMPANY
FOR A FURTHER EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO
THE PETITION OF ELIZABETH TOWNSHIP FOR RESCISSION OR
AMENDMENT OF THE COMMISSION’S ORDER, TEMPORARY RATE
FREEZE, AND NUNC PRO TUNC RELIEF**

Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code § 1.15, Pennsylvania-American Water Company (“PAWC” or the “Company”) hereby moves for an additional 45-day extension of the time period to respond to the Petition of Elizabeth Township for Rescission or Amendment of the Commission’s Order, Temporary Rate Freeze, and Nunc Pro Tunc Relief (the “Petition”) filed in the above-referenced docket on September 14, 2026. Under 52 Pa. Code § 5.572, PAWC’s answer to the Petition was due on September 24, 2026. On September 22, 2026, PAWC filed an unopposed motion for extension of time to respond to the Petition. On September 23, 2026, the Commission issued a Secretarial Letter granting the motion and extending the response period seven days until October 1, 2026. With the additional 45-day extension requested herein, answers to the Petition would be due on November 16, 2026. This additional extension is not opposed by Elizabeth Township. PAWC and Elizabeth Township have reached an agreement in principle to fully resolve the issues raised in the Petition and this additional extension will permit

PAWC and Elizabeth Township additional time to finalize a formal settlement agreement and submit such agreement to the Commission in accordance with 66 Pa. C.S. § 507.

I. UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO THE PETITION

1. This case was initiated on November 14, 2025, when PAWC filed Supplement No. 58 to Tariff Water – PA P.U.C. No. 5 (“Tariff No. 5”) and Supplement No. 61 to Tariff Wastewater PA P.U.C. No. 16 (“Tariff No. 16”) with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (“Commission”).

2. By Orders issued December 5, 2025, the Commission instituted a formal investigation to determine the lawfulness, justness and reasonableness of PAWC’s existing and proposed rates, rules and regulations. Accordingly, Tariff Nos. 5 and 16 were suspended by operation of law until August 13, 2026. This matter was subsequently assigned to Administrative Law Judges Jeffrey A. Watson and Emily I. Devoe (the “ALJs”) for purposes of conducting hearings and issuing a recommended decision.

3. In addition to the Commission’s Bureau of Investigation and Enforcement, several parties participated actively in this proceeding: the Office of Consumer Advocate, the Office of Small Business Advocate, Cleveland-Cliffs Steel, the Coalition for Affordable Utility Services and Energy Efficiency in Pennsylvania, the Exeter Township School District, and Victory Brewing Company.

4. After the submission of testimony, the conduct of public hearings and evidentiary hearings, and the submission of Main and Reply Briefs, the ALJs issued a Recommended Decision on May 15, 2026. On July 27, 2026, the Commission entered an order approving, among other things, water and wastewater revenue increases for PAWC.

5. On July 31, 2026, PAWC filed its compliance water and wastewater tariffs. On August 13, 2026, the Commission approved the compliance tariffs.

6. On September 14, 2026, Elizabeth Township filed the Petition.

7. On September 22, 2026, PAWC filed an unopposed motion for extension of time to respond to the Petition. In the motion, PAWC requested a seven-day extension.

8. On September 23, 2026, the Commission issued a Secretarial Letter granting the motion and extending the response period seven days until October 1, 2026.

9. Consistent with the Commission's policy promoting settlements (52 Pa. Code § 5.231), PAWC and Elizabeth Township actively engaged in discussions in an effort to address the issues raised in the Petition and have reached an agreement in principle.

10. The requested additional 45-day extension would permit the parties to submit to the Commission, pursuant to 66 Pa. C.S. § 507, an agreement fully resolving this matter before additional Commission resources are expended.

11. Elizabeth Township has authorized PAWC to represent that it does not oppose the requested additional extension.

12. PAWC submits that additional time to submit an agreement fully resolving this matter before additional Commission resources are expended and the non-opposition of Elizabeth Township to this request demonstrate good cause as required by 52 Pa. Code § 1.15 for an extension of time to be granted.

II. CONCLUSION

WHEREFORE, for the reasons stated above, the Company respectfully requests that the Commission grant this unopposed Motion and further extend the response period to the Petition 45 days to November 16, 2026.



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