

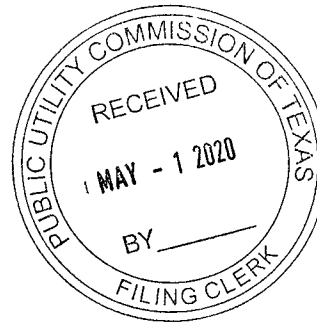
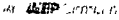


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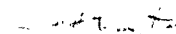
AEP Texas is of course sensitive to the availability of the SOAH ALJs to conduct a Hearing on the Merits on the dates proposed in the schedule. The proposed procedural schedule anticipates a hearing on the merits beginning on Monday, November 9. AEP Texas recognizes that Wednesday, November 11 is the Veteran's Day holiday. AEP Texas is hopeful that a Hearing on the Merits will not require more than two days; however, AEP Texas is willing to continue the hearing on November 11, or on November 12, as necessary. If a hearing cannot be conducted during the week of November 9, AEP Texas would urge that the hearing be scheduled at the SOAH ALJ's earliest convenience in November or early December 2020.

Assuming a proposed date for a hearing on November 9 and considering the guidelines for developing a proposed procedural schedule that were included in SOAH Order No. 1, the proposed procedural schedule will result in the docket exceeding the one-year deadline for making a decision on the application by approximately one month. Under the current circumstances, AEP Texas believes that this is a reasonable procedural schedule and agrees to extend the jurisdictional deadline to April 1, 2021.

As required by SOAH Order No. 1, AEP Texas will provide updated service list information and will continue to provide additional service list information when available.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

  
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**SOAH DOCKET NO. 473-20-3472  
PUC DOCKET NO. 50545  
AEP TEXAS BRACKETTVILLE TO ESCONDIDO  
138-kV TRANSMISSION LINE PROJECT IN KINNEY AND MAVERICK COUNTIES**

**PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

	<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>2/28/2020</b>	<b>Filing Date of CCN Application</b>
<b>Mon</b>	<b>4/13/2020</b>	<b>Intervention Deadline</b>
<b>Thu</b>	<b>5/14/2020</b>	<b>Testimony or Position Statement Challenging Route Adequacy (If Any)</b>
Thu	5/14/2020	Request for Hearing on Route Adequacy
<b>Mon</b>	<b>5/18/2020</b>	<b>Testimony or Position Statement in Response to Route Adequacy Challenge</b>
<b>Thu</b>	<b>5/21/2020</b>	<b>Hearing on Route Adequacy (If Necessary)</b>
Mon	6/1/2020	ALJ Ruling on Route Adequacy
<b>Mon</b>	<b>6/22/2020</b>	<b>Applicant's Direct Testimony</b>
Mon	6/29/2020	Objections to Applicant's Direct Testimony
Mon	7/6/2020	Replies to Objections to Applicant's Direct Testimony
Mon	8/3/2020	Discovery Deadline on Applicant's Direct Case
<b>Mon</b>	<b>8/3/2020</b>	<b>Intervenor Direct Testimony or Statements of Position</b>
Mon	8/10/2020	Objections to Intervenor Direct Testimony
Mon	8/17/2020	Replies to Objections to Intervenor Direct Testimony
<b>Mon</b>	<b>9/14/2020</b>	<b>Staff Direct Testimony &amp; Intervenor Cross Rebuttal</b>
Mon	9/21/2020	Objections to Staff Direct Testimony & Intervenor Cross Rebuttal
Mon	9/28/2020	Replies to Objections to Staff Direct Testimony & Intervenor Cross Rebuttal
Mon	10/5/2020	Discovery Deadline on Staff Direct and Intervenor's Testimony
<b>Mon</b>	<b>10/19/2020</b>	<b>Applicant Rebuttal</b>
Mon	10/26/2020	Objections to Applicant Rebuttal Testimony
Mon	11/2/2020	Replies to Objections to Applicants' Rebuttal
Mon	11/2/2020	Discovery Deadline on Applicant's Rebuttal Case (Seven Day Response Time)
Mon	11/2/2020	Deadline for all Parties to Identify Witnesses for Cross Examination at the Hearing
<b>Mon</b>	<b>11/9/2020</b>	<b>Hearing on the Merits</b>
<b>Mon</b>	<b>3/1/2021</b>	<b>One-Year Deadline</b>

**HOLIDAYS**

Mon	5/25/2020	<b>MEMORIAL DAY</b>
Fri	6/19/2020	<b>EMANCIPATION DAY (SKELETON CREW)</b>
Sat	7/4/2020	<b>INDEPENDENCE DAY</b>
Thu	8/27/2020	<b>LBJ's BIRTHDAY (SKELETON CREW)</b>
Mon	9/7/2020	<b>LABOR DAY</b>
Wed	11/11/2020	<b>VETERANS DAY</b>
Thu	11/26/2020	<b>THANKSGIVING</b>
Fri	11/27/2020	<b>DAY AFTER THANKSGIVING</b>
Thu	12/24/2020	<b>CHRISTMAS EVE</b>
Fri	12/25/2020	<b>CHRISTMAS DAY</b>
Sat	12/26/2020	<b>DAY AFTER CHRISTMAS</b>
Fri	1/1/2021	<b>NEW YEAR'S DAY</b>
Mon	1/18/2021	<b>MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY</b>
Tue	1/19/2021	<b>CONFEDERATE HEROES DAY (SKELETON CREW)</b>
Mon	2/15/2021	<b>PRESIDENT'S DAY</b>
Tue	3/2/2021	<b>TEXAS INDEPENDENCE DAY</b>