## **Notice for Publication**

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO AMEND ANGELINA AND NECHES RIVER AUTHORITY, CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY (CCN) NO. 12303, AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO PURCHASE WATER FACILITIES AND TO TRANSFER WATER SERVICE AREA UNDER CCN NO. 10407 FROM PRAIRIE GROVE WATER SUPPLY CORPORATION IN ANGELINA COUNTY, TEXAS

Angelina and Neches River Authority	y 2901 N. John Red	dditt Drive Lufkin, TX	75904
(Purchaser's Name)	(Address)	(City), (State)	(Zip code)

has submitted an application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to amend uncertificated area to CCN No. 12303 and to purchase all of the water facilities and to transfer water certificated service area under CCN No. <u>10407</u> in Angelina County, TX from:

Prairie Grove Water Supply Corporation	3274 CC Rd	Diboll, TX	75941
(Seller's Name)	(Address)	(City), (State)	(Zip code)

The sale is scheduled to take place if approved by the Commission (Texas Water Code § 13.301). The transaction and the transfer of the CCN includes the following subdivision: <u>Prairie Grove.</u>

The requested area includes <u>206</u> current customers, is located approximately I mile <u>east</u> of downtown <u>City of Diboll</u>, Texas, and is generally bounded on the north by <u>Lumberjack Drive and</u> <u>Old Burke Road</u>; on the east by <u>Pine Grove Road</u>; on the south <u>by a parallel line located 1.8 miles</u> <u>south of a line parallel to FM 1818</u>; and on the west by <u>US Highway 59</u>.

The requested area includes approximately 3,054 acres, comprised of 342 acres of uncertificated area; and 2,712 acres of transferred area (from CCN No. 10407).

The result of the application will be the addition of approximately 3,054 acres to ANRA's CCN No. 13203 and the subtraction of approximately 2,712 acres from Prairie Grove WSC's CCN No. 10407.

A copy of the map showing the requested area is available at: <u>www.anra.org</u>

This transaction will have the following effect on the current customers' rates and services: <u>All of</u> the customers will be charged the same rates they were charged before the transaction.

Persons who wish to intervene in the proceeding or comment upon action sought should contact the Public Utility Commission, P.O. Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711-3326, or call the Public Utility Commission at (512) 936-7120 or (888) 782-8477. Hearing- and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (TTY) may contact the commission at (512) 936-7136. The deadline for intervention in the proceeding is (30 days from the mailing or publication of notice, whichever occurs later, unless otherwise provided by the presiding officer). You must send a letter requesting intervention to the commission which is received by that date. The letter must include the person's name, address, email address and fax number if applicable. If a valid public hearing is requested, the Commission will forward the application to the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH) for a hearing. If no settlement is reached and an evidentiary hearing is held, SOAH will submit a recommendation to the Commission for a final decision. An evidentiary hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court.

A landowner with a tract of land at least 25 acres or more, that is partially or wholly located within the uncertificated requested area, may file a written request with the Commission to be excluded from the requested area ("opt out") within (30) days from the date that notice was provided by the Utility. All opt out requests must include a large-scale map, a metes and bounds description of the landowner's tract of land, landowner's name, address, email address and fax number, if applicable.

Persons who wish to request this option should file the required documents with the: Public Utility Commission of Texas Central Records 1701 N. Congress, P. O. Box 13326 Austin, TX 7871 1-3326

In addition, the landowner must also send a copy of the opt-out request to the Utility. Staff may request additional information regarding your request.

Si desea información en español, puede llamar al 1-888-782-8477.



