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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Public Utility Commission of Oregon
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Re: UW 209 – In the Matter of Salmon Valley Water Company, Sunstone Water, LLC; Lakeshore Water Company, LLC; Seavey Loop Water Company, LLC; and South Coast Water Company, LLC, Request for a General Rate Revision – Motion to Suspend the Procedural Schedule – Expediated Consideration Requested

NW Natural Water Company, LLC hereby files a Motion to Suspend the Procedural Schedule on behalf of Salmon Valley Water Company, Sunstone Water, LLC, Lakeshore Water Company, LLC, Seavey Loop Water Company, LLC, and South Coast Water Company, LLC (the "Consolidated Sunstone Utilities") for the above-reference docket. Expediated consideration is being requested.

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Enclosure

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

UW 209

In the Matter of Salmon Valley Water Company, Sunstone Water, LLC, Lakeshore Water Company, LLC, Seavey Loop Water Company, LLC, and South Coast Water Company, LLC Request for a General Rate Revision	**CONSOLIDATED SUNSTONE UTILITIES' MOTION TO SUSPEND THE PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE** ***Expedited Consideration Requested***

In accordance with OAR 860-001-0420, NW Natural Water Company, LLC, on behalf of Salmon Valley Water Company, Sunstone Water, LLC, Lakeshore Water Company, LLC, Seavey Loop Water Company, LLC, and South Coast Water Company, LLC (the "Consolidated Sunstone Utilities") respectfully requests that the Public Utility Commission of Oregon ("Commission") revise the procedural schedule in the above-captioned docket on an expedited basis.

On February 18, 2026, Administrative Law Judge ("ALJ") Brent Coleman issued a ruling establishing a procedural schedule for this docket. On June 3, 2026, ALJ Coleman issued a Ruling granting Commission Staff's motion to modify the procedural schedule to allow Commission Staff's opening testimony to incorporate the results of UP 439. On August 13, 2026, ALJ Coleman issued a Ruling modifying the procedural schedule to modify the deadline for admitting pre-filed testimony and exhibits.

As a result of settlement discussions, the Consolidated Sunstone Utilities and Commission Staff have reached an agreement in principle resolving the revenue issues in this docket.[1] To allow

[1] The Intervenors in this proceeding were invited to participate in settlement conferences with the Consolidated Sunstone Utilities and Staff. Although not all the intervenors participated in these conferences, the Consolidated Sunstone Utilities understand that the Intervenors were informed of the terms of the settlement proposal prior to its presentation to the Consolidated Sunstone Utilities and had not indicated opposition.

the parties to finalize settlement terms, the Consolidated Sunstone Utilities request that the Commission suspend the current procedural schedule. The Consolidated Sunstone Utilities further propose that the parties file either (1) a settlement agreement and supporting testimony, or (2) a status report proposing a revised procedural schedule, within 30 days of the Commission's ruling on this motion.

Because the Consolidated Sunstone Utilities' surrebuttal testimony is due **tomorrow**, September 2, 2026, the Consolidated Sunstone Utilities request expedited consideration of this motion under OAR 860-001-0420(6). The Consolidated Sunstone Utilities notified the parties via email of the substance of this motion. Commission Staff supports suspension of the procedural schedule. No party has indicated that they oppose the motion at the time this motion was filed.

Respectfully submitted this 1st day of September 2026.

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