

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON**

UW 194

In the Matter of

Crooked River Ranch Water Company,

Request for a General Rate Revision.

MEMORANDUM

**DISPOSITION: PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE ESTABLISHED**

On April 26, 2023, the Administrative Hearings Division held a public comment hearing and prehearing conference with representatives from Crooked River Ranch Water Company (CRRWC), Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (Staff) and several customers of the company. The public comment hearing featured a presentation by Staff, comments from CRRWC, and several customers engaging with CRRWC and Staff via comments and questions regarding the proposed rate increase.

At the subsequent prehearing conference, CRRWC, Staff, and other customer-participants discussed the proposed procedural schedule submitted by Staff ahead of the conference. After a discussion regarding potential modifications to the proposed schedule, attendees noted agreement with the procedural schedule presented below:

<b>Event:</b>	<b>Date:</b>
Encouraged due date for Petitions to Intervene	May 10, 2023
Settlement Conference	May 31, 2023
Staff/Intervenor Opening Testimony*	June 29, 2023
Company Reply Testimony	July 26, 2023
Staff/Intervenor Rebuttal and Cross-Answering Testimony	August 25, 2023
Company Surrebuttal Testimony*	September 14, 2023
Cross Examination Statements and Exhibits*	October 3, 2023
Evidentiary Hearing	October 12, 2023
Simultaneous Opening Briefs*	October 27, 2023
Simultaneous Reply Briefs	November 3, 2023

Target Date for Commission Decision	December 15, 2023
Proposed Effective Rate Effective Date	December 18, 2023
Company Compliance Filing	December 22, 2023

*\*Modified from 3/28. 2023 Staff proposal to accommodate existing scheduling conflicts and other considerations.*

The procedural schedule as discussed by the conference attendees is adopted with the noted modifications. Any filings submitted in this proceeding are due by 3:00 p.m. on the due date in order to provide adequate processing time for the Filing Center. Filings submitted after 3:00 p.m. will be considered filed on the following business day.

The motions to intervene submitted by customers and discussed during the prehearing conference will be addressed in a separate ruling.

Dated this 5th day of May, 2023, at Salem, Oregon.



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Christopher J. Allwein  
Administrative Law Judge