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California Public Utilities Commission Water Division Room 3102 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102-3298

Advice Letter 312-W Great Oaks Water Company (U-162-W) to the California Public Utilities Commission Updating Schedule No. UF in Compliance with Resolution M-4839

Great Oaks Water Company (Great Oaks) transmits this Tier 1 advice letter filing to update tariff Schedule No. UF in compliance with California Public Utilities Commission (Commission) proposed Resolution M-4866. The following changes in tariff schedules applicable to Great Oaks entire service area are proposed:

| CPUC Sheet | Title of | Canceling |
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| No. | Tariff Sheet | Sheet No. |
| 1002-W | Schedule No. UF (Continued) | 940-W |
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Summary of Advice Letter 312-W

Resolution M-4866 to revise the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account User Fees (PUCURA Fees) from 1.43% down to 0.8%, with an effective date of January 1, 2023, was adopted by the Commission on December 15, 2022.

This Tier 1 advice letter filing is to update tariff Schedule No. UF in compliance with Commission Resolution M-4866. Attached to this advice letter are the proposed tariff sheets to update both Schedule No. UF and the Table of Contents in Great Oaks' authorized tariffs.

No Effect on Water Service

This Advice Letter filing will not cause the withdrawal of service, nor conflict with other schedules or rules.

Effective Date - January 1, 2023

Great Oaks requests that the Tariff Sheets presented with this Advice Letter have an effective date of January 1, 2023.

Tier Designation

This is a Tier 1 Advice Letter pursuant to General Order 96-B and Water Industry Rule 7.3.1(3).

Notice and Service

As this Advice Letter is for compliance with proposed Commission Resolution M-4866, no additional notice to customers is required. The Advice Letter is being published on Great Oaks' website and is being served upon the Distribution List provided below.

Protests and Responses

Anyone may protest and respond to this Advice Letter. A Response supports the filing and may contain information that proves useful to the Commission in evaluating the Advice Letter. A Protest objects to the Advice Letter in whole or in part and must set forth specific grounds on which it is based. These grounds may be based upon the following:

(1) The utility did not properly serve or give notice of the Advice Letter; or

(2) The relief requested in the Advice Letter would violate a statute or Commission order, or is not authorized by statute or Commission order on which the utility relies; or (3) The analysis, calculations, or data in the Advice Letter contain material error or omissions; or

(4) The relief requested in the Advice Letter is pending before the Commission in a formal proceeding; or

(5) The relief requested in the Advice Letter requires consideration in a formal hearing, or is otherwise inappropriate for the Advice Letter process; or

(6) The relief requested in the Advice Letter is unjust, unreasonable, or discriminatory (provided that such a Protest may not be made where it would require re-litigating a prior order of the Commission).

Any Protest or Response must be made in writing or by electronic mail and must be received by the Water Division of the Commission within 20 days of the date this Advice Letter is filed. The Advice Letter process does not provide for any Protests, Responses or other comments, except for a reply by Great Oaks, after the 20-day comment period expires. The address for mailing or delivering a Protest or Response is:

> Tariff Unit, Water Division, 3rd floor California Public Utilities Commission, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102 water_division@cpuc.ca.gov

On the same date any Protest or Response is submitted to the Water Division, the protesting or responding person, entity or party must serve a copy of the Protest or Response on Great Oaks addressed to Timothy S. Guster, Great Oaks Water Co., PO Box 23490, San Jose, CA 95153, 408-227-9540, 408 227-7126 (fax), email: tguster@greatoakswater.com.

Great Oaks Water Company

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Timothy S. Guster General Counsel Legal and Regulatory Affairs

VERIFICATION

I am an officer of the Great Oaks Water Company and am authorized to make this verification on its behalf. The statements in the foregoing document, Great Oaks Water Co.'s Advice Letter 312-W, are true of my own knowledge, except as to matters that are therein stated on information and belief, and as to those matters, I believe them to be true.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on December 19, 2022 at San Jose, California.

<u>/s/</u> Timothy S. Guster

Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that I have this day served a copy of Great Oaks Water Co.'s Advice Letter 312-W on the parties listed on the following Distribution List by mailing a properly addressed copy by first class mail with postage prepaid.

Executed on December 19, 2022 at San Jose, California.

/s/_____ Timothy S. Guster

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| | rate schedules | applies to all water and sewer bills ren- authorized by the Commission, with the where the customer is a public utility. | |
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| | This Schedule utility. | is applicable within the entire service te | erritory served by the |
| RA | ATES | | |
| | A 0.80% surch | arge shall be added to all customer bills | 5. |
| | Fee to be paid (PU) Code Sec | egislature established a Public Utilities of by utilities to fund their regulation by the tions 401-443). The surcharge to recover ssion under authority granted by PU Co | ne Commission (Public Utilitie er the cost of that fee is ordere |
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