DECISION MEMORANDUM

TO: COMMISSIONER ANDERSON

COMMISSIONER HAMMOND COMMISSIONER LODGE COMMISSION SECRETARY

COMMISSION STAFF

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FROM: CLAIRE SHARP

DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

DATE: MAY 23, 2023

SUBJECT: IN THE MATTER OF FALLS WATER CO., INC.'S APPLICATION FOR

THE AUTHORITY TO INCREASE ITS RATES AND CHARGES FOR WATER SERVICE IN THE STATE OF IDAHO; CASE NO. FLS-W-23-01.

On May 12, 2023, Falls Water Co., Inc., ("Company") applied for authorization to raise the rates it charges for water service. The Company requests an approximate 44.3% increase in revenue collected and a 7.71% rate of return. The Company requests a July 1, 2023, effective date.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the Commission issue a Notice of Application, Notice of Intervention Deadline establishing a 21-day intervention period, and suspend the Company's proposed effective date for 30 days plus five months pursuant to *Idaho Code* § 61-622.

COMMISSION DECISION

Does the Commission wish to issue a Notice of Application, Notice of Intervention Deadline establishing a 21-day intervention period, and suspend the Company's proposed effective date?

Claire Sharp

Deputy Attorney General

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