

**BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

<b>IN THE MATTER OF VP INC.'S</b>	)	<b>CASE NO. VPI-W-24-01</b>
<b>APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF</b>	)	
<b>PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND</b>	)	<b>NOTICE OF VIRTUAL PUBLIC</b>
<b>NECESSITY AND TO INCREASE ITS</b>	)	<b>WORKSHOP</b>
<b>RATES AND CHARGES FOR WATER</b>	)	
<b>SERVICE IN THE STATE OF IDAHO</b>	)	<b>ORDER NO. 36183</b>
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On January 11, 2024, VP Inc. (“VP”) applied for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (“CPCN”) to provide water service near Sandpoint, Idaho (“Application”). The Commission directed VP to apply for a CPCN after finding it was a water corporation subject to the Commission’s regulation as a public utility in Case No. GNR-W-17-01. *See* Order No. 35998 at 4. On February 20, 2024, VP amended its Application to also include a request to increase its rates and charges for water service.

On March 12, 2024, the Commission issued a Notice of Application and Notice of Intervention Deadline. Order No. 36117. No parties petitioned to intervene.

On April 23, 2024, the Commission issued a Notice of Modified Procedure and Notice of Suspension of the Company’s proposed effective date for its rate increases, setting comment deadlines and suspending the Company’s proposed effective date of July 1, 2024, for thirty days plus five months. Order No. 36156.

At the Commission’s May 14, 2024, Decision Meeting, the Commission Staff (“Staff”) presented a Decision Memorandum recommending that the Commission schedule a virtual public workshop. We now issue this Notice of a Virtual Public Workshop and direct Staff to conduct the virtual public workshop on June 6, 2024.

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOP**

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that Staff will hold a virtual, public, informational workshop for customers taking service from the Company on **THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 2024, AT 6:00 PM (PDT)**. The purpose of the workshop is to provide customers with an overview of the Application and Staff’s analysis of the Company’s request for CPCN, its proposed rate increase, and the potential impact on customers. During the workshop, customers may ask Staff about the Application and how customers may further participate in the proceeding. Representatives of the

Company may also be available. To participate online, please visit [idahogov.webex.com](http://idahogov.webex.com), and enter meeting number 2631 508 6192. Then click on the green “Join” button. At the next window, please enter this password: June6Workshop. Next, please click on the green “Join Webinar” button. At the next window, please enter your name and e-mail address, and then click on the “next” button. Then click on the green “Join Webinar” button.

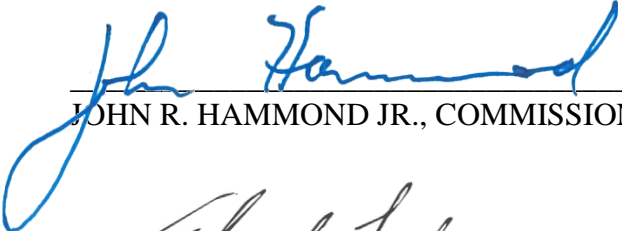
To participate over the phone, please call 1-415-655-0001 and enter meeting number 2631 508 6192 when prompted.

**ORDER**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Commission Staff will hold a virtual, public, informational, customer workshop on Thursday, June 6, 2024, at 6:00 PM (PDT).

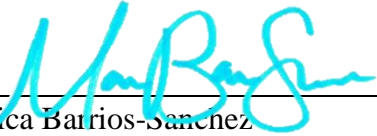
DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024.

  
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ERIC ANDERSON, PRESIDENT

  
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JOHN R. HAMMOND JR., COMMISSIONER

  
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EDWARD LODGE, COMMISSIONER

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Monica Barrios-Sanchez  
Commission Secretary

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