

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

<p>In the Matter of a Penalty Assessment Against</p> <p>SUNRISE ACRES WATER SERVICES, LLC</p> <p>in the amount of \$5,000</p>	<p>DOCKET UW-180886</p> <p>ORDER 05</p> <p>ORDER GRANTING PAYMENT ARRANGEMENT</p>
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BACKGROUND

- 1 On July 9, 2019, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) issued Order 03 in the captioned docket,¹ which assessed a \$5,000 penalty against Sunrise Acres Water Services, LLC, (Company) for violating Order 02 issued in this docket, which required the Company to file a tariff. While the Company ultimately filed a tariff on June 14, 2019, the Company did not submit the tariff until 67 days after the April 8, 2019, deadline established by Order 02. Order 03 thus requires the Company to pay a \$5,000 penalty or file jointly with Staff a mutually agreeable payment plan within 20 days of the effective date of that order. The effective date of Order 03 was July 9, 2019.
- 2 On September 6, 2019 Commission staff (Staff) and the Company came to a mutual agreement on a proposed payment plan, consisting of 25 monthly installments of \$200. The Company and Staff jointly proposed the following payment schedule:

Payment Plan		
Installment	Due Date	Amount
1	October 1, 2019	\$200
2	November 1, 2019	\$200
3	December 2, 2019	\$200
4	January 2, 2020	\$200
5	February 3, 2020	\$200
6	March 2, 2020	\$200
7	April 1, 2020	\$200

¹ The correct nomenclature for Order 03 issued July 9, 2019, in this docket is Order 04; however, for ease of reference here, we refer to the July 9 order as styled in that order.

8	May 1, 2020	\$200
9	June 1, 2020	\$200
10	July 1, 2020	\$200
11	August 3, 2020	\$200
12	September 1, 2020	\$200
13	October 1, 2020	\$200
14	November 2, 2020	\$200
15	December 1, 2020	\$200
16	January 4, 2021	\$200
17	February 1, 2021	\$200
18	March 1, 2021	\$200
19	April 1, 2021	\$200
20	May 3, 2021	\$200
21	June 1, 2021	\$200
22	July 1, 2021	\$200
23	August 2, 2021	\$200
24	September 1, 2021	\$200
25	October 1, 2021	\$200
Total:		\$5,000

- 3 Staff also proposes that if Sunrise Acres misses one payment, the entire balance will become immediately due and payable without further Commission order.

DISCUSSION

- 4 The installment payment schedule that Staff and the Company propose is reasonable. We approve the proposed payment arrangement subject to the condition that Staff proposes, with one modification. Sunrise Acres may make additional payments in advance of the payment due dates or pay an increased amount on the due dates, but no additional payment or increased amount will relieve the Company of its obligation to make timely monthly installments of \$200 until the full amount of \$5,000 is satisfied.

ORDER

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 5 (1) The \$5,000 penalty is due and payable to the Commission in installments as set out in paragraph 2, above.

- 6 (2) If Sunrise Acres Water Services, LLC, fails to pay any installment by 5 p.m. on the date that it is due, the unpaid balance will immediately become due and payable without further order by the Commission.
- 7 The Secretary has been delegated authority to enter this order on behalf of the Commissioners under WAC 480-07-904(1)(h).

DATED at Lacey, Washington, and effective September 12, 2019.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

MARK L. JOHNSON
Executive Director and Secretary

NOTICE TO PARTIES: This is an order delegated to the Executive Secretary for decision. As authorized in WAC 480-07-904(3), you must file any request for Commission review of this order no later than 14 days after the date the decision is posted on the Commission's website.