# BEFORE THE WASHINGTON STATE UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

| WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND      | ) | DOCKET NO. UW-051333 |
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| TRANSPORTATION                | ) |                      |
| COMMISSION,                   | ) | ORDER NO. 02         |
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| Complainant,                  | ) |                      |
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| v.                            | ) |                      |
|                               | ) | ORDER DISMISSING     |
| RAINIER VIEW WATER CO., INC., | ) | COMPLAINT AND ORDER  |
|                               | ) | SUSPENDING CONTRACT; |
| Respondent.                   | ) | APPROVING CONTRACT   |
|                               | ) |                      |

#### **BACKGROUND**

- On August 29, 2005, Rainier View Water Co., Inc., (Rainier View or Company) filed a contract with the Commission.
- On September 28, 2005, the Commission entered a Complaint and Order Suspending contract pending an investigation to determine whether the revisions are fair, just and reasonable.
- On November 1, 2005, Rainier View filed an Addendum to the suspended contract. The Addendum includes a Staff requested provision stating that in the event of any conflict between Rainier View's tariff and the suspended agreement, the tariff would control.

## FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

4 (1) The Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission is an agency of the State of Washington vested by statute with the authority to regulate rates, rules, regulations, practices, accounts, securities, and transfers of

- public service companies, including water companies. RCW 80.01.040; Chapter 80.04 RCW and Chapter 80.28 RCW.
- 5 (2) Rainier View is a water company and is a public service company subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission.
- 6 (3) This matter was brought before the Commission at its regularly scheduled meeting on November 30, 2005.
- 7 (4) The contract presently under suspension with the addition of the Addendum is fair, just and reasonable.
- After review of the contract filed in Docket UW-051333 by Rainier View and giving due consideration, the Commission finds it is consistent with the public interest that the Complaint and Order Suspending Contract in Docket UW-051333, dated September 28, 2005, be dismissed and the contract to become effective on November 30, 2005.

### ORDER

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- 9 (1) The Complaint and Order Suspending Contract in Docket UW-051333, dated September 28, 2005, is dismissed.
- 10 (2) The contract filed in this docket on August 29, 2005, shall become effective on November 30, 2005.

The Commissioners, having determined this Order to be consistent with the public interest, directed the Secretary to enter this Order.

DATED at Olympia, Washington, and effective this 30th day of November, 2005.

# WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

CAROLE J. WASHBURN, Secretary