

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

In re Application of

AMERICAM MOVERS LLC

for a permit to operate as a motor carrier
of household goods

DOCKET TV-190858

NOTICE OF BRIEF ADJUDICATIVE
PROCEEDING

SETTING TIME FOR ORAL
STATEMENTS
**(Set for Tuesday, January 7, 2020, at
9:30 a.m.)**

BACKGROUND

- 1 On October 14, 2019, AmericaM Movers LLC (AmericaM Movers or Applicant) filed with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) an application for provisional and permanent authority to operate as a household goods carrier in the state of Washington (Application) pursuant to Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 81.80 and Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 480-15.
- 2 On November 13, 2019, the Commission issued a Notice of Intent to Deny Application for Permanent Authority and Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in this matter based on its review and investigation of the Application. The Commission alleges that the Applicant's owner, Camano Gahagan, was incarcerated from January 19, 2010, to March 8, 2017, following his conviction for unlawful imprisonment, second degree assault, and attempted first degree robbery, and was subsequently placed on community supervision until September 7, 2018. Mr. Gahagan's history includes convictions ranging from 1997-2010 for unlawful imprisonment, second degree assault involving a firearm, fourth degree assault, attempted first degree robbery, and other firearm-related offenses. The Notice provided AmericaM Movers the opportunity to request a hearing to contest the factual allegations by November 27, 2019.
- 3 On November 25, 2019, AmericaM Movers filed with the Commission a Request for Hearing.
- 4 Pursuant to RCW 34.05.482 and WAC 480-07-610, the Commission determines that a brief adjudicative proceeding is appropriate for determining whether AmericaM Movers' Application for permanent authority should be denied due to the concerns raised after Staff's review and investigation of the application.

- 5 **THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That it will hold a brief adjudicative proceeding in this matter at 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, January 7, 2020, in the Commission's Richard Hemstad Hearing Room, 621 Woodland Square Loop SE, Lacey, Washington.**
- 6 The record in this case will consist of any documents regarding the matter that are considered by or prepared for the presiding officer for the brief adjudicative proceeding and a transcript of any oral statements given at the hearing, which statements will be given under oath.
- 7 Written notice of any other stage in the proceeding or other formal proceedings that the Commission may deem appropriate will be given during the course of this case. The Commission will provide at its offices in Olympia, Washington, copies of documents in the current record for use by the parties or others who may want to review them.
- 8 Parties wishing to submit any other documents for consideration at the brief adjudicative proceeding must file with the Commission a list enumerating and describing any such documents **no later than 5 p.m. on Tuesday, December 31, 2019**, and bring an original and three (3) copies to the hearing. Filing shall be in accordance with WAC 480-07-140.
- 9 **THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE that any party who fails to attend or participate in the brief adjudicative proceeding set by this Notice, or any other stage of this proceeding, may be held in default under RCW 34.05.440 and WAC 480-07-450.**
- 10 The names and mailing addresses of all parties and their known representatives are shown as follows:

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11 Administrative Law Judge Andrew O'Connell, from the Commission's Administrative Law Division, Will preside during this proceeding.¹

DATED at Lacey, Washington, and effective December 10, 2019.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

MARK L. JOHNSON
Executive Director and Secretary

¹ Judge O'Connell can be reached by phone at (360) 664-1285 or by email at andrew.j.oconnell@utc.wa.gov.

NOTICE

Hearing facilities are accessible to persons with disabilities. Smoking is prohibited. If limited English-speaking, hearing-impaired parties or witnesses are involved in a hearing and need an interpreter, a qualified interpreter will be appointed at no cost to the party or witness.

If you need an interpreter, or have other special needs, please fill out this form and return it to Washington State Utilities and Transportation Commission, Attention: Mark L. Johnson, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW, P. O. Box 47250, Olympia, WA 98504-7250. (PLEASE SUPPLY ALL REQUESTED INFORMATION)

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Hearing Impaired (Yes) _____ (No) _____

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Tactile _____

Other type of assistance needed: _____

English-speaking person who can be contacted if there are questions:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone No.: (____) _____