

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

NC 405

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF
OREGON,

Complainant,

vs.

CITY OF PORTLAND ACTING
THROUGH BUREAU OF
ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES,

Defendant.

MEMORANDUM REQUESTING
PROPOSALS FOR PROCEDURAL
SCHEDULE

On February 24, 2023, the Public Utility Commission of Oregon filed a complaint against the City of Portland, Bureau of Environmental Services (BES), alleging violations of rules adopted by the Oregon Utility Notification Center. On March 30, 2023, Administrative Law Judge Christopher Allwein held a case management conference in this proceeding to discuss procedural matters including the process for establishing a schedule after BES filed its answer to the complaint and the potential for alternative dispute resolution. On April 28, 2023, BES filed an answer to the complaint.

As discussed at the March 30, 2023 case management conference, I request that the parties confer and file a proposed procedural schedule by **3:00 p.m. on May 11, 2023**. Consistent with the discussion at the conference, the Commission anticipates a compressed schedule with limited testimony, a hearing if necessary, and briefing, but the parties may propose a different schedule format. Any filings in the schedule will be due by 3:00 p.m. on the due date. To the extent that the parties are unable to reach an agreement on a proposed schedule, each entity should submit separate proposed schedules. If either or both parties are interested in holding a prehearing conference to discuss the schedule or any other procedural matters, they may indicate this preference with the proposed schedule or in a separate filing.

Dated this 2nd day of May, 2023, at Salem, Oregon.



Sarah Spruce
Administrative Law Judge