

1 **BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**  
2 **OF OREGON**

3 UW 197

4 In the Matter of  
5 LAKESHORE WATER COMPANY, LLC,  
6 Request for a General Rate Revision.  
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STAFF'S MOTION TO SUSPEND  
PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

*Expedited Consideration Requested*

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9 Pursuant to OAR 860-001-0420(2) and (6), Staff of the Public Utility Commission of  
10 Oregon (Staff) moves the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) for a ruling suspending the  
11 procedural schedule in this docket because the parties have reached a settlement in principle that  
12 resolves all issues. Staff requests expedited consideration of this motion because opening  
13 testimony is currently due October 3, 2023.

14 The parties in this docket have reached an agreement in principle on a comprehensive  
15 settlement resolving all issues in this proceeding. Accordingly, the parties need adequate time to  
16 reduce their settlement to a written stipulation and to prepare testimony supporting the  
17 stipulation. Once the stipulation is finalized, there will no longer be a need to file opening  
18 testimony, or for the other remaining events on the procedural schedule, including reply, rebuttal  
19 and sur-rebuttal testimony, a hearing, and legal briefs. Therefore, Staff respectfully requests a  
20 suspension of the procedural schedule.

21 The parties intend to file the stipulation and supporting testimony as soon as possible.  
22 Staff anticipates the stipulation and supporting testimony will be filed by October 31, 2023 and  
23 will provide the ALJ with a status update if the parties are unable to make this filing.

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1 Based on the foregoing, Staff respectfully requests an order suspending the procedural schedule.

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3 DATED this 02 day of October 2023.

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Respectfully submitted,

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