ISSUED: January 22, 2021

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

## **OF OREGON**

UW 182

In the Matter of RULING

OREGON WATER UTILITIES – CLINE BUTTE, INC.,

Request for a General Rate Revision.

DISPOSITION: MOTION GRANTED; SCHEDULE SUSPENDED

On September 30, 2020, Oregon Water Utilities – Cline Butte, Inc., filed a request for a general rate revision. Under Order No. 20-327 issued on October 5, 2020, the tariff sheets were suspended. A public comment hearing and prehearing conference were held on November 19, 2020. At the prehearing conference, a procedural schedule for the remainder of the case was adopted.

On January 22, 2021, Staff filed a motion asking that the procedural schedule in this docket be suspended, requesting expedited consideration. In support of its motion, Staff represents all parties to this proceeding have reached a settlement in principle that resolves all issues, and that no party has interposed any objection to its motion. Staff further states that the parties intend to file a stipulation, supporting testimony, and a motion to admit and adopt the stipulation on or before March 1, 2021.

I find that Staff has shown good cause for suspending the procedural schedule.

## RULING

- 1. The procedural schedule in this docket is suspended.
- 2. The parties shall file the stipulation, supporting testimony and affidavits or declarations, and a motion to admit and adopt the stipulation, or in the alternative, a joint status report, on or before March 1, 2021.

Dated this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 2021, at Salem, Oregon.

Christopher J. Allwein Administrative Law Judge

Ch. of Mh.