

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UW 139

In the Matter of

WHISPERING PINES ESTATES WATER

Request for a General Rate Revision.

ORDER

DISPOSITION: APPLICATION DISMISSED

By letter dated February 27, 2010, Whispering Pines Estates Water (Whispering Pines or the Company) requested that its application for a general rate revision, filed on November 9, 2009, with the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (Commission) be withdrawn. According to Whispering Pines, it recently entered into a water supply agreement with Shady Cove Water Works, LLC, that materially changes the Company's cost of water. Accordingly, the application as filed "does not reflect current cost for water delivery."

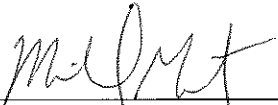
Whispering Pines asks that it be allowed to submit a new rate application prior to May 15, 2010. While its current rates "will suffice for the short term," the Company believes its rates will need to be adjusted for "long term viability."

Whispering Pines has stated sufficient grounds for its application to be dismissed. The Commission will not set a deadline for the filing of a new general rate revision application.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that the schedule in this docket, UW 139, is VACATED and the application of Whispering Pines Estates Water Utilities, LLC, for a general rate revision is DISMISSED.

Made, entered, and effective MAR 08 2010.



Michael Grant
Chief Administrative Law Judge
Administrative Hearings Division



A party may request rehearing or reconsideration of this order pursuant to ORS 756.561. A request for rehearing or reconsideration must be filed with the Commission within 60 days of the date of service of this order. The request must comply with the requirements in OAR 860-014-0095. A copy of any such request must also be served on each party to the proceeding as provided by OAR 860-013-0070(2). A party may appeal this order by filing a petition for review with the Court of Appeals in compliance with ORS 183.480-183.484.