

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**IN RE: PROVIDENCE WATER SUPPLY BOARD : DOCKET NO. 4994
 COST OF SERVICE STUDY :**

NOTICE OF TECHNICAL RECORD SESSION

Pursuant to the provisions of the R.I. Gen. Laws §§39-1-1 and 42-46-6, as amended, the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) will conduct a Technical Record Session on **Tuesday, May 4, 2021 at 12:30 P.M.** in Hearing Room A at the PUC's office located at 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island. The Technical Record Session will be streamed live at <http://www.ustream.tv/channel/WqQyXw296dg>.

This docket relates to Providence Water Supply Board's (Providence Water) request to increase its rates under the multi-year plan pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-15.1-4. In Order No. 23928 issued in this docket, the Commission ordered Providence Water to file a new allocated cost of service study (COSS) that address the allocation of costs to wholesale customers. Specifically, the COSS was to address the allocation of costs associated with the central operations facility, the allocation of the cost of non-revenue water, the allocations of pumping costs and the allocation of unidirectional flushing costs. The Commission will use the new COSS to inform the Commission's decision-making for wholesale class rate allocations for rate years two and three. Providence Water submitted a new COSS on April 1, 2021. At this technical session, Providence Water and its consultants will provide a presentation of the proposed COSS, including explaining the methodology used. In addition to the Commission and its staff, parties will have the opportunity to ask questions.

The docket may be examined at the PUC's office. The docket can also be accessed on the PUC's website at <http://www.ripuc.ri.gov/eventsactions/docket/4994page.html>. Reference is made to R.I. Gen. Laws §§ 39-1, 39-3 and 42-35.

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Luly E. Massaro, Commission Clerk
April 29, 2021