

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

DW 21-061

**ABENAKI WATER COMPANY – ROSEBROOK,
A SUBSIDIARY OF AQUARION WATER COMPANY**

Petition to Approve Financing for Rosebrook Pressure Reduction Project

Procedural Order Re: Request for Update

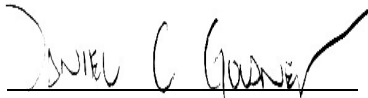
No substantive filings have been made in this docket since Abenaki Water Company's (Abenaki) August 20, 2021 status update, which stated that Abenaki was still determining the solution to the Rosebrook system pressure reduction project for which it seeks the Commission's approval of financing. On December 1, 2021, Aquarion Water Company (Aquarion) acquired Abenaki. See Notice of Transaction Closing dated December 2, 2021, filed in Docket No. DW 21-090. Accordingly, the docket caption shall be changed consistent with this procedural order, and counsel for Aquarion shall be added to the service list.

As required by the settlement agreement approved in Order No. 26,549 (November 12, 2021) issued in Docket No. DW 21-090, in which the Commission approved Aquarion's acquisition of Abenaki, Aquarion filed a report dated July 14, 2022 providing an update on the Rosebrook system pressure reduction project. See [21-090_2022-07-19_AQUARION_CAPITAL-IMPROVEMENT-RPT.PDF \(nh.gov\)](#). The July 14 report stated that "[a]n alternatives analysis has been completed. Aquarion is currently coordinating with stakeholders to determine the best option for addressing the section of the NHDES LOD [Letter of Deficiency] related to high system pressures."

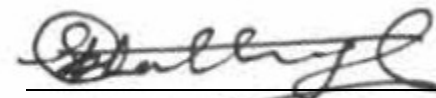
Aquarion shall file an update with the Commission on or before December 15, 2022 regarding the status of the financing request in this docket, and the New Hampshire

Department of Energy shall file its appearance. Aquarion shall notify the Commission whether it wishes to proceed with the petition filed on March 22, 2021 or whether it will be filing a revised petition. Aquarion shall also state what improvements will be made to address the pressure issue in the Rosebrook system, details of the proposed improvement plan, and any other information relevant to the Commission's review and approval of the pending financing request.

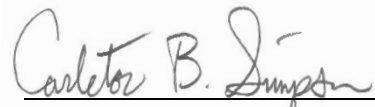
So ordered, this first day of November, 2022.



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