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ANDY TOBIN, COMMISSIONER

10 IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
11 RIO VERDE UTILITIES, INC. FOR APPROVAL
OF A RATE INCREASE FOR ITS WATER AND
12 WASTEWATER SERVICES.

Docket No.: WS-02156A-16-0201

**MOTION TO INTERVENE
AND
CONSENT TO E-MAIL SERVICE
RIO VERDE COUNTRY CLUB, INC.**

16 Rio Verde Country Club, Inc., an Arizona non-profit corporation ("RVCC"), through its
17 undersigned attorney, hereby moves to intervene as a party in this matter pursuant to Arizona
18 Corporation Commission Rule R14-3-105. In support of this Motion, RVCC offers the following:

19 1. On June 24, 2016, Rio Verde Utilities, Inc. filed an application in this docket for a
20 determination of the current fair value of its utility plant and property and for associated changes
21 in its rates and charges.

22 2. RVCC is a water and wastewater customer of Rio Verde Utilities, Inc., and
23 purchases a significant amount of effluent. RVCC will be impacted by the rate proposals in Rio
24 Verde Utilities, Inc.'s application. As a non-residential customer that depends heavily on effluent
25 deliveries, RVCC's interests are not yet adequately represented in this matter, and are unique.

26 3. RVCC is a ratepayer of Rio Verde Utilities, Inc. that will be directly and
27 substantially affected by this proceeding.

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1 4. Because of the early procedural status of this case, RVCC's participation as an
2 Intervenor will not unduly broaden the issues presented.

3 5. No other party can adequately represent the RVCC's interests in this proceeding.

4 6. The name, address, telephone number, and e-mail address of the attorney for RVCC
5 upon whom service of all documents should be made is:

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11 With a copy via e-mail to dulm@rioverdecc.com.

12 7. **Consent to E-mail Service.** RVCC hereby consents to receive service of each
13 filing in the above-captioned docket, including each filing made by another party, each filing made
14 by a Commissioner, each Procedural Order, each Recommended Order, and each Decision, via an
15 email sent to the email addresses set forth for the party above (the "designated email address").
16 RVCC understands and agrees that through the filing of this Consent to Email Service, each
17 representative of RVCC consents to e-mail service and, thus, that after this Consent to Email
18 Service is approved, no representative of the party will receive service by U.S. Mail unless and
19 until this Consent to Email Service is withdrawn through a subsequent filing.

20 RVCC further understands and agrees that each email providing service of a filing
21 may include a link to access the filing online rather than an electronic copy of the filing and,
22 further, that the receipt of such an email may occur either on the date the filing is made or as soon
23 as possible thereafter.

24 RVCC certifies that the designated email address is a valid and active email address
25 to which the party has regular and reliable access.

26 RVCC further certifies that the party has sent or will promptly send an email to
27 HearingDivisionServicebyEmail@azcc.gov from the designated email address and that such
28 email contained or will contain the docket number for this matter and the party's name.

 RVCC further understands that RVCC may provide above additional email
addresses for individuals to whom RVCC desires to have service emails sent as a courtesy.

1 RVCC understands that a Procedural Order approving the use of email service for
2 the party will be issued in this matter upon verification by the Hearing Division that RVCC's
3 email to HearingDivisionServicebyEmail@azcc.gov has been received from the designated email
4 address.

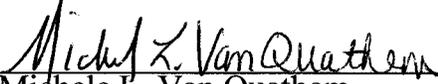
5 RVCC further understands and agrees that service of a filing on the party shall be
6 complete upon the first of the following to occur: (1) the sending, to the designated email address,
7 of an email containing an electronic copy of the filing or a link to access the filing online; or (2)
8 for a filing made by a Commissioner, the Commission Executive Director, or a Commission
9 Division, the making of the filing with a service certification including coding indicating that an
10 automatic service email for the filing shall be sent to each party whose consent to email service
11 has been approved.

12 RVCC further understands and agrees that RVCC will no longer receive service in
13 this matter through First Class U.S. Mail or another form of hard-copy delivery, unless and until
14 RVCC withdraws this consent through a filing made in the above-captioned docket.
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16 For all the reasons stated above, RVCC requests that RVCC be allowed to intervene as a
17 party in this matter.

18 RESPECTFULLY REQUESTED this 12th day of October, 2016.

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