

LEM

Decision No. 17249.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA UTILITIES INC.,)
 and)
 SOUTH LOS ANGELES LAND AND WATER)
 COMPANY for authority for the South-)
 ern California Utilities Inc., to)
 purchase the properties of the South)
 Los Angeles Land and Water Company)
 and for the latter company to sell)
 its properties, and for authority)
 for the Southern California Utilities)
 Inc. to issue shares of its common)
 stock of the par value of \$300,000.)
 and its first mortgage bonds of the)
 face value of \$350,000.00.)

ORIGINAL

Application No. 12587

BY THE COMMISSION:

THIRD SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

Southern California Utilities Inc. by Decision No. 16771, dated May 25, 1926, in the above entitled matter, was authorized to use \$39,000.00 of proceeds obtained from the sale of bonds theretofore authorized to be issued by Decision No. 16651, dated May 4, 1926, to finance the cost of certain expenditures for additions, betterments and extensions of its plants and properties.

Decision No. 16771 authorizes the expenditure of \$13,500. for a new well and pumping plant at applicant's Huntington Park plant and \$525. for a Ford truck. Subsequent to the date of said decision applicant's officers concluded that better service could be given if the new well and pump (Nadeau pumping plant) were located in the southern portion of its territory. It was also concluded not to purchase a Ford truck.

In its third supplemental petition filed August 4th, applicant Southern California Utilities Inc. asks permission to expend moneys obtained from the sale of its bonds for the fol-

lowing purposes:-

1. New Nadeau pumping plant.	\$11,000.00
Plot of ground on NE corner of Nadeau Street and Walnut Drive, 90' x 100'	\$5,100.
Drilling and casing 500' well at \$6. per foot	1,800.
Foundation and miscellaneous accessories	200.
Pumping equipment	2,400.
Improvement of lot, fence, gar- den, etc.	500.
Overhead and miscellaneous	<u>1,000.</u>
2. Two new Ford Roadsters at \$500.	1,000.00
3. Addition of two rooms to present office building(\$1,450.) and fur- nishings for same(\$150.)	1,600.00
4. Fourteen Sparling meters to be installed on all pumps at \$110. each, installed . .	1,540.00
5. Four hundred meters on present flat ser- vices at \$15. installed	6,000.00
6. New 10" cast iron line from Huntington Park Plant to Slauson Ave	1,650.00
700' of 10" cast iron pipe at \$1.58 per foot	1,106.
Fittings for same(estimated)	54.
Installation of above at 70¢ per ft	<u>490.</u>
7. New 8" cast iron line on Slauson Ave. from Holmes Avenue to alley east of Wilmington Ave	2,810.00
1400' of 8" cast iron pipe at \$1.15	1,610.
Fittings for same(estimated)	160.
Installation of above at 60¢ per foot	840.
Overhead and miscellaneous	<u>200.</u>
8. New 8" cast iron line on Nadeau Street from new pumping plant to Maie Ave	3,475.00
1700' of 8" cast iron pipe at \$1.15	1,955.
Fittings for same(estimated)	200.
Installation of above 60¢ per foot	1,020.
Overhead and miscellaneous .	<u>300.</u>
Total.....	<u><u>\$29,075.00</u></u>

It appears to the Commission that the third supplemental application filed in this proceeding should be granted and that the expenditures herein authorized are not in whole or in part reasonably chargeable to operating expense or to income, therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the order in Decision No. 16771, dated May 25, 1926, and the order in Decision No. 16651 dated

May 4, 1926, be, and they are hereby, modified so as to permit Southern California Utilities Inc. to expend not exceeding \$29,075. for the purposes mentioned in this order.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that the orders in Decision No. 16651, dated May 4, 1926, as amended, and in Decision No. 16771, dated May 25, 1926, shall remain in full force and effect, except as modified by this Third Supplemental Order.

DATED at San Francisco, California, this 20th day of August, 1926.

H. B. Brundage

C. Sawyer

Thos. S. Powell

Commissioners.