

Decision No. <u>28139</u>

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of SAN GABRIEL VALLEY WATER COMPANY, a corporation, for a certificate that public convenience and necessity require that it exercise the right and privilege granted to it under franchise to operate, alter, maintain and use a system of water pipes and pipe lines, and all appliances for the purpose of distributing the water within the CITY OF SAN MARINO, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Application No. 19936.

Wm. F. Goble, for Applicant.

S.M. Haskins by Woodward Taylor, for City of San Marino.

BY THE COMMISSION:

<u>O P I N I O N</u>

In the above entitled application San Gabriel Valley Water Company, a corporation, petitions for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to exercise the right and privilege granted to it under franchise to operate, alter, maintain and use a system of water pipes and pipe lines, and all appliances for the purpose of distributing water within the City of San Marino, Los Angeles County.

A public hearing in this matter was held before Examiner MacKall.

San Gabriel Valley water Company, a corporation, has served the City of San Marino for a great many years, operating

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under a franchice originally acquired from the County of Los Angeles prior to the incorporation of the City. As the Company at present serves certain areas now within the corporate limits but not covered by the above franchise, the City has requested it to secure a new one covering all territory served. The Company has been given by said City, through Ordinance No. 258, the necessary authority to so operate and now applies to the Commission for permission to exercise the rights and privileges therein granted.

No other public utility water works operates in the area covered by said Ordinance No. 258. There was no objection made to its approval. The Company has stipulated that it will never claim before this Commission or any other public body a value for this franchise in excess of the actual cost of acquiring it. The application will, therefore, be granted.

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Application having been made as above entitled, a public hearing having been hold thereon, the matter having been submitted and the Commission being now fully advised in the premises, now, therefore,

The Railroad Commission of the State of California hereby declares that public convenience and necessity require that the San Cabriel Valley Water Company, a corporation, be and it is hereby authorized to exercise all rights and privileges

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granted said Company by Ordinance No. 258 of the City of San Marino in the sale and distribution of water within said City.

The authority herein granted shall become effective on the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this <u>26</u> day - uly of ____ _____, 1935.

M. B. Carris