

Applicant paid the County of Los Angeles \$100 for the franchise granted by Ordinance No. 6240 and advanced \$100 for the cost of publishing said franchise, subject to adjustment by the Los Angeles Board of Supervisors to actual publishing costs.

The franchise granted by Ordinance No. 6240 is a Broughton ^{and after} Act franchise and extends for twenty-five years from December 25, 1952. This franchise applies to area formerly covered by Franchise No. 316 which expired in December, 1952, except that area covered by Franchise No. 1296. It also applies to additional small areas which were included to round out the logical service area of applicant in its San Gabriel Division.

The Commission has considered the application of California Water & Telephone Company for a certificate of public convenience and necessity and is of the opinion that it should be granted subject to the following provision of law:

That the Commission shall have no power to authorize the capitalization of this certificate of public convenience and necessity or the right to own, operate, or enjoy such certificate of public convenience and necessity in excess of the amount (exclusive of any tax or annual charge) actually paid to the State as the consideration for the issuance of such certificate of public convenience and necessity or right.

O R D E R

Application as above-entitled having been filed, a public hearing having been held, the matter having been submitted, and the Commission being fully advised and finding that public convenience and necessity so require,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that a certificate of public convenience and necessity be and it is granted to California Water & Telephone Company, a corporation, authorizing the exercise by it of the rights and privileges granted it by the County of Los Angeles by Ordinance No. 6240.

The effective date of this order shall be twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco California, this 22nd day of September, 1953.

A. E. [Signature]
President

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Commissioners

Peter E. Mitchell
Commissioners Justus F. Cracox, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.