

Decision No. 83611

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of NORTH LOS ALTOS WATER  
COMPANY to increase its rates and  
charges for its water system serving  
portions of the cities of Los Altos  
and Mountain View in Santa Clara  
County.

Application No. 53217

Application of FRANCIS LAND AND WATER  
COMPANY to increase its rates and  
charges for its water system serving  
the town of Ferndale and adjacent  
unincorporated territory in Humboldt  
County.

Application No. 53250

Application of JACKSON WATER WORKS,  
INC. to increase its rates and  
charges for its water system serving  
the city of Jackson and adjacent  
territory in Amador County.

Application No. 53288

ORDER GRANTING PETITION  
DATED AUGUST 13, 1974  
CONSOLIDATING APPLICATIONS,  
CANCELING HEARING DATES,  
AND SETTING BRIEFING DATES

The joint petition of applicants North Los Altos Water Company, Francis Land and Water Company, and Jackson Water Works, Inc. having been filed with the Commission requesting that these applications be consolidated and that further hearings in these applications be eliminated and that each of these applications be submitted on the basis of written exhibits and briefs to be presented by the parties, and the staff having joined in this request, and good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Applications Nos. 53217, 53250, and 53288 are hereby consolidated.
2. The further hearings previously ordered by the Commission in these three applications are canceled.
3. All parties may submit written exhibits and briefs in accordance with the following schedule:
  - a. November 1, 1974 - all parties to present concurrent exhibits;
  - b. November 12, 1974 - all parties to present concurrent opening briefs; and
  - c. November 25, 1974 - all parties to present closing briefs.

The effective date of this order is the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 16<sup>th</sup>  
day of OCTOBER, 1974.

Vernon L. Sturges  
President  
William J. Quinn  
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Commissioners

Commissioner J. P. Vukasin, Jr., being  
necessarily absent, did not participate  
in the disposition of this proceeding.