

# CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION DIVISION OF WATER AND AUDITS

## Advice Letter Cover Sheet

<p><b>Utility Name:</b> POINT ARENA WATER WORKS, INC.</p> <p><b>District:</b></p> <p><b>CPUC Utility #:</b> WTD - 40</p> <p><b>Advice Letter #:</b> 92</p> <p><b>Tier:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1   <input type="checkbox"/> 2   <input type="checkbox"/> 3   <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compliance</p> <p><b>Authorization:</b> Resolution M-4849</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Extends Covid-19 Emergency Customer Protections</p>	<p><b>Date Mailed to Service List:</b> 03/22/21</p> <p><b>Protest Deadline (20<sup>th</sup> Day):</b> 04/11/21</p> <p><b>Review Deadline (30<sup>th</sup> Day):</b> 04/21/21</p> <p><b>Requested Effective Date:</b> 04/01/21</p> <p><b>Rate Impact:</b> \$0 0%</p>
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The protest or response deadline for this advice letter is 20 days from the date that this advice letter was mailed to the service list. Please see the "Response or Protest" section in the advice letter for more information.

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<u>DATE</u>	<u>STAFF</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>

APPROVED                     
  WITHDRAWN                     
  REJECTED

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_                     
 **Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**POINT ARENA WATER WORKS, INC.**  
**Mendocino County**

March 22, 2021

ADVICE LETTER No. 92

TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

POINT ARENA WATER WORKS, INC. (PAWW) hereby transmits for filing one original and one copy each of the following tariffs schedules which are attached hereto:

The present rates of PAWW became effective on June 11, 2019, through Advice Letter No. 86-A, in which the Commission approved the rates in compliance with Resolution W-5195.

**Summary**

This advice letter is filed to inform the California Public Utilities Commission of PAWW's compliance with Resolution M-4849 and will extend the Emergency Customer Protections due to the Covid-19 Pandemic until June 30, 2021, as well as extend the appropriate memorandum account to June 30, 2021.

**Background**

On March 19, 2020 PAWW mailed to its customers information regarding customer protections due to the Covid-19 Pandemic State of Emergency. These protections included suspending disconnection of water service for customers who have been economically affected as a result of the Covid-19 Pandemic State of Emergency. In compliance with Resolution M-4849, PAWW will extend these customer protections and appropriate memorandum account to June 30, 2021.

This filing is made under the provisions of General Order No. 96-B.

This filing will not cause withdrawal of service nor conflict with any other schedule or rule.

**Requested Effective Date**

Advice Letter No. 92 is a Tier 1 advice letter. PAWW respectfully requests that Advice Letter No. 92 have an approval date of April 1, 2021.

**Notice**

In compliance with Section 4.3 of General Order No. 96-B, a copy of this advice letter has been mailed to all parties listed on the enclosed service list. In conformance with Ordering Paragraph No. 3 of Resolution No. W-4664, PAWW will provide notice to its customers of the increase in dollar and percentage terms with the first bill that includes the increase.

### **Response or Protest**

Anyone may respond to or protest this advice letter. A response supports the filing and may contain information that proves useful to the Commission in evaluating the advice letter. A protest objects to the advice letter in whole or in part and must set forth the specific grounds on which it is based.

These grounds are:

- (1) The utility did not properly serve or give notice of the advice letter;
- (2) The relief requested in the advice letter would violate statute or Commission order, or is not authorized by statute or Commission order on which the utility relies;
- (3) The analysis, calculations, or data in the advice letter contain material error or omissions;
- (4) The relief requested in the advice letter is pending before the Commission in a formal proceeding; or
- (5) The relief requested in the advice letter requires consideration in a formal hearing, or is otherwise inappropriate for the advice letter process; or
- (6) The relief requested in the advice letter is unjust, unreasonable, or discriminatory (provided that such a protest may not be made where it would require relitigating a prior order of the Commission).

A protest shall provide citations or proofs where available to allow staff to properly consider the protest.

A response or protest must be made in writing or by electronic mail and must be received by the Water Division within 20 days of the date this advice letter is filed. The address for mailing or delivering a protest is:

Tariff Unit, Water Division, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
California Public Utilities Commission  
505 Van Ness Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94102  
E-Mail: [water\\_division@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:water_division@cpuc.ca.gov)

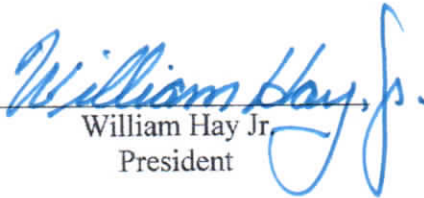
On the same day the response or protest is submitted to the Water Division, the respondent or protestant shall send a copy of the protest by mail or e-mail to us, addressed to:

Point Arena Water Works  
P.O. Box 205  
Point Arena, CA 95468  
Fax No. (707) 882-3258

Cities and counties that need Board of Supervisors or Board of Commissioners approval to protest should inform the Water Division, within the 20 day protest period, so that a late filed protest can be entertained. The informing document should include an estimate of the date the proposed protest might be voted on.

Replies: The utility shall reply to each protest and may reply to any response. Each reply must be received by the Division of Water and Audits within five business days after the end of the protest period, and shall be served on the same day to the person who filed the protest or response.

Point Arena Water Works, Inc.

By   
William Hay Jr.  
President


Attachments

**POINT ARENA WATER WORKS, INC.**  
**P.O. BOX 205**  
**POINT ARENA, CA 95468**

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy via first class United States mail and via E-mail of the following document, Point Arena Water Works, Inc. Advice Letter No. 92, upon the California Public Utilities Commission as shown on the Service List attached hereto, a copy thereof properly addressed to each party. Additionally, I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy via first class United States mail and/or via certified United States Mail, of the following document, Point Arena Water Works, Inc. Advice Letter No. 92, upon all additional parties of record as shown on the Service List attached hereto, a copy thereof properly addressed to each party.

Executed in Point Arena, California on the 22nd day of March, 2021.

  
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Carla Sigman  
Administrative Assistant

**POINT ARENA WATER WORKS, INC.**  
**P.O. BOX 205**  
**POINT ARENA, CA 95468**

**POINT ARENA WATER WORKS, INC.**  
**ADVICE LETTER No. 92**  
**SERVICE LIST**  
**(AS PER SECTION 4.3 OF GENERAL ORDER No. 96-B)**

Via First Class United States Mail and E-mail

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Without Attachments:

Via Certified United States Mail

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Point Arena, CA 95468-0067

Via First Class United States Mail

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