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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF MACON

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION Personally appeared before the undersigned, Rachel Hoskins, who having been duly sworn on oath that she is the Regional Publisher of The Franklin Press, and the following legal advertisement was published in The Franklin Press newspaper, and entered as second class mail in the Town of Franklin in said county and state; and that she is authorized to make this affidavit and sworn statement; that the notice or other legal advertisement, a true copy of which is attached hereto, was published in The Franklin Press newspaper on the following dates:

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And that the said newspaper in which such notice, paper, document or legal advertisement was published, was at the time of each and every such publication, a newspaper meeting all the requirements and qualifications of Section I-597 of the General Statues of North Carolina and was a qualified newspaper within the meaning of the Section I-597 of the General Statues of North Carolina.

Signature of person making affidavit

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of October, 2020

Judy Ann White Notary Public

Notary Public
My Commission Expires: September 5, 2034

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMM SSION
RALEIGH
DOCKET NO. G-41, SUB 55
BEFORE THE NORTH
CAROLINA UTILITIES
COMMISSION
In the Matter of
Application of Toccoa Natural
Gas for Annual
Review of Gas Costs
Pursuant to
N.C.G.S. § 62-133.4(c) and N.C.G.S. § 62-133.4(c) and Commission Rule R1-17(k)(6)

PUBLIC NOTICE

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the North Carolina Utilities Commission has scheduled a public hearing to conduct an annual review of the cost of natural gas supply, storage and transportation for Toccoa Natural Gas (Toccoa). The public hearing has been scheduled for Wednesday, November 4, 2020, at 10:00 a.m. in Commission Hearing Room 2115, Dobbs Building, 430 North Salisbury Street, Raleigh, North Carolina. The hearing is being held pursuant to the provisions of N.C. Gen. Stat. § 62-133.4(c) and Commission Rule R1-17(k)(6) for the purpose of comparing Toccoa's prudently-incurred gas costs with costs recovered from all of the utility's customers served during the test period. Public witness testimony will be received in accordance with Commission Rule R1-21(g). Further, all persons attending the public witness hearing will be required to wear a mask or other appropriate face covering, and will be required to the subject matter of this hearing on September 1, 2020. Further information may be obtained from the Office of the Chief Clerk, North Carolina Utilities Commission, 430 North Salisbury Street, Raleigh, North Carolina, where a copy of Toccoa's testimony is available for review by the public. Also, documents can be, viewed on the Commission's website at www.ncuc.net.

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The Public Staff is authorized by statute to represent consumers in proceedings before the Commission. Correspondence regarding the annual review proceeding and the hearing thereon should be directed to the Public Staff and should include any information which the writer wishes to be considered by the Public Staff in its investigation of the matter. Such statements should be addressed to Mr. Christopher J. Ayers, Executive Director, Public Staff, 4326 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300.

The Attorney General is also authorized by statute to represent consumers in proceedings before the Commission. Statements to the Attorney General should be addressed to The Honorable Josh Stein, Attorney General, c/o Consumer Protection-Utilities, 9001 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-9001. Written statements may be emailed to utilityAGO@ncdoj.gov.

Written statements are not evidence unless the writers appear at a public hearing and testify concerning the information contained in their written statements.

Persons desiring to intervene in this proceeding as formal parties

contained in their written statements. Persons desiring to intervene in this proceeding as formal parties should file a petition to intervene pursuant to Commission Rules R1-5 and R1-19 on or before Tuesday, October 20, 2020. Such petitions should be filed with the Chief Clerk of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, 4325 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300. The direct testimony and exhibits of expert witnesses to be presented by intervenors should also be filed with the Commission on or before Tuesday, October 20, 2020. ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION. This the 8th day of September, 2020.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION Kimberley A. Campbell, Chief 09/30/2020-10/07/2020#600133