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**Subject:** RE: A21-01-003 PPH Speaker Sign Up.

To the Parties on the Service List of A.21-01-003:

This ruling grants the request from Water Rates Advocates for Transparency, Equity and Sustainability (WRATES) to allow Patrick Kearns, MD. and Rita Benton to appear as a permitted speakers on behalf of WRATES at the remote Public Participation Hearing, scheduled on May 13, 2021 at 1:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. (A copy of the request by email is attached to this ruling.)

**IT IS SO RULED.**

**THE DOCKET OFFICE SHALL FORMALLY FILE THIS RULING.**

**Daphne Lee**

Administrative Law Judge II  
California Public Utilities Commission  
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Honorable Daphne Lee,

CPUC Administrative Law Judge  
505 VAN NESS AVENUE  
San Francisco, CA 94102

Re: A2101003 General rate case for San Jose Water

Co. Public Participation Hearing

Your Honor,

This communication is to inform you about WRATES participation in the remote May 13, 2021 Public Participation Hearings for A2101003 as requested. WRATES is requesting that both the Speaker and Backup representative be given the WebEx link and speaker code to allow for unanticipated technical problems. The information for WRATES' presentation is:

Speaker with slides that can be shared if possible

1. The Designated Speaker's First & Last Name; Rita Benton
2. Party Name; Water Rate Advocates for Transparency, Equity and Sustainability
3. Speaker's Phone Number; and, 408 529 4607
4. Speaker's Email Address. [Rita\\_benton@ymail.com](mailto:Rita_benton@ymail.com)

Backup representative:

1. The Designated Speaker's First & Last Name; Patrick Kearns, MD
2. Party Name; Water Rate Advocates for Transparency, Equity and Sustainability
3. Speaker's Phone Number; and, 408 234 6727
4. Speaker's Email Address. [pjk3@comcast.net](mailto:pjk3@comcast.net)

As per the new Rule 1.18 implementing PUC §1701.1(g) (May 1, 2021,, we are instructing public participants to submit their comments in writing and electronically "to be considered as comments that will become part of the record." We anticipate that the Public Advocates Office representative will inform ratepayers, customers and the public on how to submit comments electronically via the link: [Submit comments to;](https://apps.cpuc.ca.gov/apex/f?p=401:65:0::NO::) (<https://apps.cpuc.ca.gov/apex/f?p=401:65:0::NO::>) or [cpuc.ca.gov/A2101003comments](https://cpuc.ca.gov/A2101003comments). As per the Notice of Public FORUMS (Public Participation Hearings), there is no direction on submitting comments in writing.

WRATES notes the Public Notice provides an English and Spanish version. In Santa Clara County, the Health and Hospital System has included Vietnamese as a language used for signage and public documents. This can serve as an alert to the Public Advisor's Office that this may be a not infrequent request for translation services. Since this language preference group did not receive a Public Notice in their language, they may not realize they need to call 5 days in advance.

WRATES and the Public Advocates Office met on April 20, 2021 to coordinate their presentations to avoid unnecessary duplication of content. If any points are repeated in the 2 presentations, it is intended for emphasis.

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Your Honor,

As directed in the *April 7, 2021 E-Mail Ruling Directing Party Participation Before and During the Live Stream and Telephonic PPHs*, the Public Advocates Office at the California Public Utilities Commission (Cal Advocates) identifies below its designated speaker:

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Very kind regards,

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