Minutes of the Oklahoma Corporation Commission State of Oklahoma

August 13, 2025 – 1:30 p.m.

These are the minutes for the Corporation Commission's ("Commission") regular meeting conducted in accordance with the Open Meeting Act on August 13, 2025, in the Concourse Theater, Suite C50, Will Rogers Memorial Office Building, 2401 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105. Archived Commission meeting recordings may be accessed on the Commission's website.

The notice and agenda for the meeting were posted prominently and publicly at the principal office of the Commission at the Will Rogers Memorial Office Building, 2401 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105 at 12:00 p.m., August 12, 2025, by Commission employees acting under the direction of Chairman Kim David. The notice and agenda are also made available to the public on the Commission's website, Oklahoma.gov/occ. A copy of the notice and agenda is attached to these minutes as Appendix A.

Chairman David called the meeting to order at 1:31 p.m.

Members present were Chairman Kim David, Commissioner J. Todd Hiett, and Commissioner Brian Bingman. A quorum of the Commission was present. Interested persons participated in the meeting in person or by teleconference/videoconference when and as authorized.

<u>Approval of minutes of prior meeting(s)</u> Commissioner David announced the agenda item and recognized Garey Wortham, commission secretary, to present the minutes for approval. The Commissioners unanimously approved the minutes for July 23, 2025, at 10:00 a.m., July 23, 2025, at 1:30 p.m., and August 7, 2025, at 2:00 p.m.

Consideration of and possible vote(s) on proposed or potential orders in cases on the daily signing agenda docket. The Commission may discuss and consider alterations, revisions, or amendments to the proposed or potential orders. (Votes may be taken on individual cases, on the daily signing agenda docket as a whole, or both by individual cases and the remaining docket. The vote on daily signing agenda cases may be combined with the vote on 24-hour signing agenda cases.) Commissioner David announced the agenda item and recognized Garey Wortham, commission secretary, to present the items for approval. Mr. Wortham announced that due to a data systems outage on August 12, 2025, fourteen proposed daily orders were to be considered by the Commission for issuance on this date as walk through items in addition to the proposed orders on the regularly posted daily agenda for August 13, 2025. Discussion was held. The Commission directed that the proposed orders for case numbers CD2023-002182, CD2023-002183, CD2023-002184, and CD2025-000645 be stricken from the items to be considered from the August 12, 2025 daily agenda. The Commission also directed that the proposed order for Case No. EN2025-000133 be stricken from the daily agenda for August 13, 2025. The Commissioners unanimously approved the remainder of the proposed orders, with the exception of the order issued in Case No. CD2025-002141, in which Commissioner Bingman did not participate.

Case No. PUD2025-000057, Application of Navitas Utility Corporation for Waiver of OAC 165:20-3-1(c), for discussion of and possible vote(s) on a proposed Order Transferring Docket, and/or any alterations, revisions, or amendments thereto proposed at the meeting

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Commissioner David announced the agenda item. Discussion was held. Commissioner David CALLED FOR A VOTE on the proposed *Order Transferring Docket*.

VOTE: Commissioner David Aye

Commissioner Hiett Aye Commissioner Bingman Aye

The order was approved.

Case No. GD2024-000006, In Re: Inquiry of the Oklahoma Corporation Commission to Examine the Structural Resiliency and Hardening of Wood Utility Pole Systems in Use by Regulated Electric Utilities

- A. <u>Presentation by Mark Argenbright, Director of the Public Utility Division, of the Summary Report and Conclusion, filed on August 8, 2025</u>
- B. <u>Discussion of and possible vote(s) on a proposed Order Closing Notice of Inquiry, and/or any alterations, revisions, or amendments thereto proposed at the meeting</u>

Commissioner David recognized Mark Argenbright, director of the Public Utility Division, to present a *Summary Report and Conclusion* on this matter. Discussion was held. Commissioner David recognized Oklahoma State Representative Mike Dobrinski to offer comments on this item. At the conclusion of comments, Commissioner David **CALLED FOR A VOTE** on the proposed *Order Closing Notice of Inquiry*.

VOTE: Commissioner David Aye

Commissioner Hiett Aye Commissioner Bingman Aye

The order was approved.

Briefing of recent activity impacting the Commission's Transportation Division, including administrative, staffing, legislative, and budget updates – Director of the Transportation Division, Paul Swigart Commissioner David recognized Paul Swigart, director of the Transportation Division, to present this item. Discussion was held.

New Business There was no new business.

Adjournment The meeting adjourned at 2:22 p.m.

Kim David, Chairman

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ATTESTED this 26th day of August 2025.

Garey L. Wortham, Commission Secretary

OKLAHOMA CORPORATION COMMISSION Notice of Public Meeting Regular Meeting

Notice is hereby given to all persons that the Oklahoma Corporation Commission ("Commission") shall meet and conduct business, as follows:

Time, Day, and Date: 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, August 13, 2025

Place: Concourse Theater, Suite C50, Will Rogers Memorial

Office Building, 2401 North Lincoln Boulevard,

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105

The Concourse Theater is in the tunnel between the Will Rogers Memorial Office Building and the Sequoyah

Memorial Office Building in the Capitol Complex

Purpose: Conducting of daily business enumerated in the items below

Posting Division: Chairman Kim David

AGENDA

Item	Topic
I.	A. Call to order B. Announcement concerning public notice C. Determination of quorum
II.	Approval of minutes of prior meeting(s)
III.	Consideration of and possible vote(s) on proposed or potential orders in cases on the daily signing agenda docket. The Commission may discuss and consider alterations, revisions, or amendments to the proposed or potential orders. (Votes may be taken on individual cases, on the daily signing agenda docket as a whole, or both by individual cases and the remaining docket.)
IV.	Case No. PUD2025-000057, Application of Navitas Utility Corporation for Waiver of OAC 165:20-3-1(c), for discussion of and possible vote(s) on a proposed Order Transferring Docket, and/or any alterations, revisions, or amendments thereto proposed at the meeting
V.	 Case No. GD2024-000006, In Re: Inquiry of the Oklahoma Corporation Commission to Examine the Structural Resiliency and Hardening of Wood Utility Pole Systems in Use by Regulated Electric Utilities A. Presentation by Mark Argenbright, Director of the Public Utility Division, of the Summary Report and Conclusion, filed on August 8, 2025 B. Discussion of and possible vote(s) on a proposed Order Closing Notice of Inquiry, and/or any alterations, revisions, or amendments thereto proposed at the meeting

VI.	Briefing of recent activity impacting the Commission's Transportation Division, including administrative, staffing, legislative, and budget updates — Director of the Transportation Division, Paul Swigart
VII.	New business A. Any matter not known about and which could not have been reasonably foreseen 24 hours before the meeting B. Possible vote(s) on matters of new business
VIII.	Adjournment

The Commission may take up the above items of business in a different sequence than that listed.

The meeting is open to the public.

If public comment is listed on an agenda item, and authorized, each speaker will be allowed no more than five (5) minutes, and the subject must pertain to the agenda item.

This notice was posted prominently and publicly at the principal offices of the Oklahoma Corporation Commission at the Will Rogers Memorial Office Building, 2401 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105 at 12:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 12, 2025.



BEFORE THE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA DAILY SIGNING AGENDA (PROPOSED ORDERS)

Date: Wednesday, August 13, 2025

Time: 1:30 PM

Place: CONCOURSE THEATER - WILL ROGERS BUILDING

Case Number CD2024-002485 Order Type Final RSO OKC

Parties VALIDUS ENERGY II MIDCON LLC

(Applicant)

Relief Type(s) Multi-unit horizontal well

1st Legal Loc./County S3 T7N R6W / Grady

Order Title FINAL ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

MULTIUNIT HORIZONTAL WELL

Case Number CD2024-002486 Order Type Final RSO OKC

Parties VALIDUS ENERGY II MIDCON LLC

(Applicant)

Relief Type(s) Multi-unit horizontal well

1st Legal Loc./County S3 T7N R6W / Grady

Order Title FINAL ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

MULTIUNIT HORIZONTAL WELL

Case Number CD2024-002943 Order Type Final RSO OKC

Parties VALIDUS ENERGY II MIDCON LLC

(Applicant)

Relief Type(s) Multi-unit horizontal well

1st Legal Loc./County S4 T7N R6W / Grady

Order Title FINAL ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

MULTIUNIT HORIZONTAL WELL

Case Number CD2025-000607 Order Type Final RSO OKC

Parties BCE-MACH III LLC (Applicant)

Relief Type(s) Multi-unit horizontal well

1st Legal Loc./County S11 T18N R6W / Kingfisher

Order Title ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

Case Number CD2025-000608 Order Type Final RSO OKC

Parties BCE-MACH III LLC (Applicant)

Relief Type(s) Location Exception

1st Legal Loc./County S11 T18N R6W / Kingfisher

Order Title ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

Case Number CD2025-002053 Order Type Interim RSO TUL

Parties VALIDUS ENERGY II MIDCON LLC

(Applicant)

Relief Type(s) Location Exception

1st Legal Loc./County S14 T12N R9W / Canadian

Order Title INTERIM ORDER

Case Number EN2024-000155

Order Type Final

RSO OKC

Parties STRICKLAND, ROBYN (Applicant) | BEE SQUARE ENERGY RESOURCES LLC (Respondent)

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Relief Type(s) Contempt, Assess Fine(s), Prior Order/Permit -

1st Legal Loc./County S22 T10N R11E / Okfuskee

Order Title FINAL ORDER

Case Number EN2024-000257 Order Type Interim RSO OKC

Parties STRICKLAND, ROBYN (Applicant) | CIRCLE 9 Relief Type(s) Contempt, Assess Fine(s), Surety - Forfeit, RESOURCES LLC (Respondent)

Surety - Increase

1st Legal Loc./County S7 T11N R10E / Okfuskee

Order Title AGREED INTERIM ORDER

Case Number EN2025-000133 Order Type Final

RSO OKC

Parties HODGES, JEREMY (Applicant) | MAXIM **ENERGY CORPORATION (Respondent)** Relief Type(s) Contempt, Assess Fine(s), Surety - Forfeit,

Surety - Increase

1st Legal Loc./County S22 T18N R6W / Kingfisher

Order Title FINAL ORDER

Case Number PD2025-000092

Order Type Final

RSO OKC

Parties A&A TANK TRUCK CO (Applicant)

Relief Type(s) Rule - Waiver or Exception

1st Legal Loc./County S2 T5N R5W / Grady

Order Title ORDER OF THE COMMISSION