

**AUSTIN ENERGY'S
2022 BASE RATE REVIEW**

**§ BEFORE THE CITY OF AUSTIN
§
§ IMPARTIAL HEARING EXAMINER**

NOTICE OF PROCEDURAL GUIDELINES SECTION C(2) RULING

Austin Energy files this Notice of Procedural Guidelines Section C(2) Ruling in response to the following Requests for Information (“RFI”)¹:

- Independent Consumer Advocate (“ICA”) 6-1

The City of Austin Law Department has reviewed the RFI listed above and determined that some responsive Austin Energy information pertains to a pending lawsuit and is therefore protected under attorney-client privilege, attorney work product privilege, or the litigation exception to the Public Information Act (Government Code Section 552.103). Notwithstanding the foregoing, Austin Energy will provide responsive documents that do not fall within the scope of this ruling.

Any party seeking further relief may submit a formal Texas Public Information Act request to Austin Energy at public.information@austintexas.gov. Austin Energy will then seek a ruling from the Texas Attorney General. Please see the [City of Austin’s Public Records Center](#) for more information about how to make a Public Information Act request.

¹ See Appendix A.

Respectfully submitted,

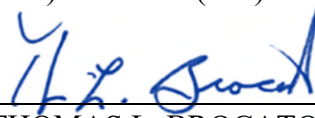
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Appendix A – RFI Requests

ICA 6-1: Provide all internal correspondence, memoranda, and reports pertaining to development of the Rate Class Amendment.