

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
DISTRICT OF RHODE ISLAND**

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In re   CENTRAL COVENTRY  
      FIRE DISTRICT

BK No.: 14-12785  
Chapter 9

Debtor

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**ORDER ON DEBTOR’S MOTION FOR CLARIFICATION AND/OR  
WAIVER OF THE SERVICE REQUIREMENTS OF LOCAL RULE 9013-3  
(this relates to Doc. #38)**

After hearing held on January 16, 2015, on the Emergency Motion for Clarification and/or Waiver of the Service Requirements of Local Rule 9013-3 filed by the Central Coventry Fire District (“the District”), the debtor in the above-captioned case, by and through its state-appointed receiver, Mark Pfeiffer, the Court hereby ORDERS (hereafter for the purposes of this case, the “Service Order”) that the requirements of Local Rule 9013-3 may be modified as follows:

(1)    The Court’s Order Setting Deadline for Objections to the Debtor’s Petition / Entry of Order for Relief or Motions to Dismiss the Debtor’s Case shall be served on or before January 21, 2015, by mail on all creditors and employees of the District, on all former employees of the District receiving or entitled to receive retirement benefits, including health care benefits, and all other interested parties as provided to the Court on January 2, 2015, EXCEPT:

- (a)    service by the Court’s ECF noticing system (“ECF”) may be made on all parties who are represented by counsel who have entered an appearance in the case;
- (b)    service on counsel for the Coventry Professional Firefighters, International Association of Fire Fighters Local 3372 (the “Union”) shall be deemed sufficient service upon all active employees of the District represented herein by the Union (the “Union Employees”);
- (c)    service by electronic mail may be made on all parties for whom the Receiver or Receiver’s counsel have received email addresses;

- (d) service on the Board Members of the District may be served by electronic mail on counsel for the Board; and
- (e) service of this Order may be accompanied by a notice to creditors and interested parties to provide email addresses to the Receiver's counsel in order to receive service of future filings and notices from the Court that do not specifically relate to or affect said parties' interests in the case.

(2) Service of the District's Motion to Approve Rejection of Collective Bargaining Agreement and the Court's Order setting objection deadline thereon shall be made by mail on all employees of the District, except that service on all Union Employees may be made through ECF upon counsel for the Union, on all former employees of the District receiving or entitled to receive retirement benefits, including health care benefits, and on all other parties as follows:

- (a) by regular mail on the 20 largest unsecured creditors who are not represented by counsel or who have not otherwise provided the Receiver or Receiver's counsel with an email address; (such service may omit the Exhibits to the Motion so long as such creditors are advised that copies can be obtained by electronic mail upon request of counsel for the District);
- (b) through ECF on all parties who are represented by counsel that has entered an appearance in the case and parties who filed requests for notice herein; and
- (c) by electronic mail on all parties who provided email addresses to the Receiver or Receiver's counsel.

(3) Service of any filings, notices and orders that are not required to be served on all creditors and other interested parties under the Federal Bankruptcy Rules of Procedure or other local rules of this Court may, so long as the motions or notices do not specifically affect or pertain to such creditors or other parties, be made as follows:

- (a) by mail on the 20 largest creditors who are not represented by counsel or who have not otherwise provided the Receiver or Receiver's counsel with an email address;
- (b) through ECF on all parties who are represented by counsel who have entered an appearance in the case or filed requests for notice herein;

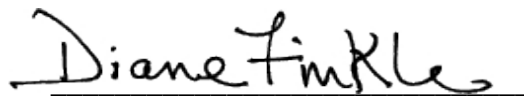
- (c) on all Union Employees through ECF upon counsel for the Union;
- (d) by electronic mail on all parties for whom the Receiver or Receiver's counsel have received email addresses; and
- (e) on the Board Members of the District by electronic mail on counsel for the Board.

(4) The District shall file an Amended Creditor List by February 3, 2015, which shall designate which claims are disputed, undisputed, unliquidated or contingent after additional review of the District's books and records and any proofs of claim that may have been filed in the previous state court receivership proceeding of the District. The Notice of the Amended Creditor's List (with the List attached) shall be served in accordance with paragraph (1) above. Said Notice may be accompanied by an additional notice requiring that valid email addresses be provided to the Receiver's Counsel on or before February 17, 2015, in order to obtain future notices and copies of all filings, notices and orders; otherwise said creditors and parties will only receive notice of those matters specifically affecting said creditor or party as required under the Federal Bankruptcy Rules of Procedure or the Court's Local Rules.

(5) Notwithstanding the provisions of this Order, the Court may direct notice and service in a manner different from the terms of this Order for particular notices or filings as the Court deems appropriate in the interest of justice.

Date: January 20, 2015

By the Court,



Diane Finkle  
United States Bankruptcy Judge