CHESAPEAKE UTILITIES CORP Form POS AM August 22, 2018

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Registration No. 333-63381

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Post-Effective Amendment No. 1

to

FORM S-3

REGISTRATION STATEMENT

UNDER

THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

CHESAPEAKE UTILITIES CORPORATION

 $(Exact\ name\ of\ registrant\ as\ specified\ in\ its\ charter)$

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of

51-0064146 (I.R.S. Employer

incorporation or organization)

Identification Number)

909 Silver Lake Boulevard

Dover, Delaware 19904

(302) 734-6799

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant s principal executive offices)

Beth W. Cooper

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Chesapeake Utilities Corporation

909 Silver Lake Boulevard

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(Name, address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: Not applicable. Removal from registration of securities that were not sold pursuant to the above referenced registration statement.

If the only securities being registered on this form are being offered pursuant to dividend or interest reinvestment plans, please check the following box.

If any of the securities being registered on this Form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 of the Securities Act of 1933, other than securities offered only in connection with dividend or interest reinvestment plans, check the following box.

If this Form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act, please check the following box and lit the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

If this Form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(c) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

If this Form is a registration statement pursuant to General Instruction I.D. or a post-effective amendment thereto that shall become effective upon filing with the Commission pursuant to Rule 462(e) under the Securities Act, please check the following box.

If this Form is a post-effective amendment to a registration statement filed pursuant to General Instruction I.D. filed to register additional securities or additional classes of securities pursuant to Rule 413(b) under the Securities Act, please check the following box.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company, or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of large accelerated filer, accelerated filer, smaller reporting company, and emerging growth company in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer Accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer Smaller reporting company

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 7(a)(2)(B) of the Securities Act.

DEREGISTRATION OF SECURITIES

This Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 (the Post-Effective Amendment) relates to the Registration Statement on Form S-3 (No. 333-63381) (the Registration Statement) filed by Chesapeake Utilities Corporation (the Company) on September 14, 1998. The Company is filing this Post-Effective Amendment to withdraw and remove from registration the unissued and unsold shares of the Company s common stock, \$0.4867 par value per share, issuable by the Company pursuant to the Registration Statement.

In accordance with an undertaking made by the Company in the Registration Statement to remove from registration, by means of a post-effective amendment, any of its securities that remain unsold at the termination of the offering, the Company hereby removes from registration all such securities registered under the Registration Statement that remain unsold as of the date hereof.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing this Post-Effective Amendment to the Registration Statement and has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment to the Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Dover, State of Delaware, on the 22nd day of August, 2018.

CHESAPEAKE UTILITIES CORPORATION

By: /s/ Michael P. McMasters
Michael P. McMasters
President and Chief Executive Officer

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

/s/ John R. Schimkaitis /s/ Michael P. McMasters

John R. Schimkaitis, Chairman of the Board and Michael P. McMasters, President, Chief Executive

Director Officer and Director

Date: August 22, 2018 (Principal Executive Officer)

Date: August 22, 2018

/s/ Beth W. Cooper /s/ Eugene H. Bayard

Beth W. Cooper, Senior Vice President and Chief Eugene H. Bayard, Esq., Director

Date: August 22, 2018

(Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

Financial Officer

Date: August 22, 2018

/s/ Thomas J. Bresnan /s/ Dr. Ronald G. Forsythe, Jr.

Thomas J. Bresnan, Director Dr. Ronald G. Forsythe, Jr., Director

Date: August 22, 2018 Date: August 22, 2018

/s/ Thomas P. Hill, Jr. /s/ Dennis S. Hudson, III

Thomas P. Hill, Jr., Director Dennis S. Hudson, III, Director

Date: August 22, 2018 Date: August 22, 2018

/s/ Paul L. Maddock, Jr.

/s/ Calvert A. Morgan

Paul L. Maddock, Jr. Director

Calvert A. Morgan, Jr., Director

Date: August 22, 2018

Date: August 22, 2018

/s/ Dianna F. Morgan

Dianna F. Morgan, Director

Date: August 22, 2018