

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Application of)
Foxfire Utility Company for Authority to)
Transfer Certain Water and Sewer)
Assets Located in Stone County,) File No. WM-2022-0186
Missouri to Ozarks Clean Water)
Company, and in Connection Therewith,)
Certain Other Related Transactions.)

JOINT PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

COMES NOW Foxfire Utility Company (“Foxfire”) and Ozarks Clean Water Company (“OCWC”) (collectively, the “Applicants”), by and through the undersigned counsel, on behalf of themselves, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, and the Office of the Public Counsel, known together herein as “the Parties,” and for their *Joint Proposed Procedural Schedule*, hereby states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”):

1. The Applicants filed their Application in this matter on March 15, 2022. On August 9, 2022, the Commission conducted a procedural conference in this matter.
2. Subsequent to that conference, the Parties have discussed the procedural schedule, and, as a result, have reached agreement on the following proposed schedule:

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| Direct Testimony - Applicants | - | August 19, 2022 |
| Rebuttal Testimony - Non-Company Parties | - | September 23, 2022 |
| Surrebuttal Testimony - All | - | October 11, 2022 |
| Joint List of Issues, Order of Witnesses, Order of Cross-Examination, Order of Opening filed by Staff | - | October 14, 2022 |
| Statements of Position | - | October 19, 2022 |

Evidentiary Hearing - **October 24-25, 2022**
Initial Briefs - **November 16, 2022**
Reply Briefs - **November 30, 2022**

3. Further, after the filing of Direct Testimony, the Parties agree that in regard to discovery, the Parties shall have five (5) business days to object to any data request and ten (10) calendar days to respond. However, data requests served after noon on a Friday will be treated as if served the next business day. Also, if a deadline falls on a weekend or a holiday, the due date will be the next business day thereafter.

4. As a result of this agreement, the Parties request the Commission to establish a procedural schedule in this matter as described herein.

WHEREFORE, Applicants, on behalf of the Parties, request that the Commission accept this *Joint Proposed Procedural Schedule*; issue an Order setting the dates of this procedural schedule; and, grant such other and further relief as the Commission considers just in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been sent by electronic mail this 10th day of August, 2022, to:

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