

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

In the Matter of Liberty Utilities	)	
(Midstates Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a	)	
Liberty Utilities' Tariff Revisions	)	
Designed To Implement a General Rate	)	Case No. GR-2014-0152
Increase for Natural Gas Service in the	)	
Missouri Service Areas of the Company	)	

**LOCAL PUBLIC HEARING RECOMMENDATIONS**

COMES NOW the Missouri Office of the Public Counsel and offers the following recommendations for local public hearing dates, times and locations:

1. The Commission's February 7, 2014 *Order Suspending Tariff, Directing Notice, Setting Hearings and Directing Filings* directs Public Counsel to file no later than April 3, 2014 recommendations as to the dates, times and locations for local public hearings.

2. Subject to availability, Public Counsel proposes the following local public hearing schedule:

Monday, June 30, 2014 at 12:00 p.m.	Jackson
Monday, June 30, 2014 at 6:00 p.m.	Sikeston
...	
Tuesday, July 1, 2014 at 6:00 p.m.	Hannibal
...	
Wednesday, July 2, 2014 at 6:00 p.m.	Kirksville
...	
Monday, July 7, 2014 at 6:00 p.m.	Butler

3. Public Counsel solicited input from other parties regarding these recommended dates, times and locations. Public Counsel is not aware of any opposition to these recommendations.

WHEREFORE, the Office of the Public Counsel respectfully requests that the Commission approve these recommendations for local public hearings and that the Commission schedule local public hearings accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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