

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

In the Matter of the Joint Application of	)	
Missouri-American Water Company and both	)	
Osage Water Company and Environmental	)	
Utilities, L.L.C. for Authority for Missouri-	)	
American Water Company to acquire the water	)	Case No. WO-2005-0086
and sewer assets of both entities, and for the	)	Case No. SO-2005-0087
transfer to Missouri-American Water Company of	)	
Certificates of Convenience and Necessity to	)	
continue operation of such assets as Water and	)	
Sewer Corporations regulated by the Missouri	)	
Public Service Commission.	)	

**MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE**

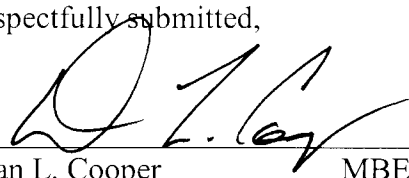
COMES NOW Missouri-American Water Company (“MAWC” or the “Company”), and, as its motion to consolidate, states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”):

1. The Company has filed with the Commission an application to acquire both water and sewer assets of Osage Water Company and Environmental Utilities, L.L.C. Two case numbers have been assigned for this purpose (WO-2005-0086 and SO-2005-0087).
2. The proposed purchase of the water and sewer assets is essentially a single transaction governed by agreements addressing both water and sewer assets.
3. Accordingly, MAWC believes that there are common questions of law and fact in the above-referenced cases and that the consolidation of Cases Nos. WO-2005-0086 and SO-2005-0087 would be administratively expedient in that it would simplify the filings to be made.

WHEREFORE, MAWC requests a Commission order consolidating Cases Nos. WO-2005-

0086 and SO-2005-0087, with Case No. WO-2005-0086 being the lead case.

Respectfully submitted,



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