

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

In the matter of the Application of)	
The Meadows Water Company, North)	
Suburban Public Utility Company)	
and the City of Willard, Missouri)	
for an order authorizing the Sale,)	Case No. WO-2007-0424
Transfer and Assignment of Water and)	
Sewer Assets to the City of Willard)	
and in connection therewith)	
certain other related transactions.)	
)	

JOINTLY PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

COME NOW The Meadows Water Company (The Meadows), North Suburban Public Utility Company (North Suburban) and the City of Willard, Missouri, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, the Office of the Public Counsel, and the City of Springfield, Missouri, by and through undersigned counsel and for their Proposed Procedural Schedule, state as follows:

1. In its order scheduling the prehearing conference in this matter, the Commission directed that the parties jointly prepare a proposed procedural schedule for filing no later than August 7, 2007.

2. The parties appeared at the prehearing conference on July 31, 2007. The parties have conferred and, after due consideration, respectfully request the Commission to adopt the following procedural schedule:

Direct Testimony	September 17, 2007
Company	
Rebuttal Testimony	October 19, 2007
Staff, OPC, Intervenor	

Surrebuttal Testimony
All Parties

November 5, 2007

List of Issues, List of Witnesses, Order of
Cross-Examination

November 13, 2007

Evidentiary Hearing

November 27 and 28, 2007

WHEREFORE, the parties jointly move the Commission to issue its Order adopting the above-proposed procedural schedule and imposing the standard conditions.

Respectfully submitted,

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