

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

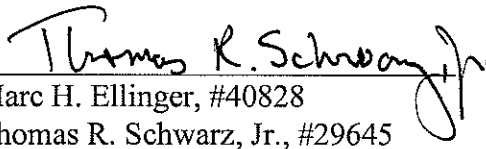
In the Matter of Missouri-American Water Company's)
Request for Authority to Implement a General Rate) **File No. WR-2010-0131**
Increase for Water Service Provided in Missouri)
Service Areas)

**INTERVENOR CITY OF JOPLIN'S
TEST YEAR AND TRUE-UP RECOMMENDATION**

COMES NOW Intervenor City of Joplin and, pursuant to the Commission's Order Suspending Tariff, Directing Filings, Setting Conferences and Hearings, and Directing Notice; and Notice of Contested Case entered in this matter on November 18, 2009, respectfully states that it takes no position on the test year recommended by Missouri American Water Company in this case, nor on the necessity for a true-up hearing at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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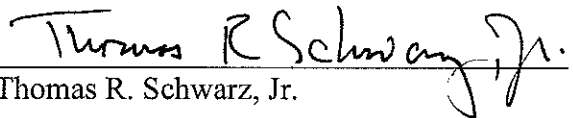
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing Intervenor City of Joplin's Test Year and True-Up Recommendation was sent to each of the following parties of record via electronic transmission this 14th day of December, 2009:

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