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November 29, 2000

Mr. Dale H. Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge
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Missouri Public
Service Commission

**Re: City of Rolla, Missouri
Case No. EA-2000-308**

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced case please find the original and eight copies of **Motion to Allow Pre-Filing of Exhibit**. Please "file" stamp the extra-enclosed copy and return it to this office.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "M. Ruth O'Neill".

M. Ruth O'Neill
Assistant Public Counsel

MRO:jb

cc: Counsel of Record

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Application of the)
City of Rolla, Missouri, for an Order)
Assigning Exclusive Service Territories)
And for Determination of Fair and)
Reasonable Compensation pursuant to)
Section 386.800 RSMo 1994)

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MOTION TO ALLOW PRE-FILING OF EXHIBIT

COMES NOW, the Office of Public Counsel (Public Counsel), and respectfully moves the Missouri Public Service Commission to admit the attached Exhibit into evidence in this case. This motion is made for the reason that, through November 28, 2000, Public Counsel has received approximately 100 letters from persons who state that their interests are affected by the City of Rolla's application for an Order Assigning the areas at issue in this matter. The senders of these letters oppose Rolla's application to become the sole provider of electric service to areas, which have been recently annexed into the Rolla city limits.

Although Public Counsel has not, to date, taken a position on whether the City of Rolla's application should be granted, the Office of Public Counsel believes that it is appropriate for this Commission to give due consideration to the wishes of the customers and property owners who will be affected by this Commission's decision. Public Counsel believes that the contents of this exhibit are relevant to the issues before the Commission in this proceeding, and so should be admitted into evidence.

Although the Commission conducted a public hearing in Rolla, Missouri, on October 24, 2000, several of the letter writers state that they were unable to attend the

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public hearing. Others state that they were in attendance but did not speak on the record. Because of the time frame in which these letters were received, Public Counsel was unable to file this proposed exhibit earlier in these proceedings.

WHEREFORE, the views of the customers who will be affected by this Commission's decision are relevant to the decision of this case, and should be given due consideration by the Commission. Therefore, it is respectfully moved that the attached Exhibit be admitted into evidence.

Respectfully submitted,

Office of the Public Counsel

By: 

M. Ruth O'Neill (#49456)

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed or hand-delivered to the following this 29th day of November 2000:

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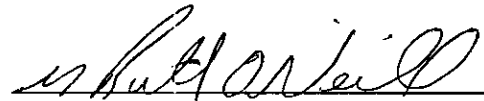


Exhibit Number _____
Issue: Whether the City of Rolla's request for
An assignment of the exclusive territory
and transfer Of Intercounty Electric
Cooperative Association's Facilities
are in the Public Interest
Type of Exhibit: Demonstrative Aid
Sponsoring Party: Office of the Public Counsel

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EXHIBIT

Contents: Letters received by the Office of the Public Counsel. According to information contained on the letters themselves, they were sent by:

1. Ira S. and Eva Lee Letterman, 1879 Longview Lane, Rolla, MO (2 pages)
2. Ralph and Mary Ellen Erwin, 1708 Forest Place, Rolla, MO
3. Donald and Mary Ellen Russell
4. Greg and Patricia Hoss, 1710 Line Ave, Rolla, MO
5. Connie Brandenburger, T&C Tires, 1384 S. Bishop Ave., Rolla, MO
6. Mary Jane White, 11804 Highway 72, Rolla, MO (2 pages)
7. Leon and Helen Kreisler, Rt. #2 Box 888J, Salem, MO (owns rental property in annexed area) (attachment)
8. James Earl, 100 Shady Lane, Rolla, MO
9. Marlene and Michael Kleeshulte
10. Gwendolyn S. and Dale Ruth, 592 Basswood Dr., Rolla, MO
11. Victor and Phyllis Willey, 1862 Hwy 72, Rolla, MO
12. V. Link, Action Mechanical Contractors, 603 Lions Club Dr., Rolla, MO
13. James and Ruth Hudson, 567 Basswood Dr., Rolla, MO (damaged prior to receipt by Public Counsel)
14. Douglas Burns
15. John and Bess Ponzer, 14070 Co. Rd. 8120, Rolla, MO
16. Jean Beasley, 1833 Osage Dr., Rolla, MO

17. Julian and Esther Harrison, 1322 Hwy O, Rolla, MO
18. Olin and Shirley Ihler, 537 Maplewood Dr., Rolla, MO
19. Tim Whites, P.O. Box 428, Rolla, MO
20. Gary and Debbie Gass, 554 Basswood, Rolla, MO
21. Don and Karen Gore
22. Elwyn and Debbie Wax, 1711 Barnitz Ave., Rolla, MO
23. Marjorie Stabo, 588 Basswood Dr., Rolla, MO
24. Michele L. Walworth, 714 W. Lion's Club Dr. #B, Rolla, MO
25. Ron and Alta McDonald
26. Barbara Neri, 1705 Line Ave, Rolla, MO
27. Henry and Bonnie Wiebe, 1717 Line Ave., Rolla, MO
28. Esther Matthews, 1169 Redwood Dr., Rolla, MO
29. Patsy Fore, 508 Keeton Road, Rolla, MO
30. Ray Snelson, 1324 Hwy O, Rolla, MO
31. Gary and Kathleen Williams, 1890 Hwy 72 East, Rolla, MO
32. Calvin and Nadine Jones, 538 Maplewood Dr., Rolla, MO
33. Gene and Margaret Bingham, 816 Hwy O, Rolla, MO
34. Ray B. Collier and Pam McCall, P.O. Box 633, Rolla, MO (attachment)
35. Don and Peggy Nelson, 1884 Hwy 72, Rolla, MO
36. Albert Newberry, 438 Little Oaks Rd., Rolla, MO
37. Raymond and Kelly Henry, 522 Keeton Rd., Rolla, MO
38. Wilma F. Roeufs, 520 Keaton Rd., Rolla, MO
39. Mike Cresswell, 561 Basswood, Dr., Rolla, MO
40. Clarence E. Perry, 1339 S. Rolla St., Rolla, MO
41. Theresa Thompson, 1876 E. Hwy 72, Rolla, MO
42. Bill and Faye Hanshaw, 541 Boxelder Dr., Rolla, MO
43. Ben McWilliams, Jr., 16355 State Route O, Rolla, MO
44. Bryan and Joan Williams, 562 Maplewood Dr., Rolla, MO
45. Jimmie and Phyllis Buxton, 1190 S. Rolla St., Rolla, MO
46. Brenda Lyle, 108 Shady Lane, Rolla, MO
47. Chuck Berengler, Jr.
48. Garth and Carolyn Baker, 1873 Osage Dr., Rolla, MO
49. Viola Herberger, 1323 Hwy O, Rolla, MO
50. Tsoufandidis, 1712 Line Ave., Rolla, MO
51. Bonnie L. Hausner, 1878 Longview Ln., Rolla, MO
52. Harry and Kay Harmes, 11800 St. Rt. F, Rolla, MO
53. Sandra A. Anderson, 1338 State Rt. O, Rolla, MO
54. Marilyn Bledsoe, 1865 Longview Lane, Rolla, MO
55. Bob and Cyndi Kinder, 1336 Highway O, Rolla, MO
56. Connie S. Lewis, 1876 Longview Lane, Rolla, MO
57. Lois M. Forbes, 933 South Rolla Street, Rolla, MO
58. Mrs. John L Ricketts, 553 Kent Lane, Rolla, MO
59. Chris Lune, P.O. Box 962, Rolla, MO
60. Willa Watson, 1026 Parkwood Dr., Rolla, MO
61. Mike Ridenhour
62. Willie H. Jones, 557 Basswood Dr., Rolla, MO

63. Gladys M. Welch, 1351 South Rolla Street, Rolla, MO
64. Dave Gabel, 1868 Longview, Rolla, MO
65. Jim and Ruth Ann Bailey, 547 Kent Lane, Rolla, MO
66. Jerry and Vickie Gibbons, 1885 Osage Dr., Rolla, MO
67. Natalie Zung, 1344 S. Bishop Dr., Rolla, MO
68. Wayne Dillon, 1867 Longview Lane, Rolla, MO
69. Thomas Bahr, Bahr Enterprises, LLC, d/b/a U-KEEP-THE-KEYS Mini Storage
70. Linda Keeney
71. James Brown, 1837 Osage Dr., Rolla, MO
72. John and Virginia Corey, 561 Maplewood Dr., Rolla, MO
73. Herman Pope
74. James Cress, 1710 Forest Pl., Rolla, MO
75. David Oglesby, 1716 Line Ave., Rolla, MO
76. Terry Keeney
77. Michele and Paul Santi, 1706 Barnitz, Ave., Rolla, MO
78. Paul and Beth Marsala, 510 Keeton Rd., Rolla, MO
79. Lloyd and Evelyn Waite
80. Barbara Crowley, 1841 Osage Dr., Rolla, MO
81. G. Staht, Rolla Cycles, Inc. 1387 S. Bishop Ave., Rolla, MO
82. Jms. and Janice Ramsey
83. Steven Geulbans
84. Chuck Hausner Carpet, 1390 S. Bishop, Rolla, MO
85. Brandy Hudspeth
86. Richard and Karen Smith, 1874 Longview Lane, Rolla, MO
87. Dennis Moersca, 1218 Redwood
88. PHIL
89. Loyd & Evelyn R. Waite, 108 West Lions Club Drive, Rolla, MO
90. Diana L. Henry, Planet Botanicals Inc., 1220 S. Rolla St., Rolla, MO
91. Esther Matthews
92. John Lewis, 1876 Longview Ln., Rolla, MO
93. John W. & Virginia V. Carey, 561 Maplewood Dr., Rolla, MO
94. Bryan & Joan Williams, 562 Maplewood Dr., Rolla, MO
95. Tim & Connie Brandenburger
96. Donald & Mary Ellen Russell
97. Leonard Welch, 1351 S. Rolla St., Rolla, MO
98. Marcia Cress, 1710 Forest Place, Rolla, MO
99. Terry L. Kibbler, 552 Maplewood, Rolla, MO
100. Tom Green, Key Sport Shop, 1300 S. Bishop, Rolla, MO

Ira S. Letterman
1879 Longview Lane
Rolla, MO 65401
Sunday, November 19, 2000

Mr. John Coffman
Office of the Public Counsel
Suite 650
200 Madison Street
P. O. Box 7800
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-7800

Dear Mr. Coffman:

I am told that those of us who did not testify at the meeting held at the Elks Club Lodge in Rolla are likely not to be counted as those opposed to Rolla Municipal Utilities taking over as my supplier of electricity.

Longview Addition was the first subdivisions on the eastside of the Southside Annexation area. I bought the first lot to be sold. Our only supplier available was Intercounty Electric. They offered inducements to build an all electric home. It is not the cheapest form but it does have it advantages, such as a thermostat in each room, less circulation of dust, and little delay in bringing the temperature up to normal after turning it down. It would be a burden on us at our age, to rely upon the city of Rolla as our supplier. The cost that the city charges for residential customers does not conform to the prices that was circulating on paper at the meeting. Relying upon winter heat is scary. We have had short outage periods because of lines down, but never a supply failure that I can remember this past thirty years.

We are receiving rebates from Intercounty Electric for previous service in past years. I have no knowledge of Rolla Municipal Utilities making any rate changes, other than up.

The city of Rolla promised before the annexation vote, which carried by only 12 votes, that rural areas could continue to carry on as before if annexed. We still have rural mail delivery, no water, and no sewer. The only improvement is streetlights and that was only to influence your department so that they could get a foot in the door. The city refused to annex three subdivisions on the westside when they requested it. To be able to swallow up subdivisions and rural land, they used those three subdivisions in need to out vote the less populated but higher acreage area. Of course this was legal, but it does show that they care little for people who spent money, just to get out of town. Some people had good-sized farms, and had only two votes. I have been paying city taxes since annexation, and receiving fewer benefits than we had from the county.

My reason for not offering testimony is that my hearing is bad and would have been embarrassing in trying to reply to questions. My testimony would have supported that of Gus Mueller who did testify.

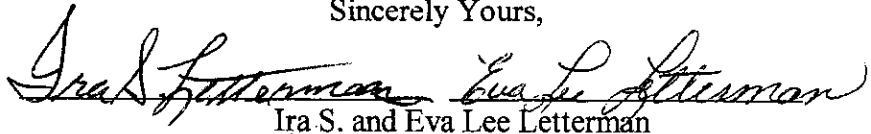
The only city services we have to date, is street lighting which we do not need, and garbage service which we pay for.

Page one of two pages.

I have a yard light that Intercounty Electric supplies for a monthly fee. I would lose the light should the city take over. The streetlight that the city placed in front of our house shines through our bedroom window. We have two choices, cover the window, or cover the large mirror on the dresser.

You can see by the tone of this letter, that I am not happy about annexation. I do believe that cities are necessary. I moved after building a new house at my present address thirty years ago. Hardly anyone likes to be molested in any way. Nobody can expect to live a lifetime without interruption. When I had a death threatening illness a little over a year ago, my wife called 911 at 4am one morning. I received a nasty letter from the chief of police and the city manager, blaming me because they had trouble finding me, though I had been in the city more than a year. They indicated that the service belonged to them, even though I had been paying a monthly fee on the telephone bill a number of years while I was served by the county system. The city council was having fistfights at their meeting when I moved here from Jefferson City in 1956. Lately, the only fights that I know of have been verbal. Maybe there is some chance of improvement. It took me some time to think of something that I could say good about the city before closing.

Sincerely Yours,


Ira S. and Eva Lee Letterman

Ralph and Mary Ellen Erwin
1708 Forest Place
Rolla, MO 65401

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November 19, 2000

John Coffman
Office of the Public Counsel
Suite 650
200 Madison Street
P.O. Box 7800
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-7800

Dear Mr. Coffman,

We have confidence that the Missouri Public Service Commission will make the right choice concerning the citizens of Rolla, Missouri that are Intercounty Members and desire to remain so! The citizens have spoken with the loudest voice possible - the evidence has been reviewed and you have to be our spokespeople to the City of Rolla!

We (this family) have signed the petition stating that we desired to stay with Intercounty, participated in some preliminary meetings with Southside neighbors in favor of staying with Intercounty, and then the public hearing on October 24, and have not changed our minds - neither have our neighbors! Note that more than 90% of us (the Southside residents) said that we did not want to change from Intercounty to Rolla Municipal Utilities! Democracy allows the common citizen the ability to voice an opinion, whether by a voting ballot or petition - there is not a question of the desires of the citizens of the Southside Annexation area! One modern term that comes to mind is - if it isn't broke, don't fix it! Our electric service provider is exactly what we want - Intercounty - it is not broken - we do not have confidence in Rolla Municipal Utilities to keep us un-broken! You were able to hear that loud and clear at the October 24 public hearing.

We all know that this case is unprecedented in the Missouri Public Service Commission for evaluation. They will be writing history! This case will state history and the most important point that you must make is that the overwhelming desires of the citizens determined the outcome, not the desires of a municipal government! One must put yourself in our shoes - you have voiced your opinion, you trusted the written information provided by the city prior to annexation - and now they want to change their minds! Why? Especially when the citizens have spoken - very loudly - stay with Intercounty!

We anticipate that you will support the citizens and thank you for that support!

Sincerely,



Ralph and Mary Ellen Erwin

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FILE COPY

Mr. John Coffman
Officer of the Public Counsel
PO Box 7800
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

Dear Mr. Coffman:

I would like to ask that you use this letter as my voice in your decision concerning the Rolla southside annexation area.

I would like to retain Intercounty Electric as my electric supplier in lieu of Rolla Municipal Utilities. Intercounty Electric has provided outstanding service, and has recently spent considerable funds clearing the lines to prevent power outages. I realize Rolla Municipal Utilities would provide a reasonable service. However, I do not believe RMU will provide the same quality of service. RMU and the City of Rolla have, what I call a utility jungle; poles and lines all over the area in every direction possible. Highway 72 is a prime example. One intersection has over ten poles of various uses.

Neither the City of Rolla or Intercounty Electric need to supply electric service to the same area as is currently happening. In my neighborhood, RMU has installed RMU lines for streetlights. Consequently, I am being surrounded with utility lines, Intercounty Electric lines in the back and RMU lines in the front. I don't know why RMU ran new lines instead of using Intercounty Electric for this service. Additionally, RMU recently ran an electric line to a new house being constructed in an area currently being serviced by Intercounty Electric. We do not need two utility companies supplying service to the same area. If Intercounty retains our households, they should provide service to the total area. Likewise, if RMU get our service, they need to get the total area.

I also find it very interesting that the City of Rolla is willing to take over the electric service to this area at no cost to the households. That is opposite from what they are doing with sewer and water. They are charging each household for sewer and water service.

Thank you for your time. I hope this issue is resolved shortly.

Sincerely,



Donald and Mary Ellen Russell

Copy furnished - Mr. Dennis Frey, Asst General Counsel, MO Public Service Com

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November 20, 2000

Mr. John Coffman
Office of the Public Counsel
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200 Madison St.
P.O. Box 7800
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-7800
1-800-392-4291

Dear Mr. Coffman:

We live in the Southside Annexation Area that is served by Intercounty Electric at the present time but is wanted by Rolla Municipal Utilities.

We are strongly opposed to Rolla Municipal Utilities taking over our electrical utilities and wish to retain Intercounty Electric.

We both attended the October hearing. Though we did not speak, if we had, it would have been pretty much the same as the opinions voiced that evening.

Sincerely
Greg and Patricia Hoss
1710 Line Avenue
Rolla, MO 65401

Mr. John Coffman
Office of the Public Counsel
Suite 650
P.O. Box 7800
Jefferson City, MO 65102-7800

FILE COPY

Dear Mr. Coffman,

I am writing in the matter of Rolla Municipal Utilities vs. Intercounty Electric.

I would like this letter to voice my desire to retain Intercounty Electric as my utility provider for I will be unable to attend the Dec. 4th meeting in Jefferson City.

I am a business owner in the annexed area and I am more then satisfied with my service with Intercounty Electric. I previously owned a home with Intercounty Electric in the Eveningshade area and was very happy with their service and everything else in general.

I now own a home in the city of Rolla and have RMU and I am not satisfied. I do not think they can handle the on take of the new businesses and homes in the annexed area.

I was told that even if we were annexed that we could keep Intercounty Electric. I would very much like to retain Intercounty Electric as my provider.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Connie Brandenburger

Connie Brandenburger
T & C Tires
1384 S. Bishop Ave.
Rolla, MO 65401
573-368-5366

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November 14, 2000

Mr. John Coffman
Office of the Public Counsel
Suite 650
200 Madison St.
P.O. Box 7800
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-7800
1-800-392-4211

Dear Mr. Coffman:

I would like to ask that you use this letter as my voice in your decision to retain Intercounty Electric or adopt Rolla Municipal Utilities in the Southside Annexation area.

I am opposed to Rolla Municipal Utilities taking over my electrical utilities and wish to retain Intercounty Electric. I do reside ~~or have a business~~ in the Southside Annexation area.

As I will be unable to attend your December meeting on this matter I am none the less concerned with having my voice heard. Below is my full name and address if you have any questions.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

P.S. *Thanks for sending
the letter —*

*Mary Jane Whites
11804 Hwy 72
Rolla, MO 65401*

Nov-17-2000

Phone 364-5250

*My Comments - I do wish to remain with
intercounty electric - and I have always had
the best service I could ask for - 33 years &
have three power line poles (two are security
lights) which I depend on for safety & their
rates are less than the City plus a bonus
refund for paying on time - my deceased
husband & I were on the City power for 17 yrs
but had it disconnected when we built a new house
next door - we needed the old house for storage so (over)
we decided -*

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to re-connect our two houses with the City - They sent
an employee out here to inspect the wiring in our old
house & rejected it because it wasn't to his satisfaction
wired correctly like the Clarence Whites TV above us -
But my husband Vernon (deceased now) since 1997 -
was the sole electrician that wired that building
when we owned it as well as the old house & our
new one - He helped build Fort Leonard wood when
he was a teenager & learned to be an expert ELECTRICIAN,
PLUMBER, & CARPENTER - So - we contacted REA (INTERCOUNTY
ELECTRIC and became their customers - 33 yrs so far -
They have more reasonable rates, extra benefits &
have never condemned our electrical wiring - Their employees
are polite, quick to respond to any problems which have
been very few - My house is 100% all electric - I don't
want City water, gas, or need anything the City has
been trying to force on us - They have destroyed some
of our property & not been fair to all of us people out this
way who wish to live in peace & make a few choices of our
own as we'd always done for 47 yrs - It was very unfair
to force us into City Limits just so more taxes could be
collected & they could dictate how we can live under
their ordinances - (which aren't always fair) City water
nauseates me (the fluoride) I have no need of anything
the City has to offer - I've never participated in any of
their activities - In my opinion, the people residing al-
ready in City Limits should not have been permitted to
vote the people out this way into the City - I don't socialize
with any city events - never have! I have less than \$6,000 a yr.
income & cannot afford the taxes that have been given us
to pay - Doesn't an 80 yr old woman deserve a discount after
47 yrs of paying your taxes? I didn't attend your meetings
because I am under my doctors care & advised to stay inside
& rest a lot - Please - I want intercounty electric - never
the City power again - Yours truly - Mary Jane Whites

FILE COPY

November 21, 2000

Mr. John Coffman
Office of the Public Counsel
Suite 650
200 Madison St.
P.O. Box 7800
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-7800

Dear Mr. Coffman:

We would like to ask that you use this letter as our voice in your decision to retain Interscounty Electric in the Southside Annexation area.

We are opposed to Rolla Municipal Utilities taking over our electrical utilities and wish to retain Interscounty Electric. We do not reside in Phelps county but have two pieces of rental property in the Southside Annexation area. We attended the October hearing but did not speak.

As we will be unable to attend your December meeting on this matter we are none the less concerned with having our voice heard.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely

Leon Kreisler
Helen Kreisler

Leon and Helen Kreisler
Rt. # 2 Box 888J
Salem, Mo. 65560

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Proposed Cost of Street Lighting Installation

Location	Length	Number of Lights	Cost
Parkview Subdivision	6,416	18 - 100W HPS	\$21,040.20
Ozark Terrace	650	2 - 100W HPS	\$2,277.80
S. Bishop Avenue	3,000	6 - 400W HPS	\$24,360.00
Shady Brook Drive	1,400	3 - 100 W HPS	\$4,479.20
State Highway "O"	5,280	9 - 100W HPS	\$12,342.49
State Highway 72	6,870	19 - 400W HPS	\$58,595.00
Line-Barnitz Subdivision	9,000	14 - 100W HPS	\$27,069.60
County Rd #3050	2,000	4 - 100W HPS	\$6,305.60
So. Rolla Street	2,600	6 - 100W HPS	\$6,586.40
Lion's Club Drive	3,500	6 - 100W HPS	\$10,708.40
Totals	37,516	81 Lights	\$173,764.69

Source: Rolla Municipal Utilities (RMU), 1996

Electricity:

The Rolla Municipal Utilities is owned by the City of Rolla and provides electric service for residential and commercial customers within the City limits of Rolla. RMU is governed by the Rolla Board of Public Works, which is a four member board approved by the Rolla City Council. RMU serves approximately 7,264 customers for an average 72 customers per mile of the electric distribution system. RMU currently has a total of 44 full time and 4 part-time employees. The RMU business office is staffed by 12 full time and 2 part-time employees and with the remaining employees working out of the service department. RMU maintains 101 miles of distribution lines that consist of 87.25 miles of overhead lines, 13.75 miles of underground lines and 10 substations. RMU is a full requirement contract customer of Union Electric Company. The electricity utilized in Rolla is purchased from Union Electric. This electricity supplied by Union Electric originates at multiple sources. These sources are Union Electric's Labadie coal-fired Missouri River generating plant, the Callaway County nuclear facility or Bagnell Dam at the Lake of the Ozarks. In addition, surplus power is frequently bought and sold from other electrical facilities. Rolla's electricity needs are but a small part of Union Electric's overall system demands. The local availability of electricity will not be a limiting factor relative to future development of the proposed annexation area.

~~The areas within the proposed annexation that are receiving electric service from rural electric CO-OP will continue to be served by RMU and will not be transferred to the City of Rolla.~~ Any new development within this area would receive electric service from RMU. It is the policy of RMU to absorb the cost of any electric extension and this would continue to be the case. The proposed financing of electric extensions into the proposed annexation area is to use electric reserve funds to install any new lines.

** The City of Rolla promised us they would not take the existing electric service.*

November 14, 2000

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1-800-392-4211

Dear Mr. Coffman:

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I am opposed to Rolla Municipal Utilities taking over my electrical utilities and wish to retain Intercounty Electric. I do reside or have a business in the Southside Annexation area.

As I will be unable to attend your December meeting on this matter I am none the less concerned with having my voice heard. Below is my full name and address if you have any questions.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

James Earl
100 Shady Lane
Rolla, Mo 65401

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Although the above letter has the same message as if it were in my own pen. I would like to add that having used both services, Rolla Municipal Utilities for approximately 10 years at my residents at 51 Rolla Gardens, and my present provider, Intercounty Electric at my present location for approximately 25 years.

If my vote counts. For excellent service; low rates, and capital credits, Intercounty Electric Corp. would be my choice. Thank you again James Earl

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Sincerely,


Michael J. Kleeschulte

I helped to collect signatures for the petition to stay with intercounty. I talked to homeowners at 10 houses in our neighborhood. Nine of these homeowners enthusiastically signed the petition to stay with Intercounty Electric coop. The reasons they gave include

1. Intercounty has provided very reliable service in the past
2. Our neighborhood (served by intercounty) does not appear to have as many power outages or power surges as the City of Rolla (where many of us work and experience these outages)
3. The annual share refund we receive from Intercounty.

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Sincerely,

Quendolyn S. Rutt
NO Rutt

592 Basswood Dr.
Rolla, MO 65401

We were in attendance at the meeting that was held in Rolla, Mo in Oct. We did not speak but he assured that we are very satisfied with Intercounty Electric as our provider and we would like to keep them as our electric provider.

Also, we were under the impression that the city was not to provide electric when the annexation was being voted on.

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Thank you

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Sincerely,

Victor Willy
VICTOR WILLY
1862 Hwy 72
Rolla, Mo 65401

*I was at meeting
but did not speak.*

Phyllis Willy
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ACTION MECHANICAL CONTRACTORS
603 LIONS CLUB DR.
ROLLA, MO 65401

Vallette E. Lewis

We attended to October hearing in Rolla and from the turnout, seems most are opposed to change.

We had service with Rolla Prior to our move to Lions Club Dr. and sure don't want to have to use them again.

We very much want to stay with Intercounty

RL

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Sincerely,

James A. Hudson
Ruth E. Hudson
567 Basswood Dr.
Rolla, Mo. 65401

We attended the October hearing in Rolla, but did not speak. For the past 27 years we have lived in the Southside Annexation area. During that time Intercounty Electric has been our electrical provider. We have been very pleased with their service. We do not want Rolla Municipal Utilities to take over our electrical utilities. I doubt they have the equipment and personnel to do the job properly.

James A. Hudson
Ruth E. Hudson

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Sincerely,

Douglas L. Burn

I attended the meeting in October Mr. Coffman but did not speak. However I wish you to know that I do like my intercounty service and wish to keep it. When this annexation started we were told and letters sent telling us that our service would not be affected

Jenna L. Burn

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Sincerely,

John & Beas Ponger
14670 Co. Rd. 8120
Rolla, MO. 65401

P.S. We no longer live in the Southside Annexation Area (moved 1 1/2 years ago) but we still have 2 rental units in the Southside Annexation area.

Thanks!
Beas

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Sincerely,

*Jean Beasley
1833 Osage Ave.
Rolla, Mo 65401*

*Our family has been with Intercounty Electric
Coop for 33 years. The service when
needed has been exceptional. I was unable
to attend the meeting at the Elk Lodge in
October in Rolla, hopefully, with your help
we will in the future retain Intercounty
Electric Coop as our provider for electricity.
Thank You*

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Sincerely,

Julian Harrison - I spoke at the meeting of my disapproval of being changed to RMU.
Ether Harrison - I was at the meeting but did not speak but definitely do not wish to be changed to RMU.
1322 Hwy D
Rolla, Mo. 65401

573-364-6222

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Sincerely,

Olin M. Ihler & Shirley M. Ihler 537-Maplewood Dr.
Rolla, Mo. 65401
(573) 364-7233

P.S. We have been @ this address since 1991 and the power Outage just hasn't been, Unlike the City Utilities they have Outages regular, earlier this year they had an Outage for 8-12 hrs, we didn't have any at InterCounty, they have been great. we have received at least 3 Discount Checks @ more 30 years in the City that we live there we got Nothing.

We Want to stay with Inter County for sure
Thanks 21 and NOV 21 2000

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Sincerely, *TIM WHITES*

P.O. BOX 428

ROLLA, MO.

65402

*573 -
PH # 364-5799*

*P.S. IT IS A SAD STATE OF AFFAIRS WHEN
AMERICAN CITIZENS ARE NO LONGER FREE
ENOUGH TO EVEN CHOOSE WHO WE HIRE FOR TRASH
PICK UP, WATER, ELECTRIC, ETC. THIS LITRE COMMUNIST
ROLLA DICTATORSHIP MUST BE STOPPED & THESE
PEOPLE ARE CRIMINALS & THEY WILL NOT BRING
THIER SHIT ON MY₂₂ PROPERTY!*

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Jany & Debbie Gas

554 Basswood

Rolla, Mo 65401

Home Phone # 573-364-3848

Work Phone # 573-368-4515

NO!! I do not want RMU

as my Electric Provider

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Sincerely,

*We would like to
Keep Intercounty Electric
I have had it a long time.
Didn't get to attend the meeting
Don + Karen Gore*

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Sincerely,

Elwyn & Debbie Wax
1711 Barnitz Ave
Rolla, Mo. 65401

*We were unable to attend the Oct meeting,
but why fix what is not broken?*

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Sincerely,

*Margaret Stabo
588 Basswood Dr
Rolla, Mo.*

*Mailing address
P.O. Box 383*

*I was unable to attend Rolla, Mo 65402
the meeting at Rolla Elks Lodge.
The City said before annexation that Interc
Electric would remain with Intercounty -
now they want to change it -*

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Sincerely,


MICHELE L. WALWORTH
714 W LIONS CLUB DR #B
ROLLA, MO 65401
(573) 368-4292

I WAS UNABLE TO ATTEND THE PREVIOUS
MEETING DUE TO MY INFANT SON.

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Sincerely,

Ron McDonald
Alta McDonald

He did not attend the meeting.

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Sincerely,

Barbara J. Neri
1705 Line Ave
Rolla, MO 65401

I was unable to attend the meeting held at the Rolla Elks Lodge in October, however, my feeling was voiced by those who did attend.

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Sincerely,

Henry Wiebo
1717 LINE AV
ROLLA, MO 65401

I was in attendance at
the October meeting
but did not speak.

Bonnie D. Wiebo
I was in attendance
at the Oct. hearing
but did not speak.
1717 Line Ave
Rolla, Mo. 65401

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Sincerely,

Ethel Matthews
1169 Redwood Drive
Rolla Mo 65401

We were in attendance at the October 24th meeting but chose not to speak as Mr. Don Priest was speaking in our behalf.

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Sincerely,

Patsy L. Fre
508 Keeton Road
Rolla, Mo. 65401

P. S. I was at attendance
at the October hearing but I did
not speak out.

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Sincerely,

Ray Plouffe
1324 Hwy 0
Rolla Mo.
65401

I WAS AT meeting
A

573-364-6404

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Sincerely,

GARY R & C. KATHLEEN WILLIAMS
1890 Hwy. 72. EAST
Rolla, Mo. 65401

I WAS IN ATTENDANCE AT THE OCTOBER
HEARING BUT I DID NOT SPEAK.

THANK YOU
MR. & MRS.
Gary R. Williams

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Sincerely,

Nadine M. Jones
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538 Maplewood Dr.
Rolla, Mo. 65401

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Sincerely,

Gene Bingham
Margaret Bingham
816 Hwy. D
ROLLA, MO. 65401

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MEETING THAT WAS HELD AT THE ELKS LODGE
IN ROLLA, MO; BUT DID NOT SPEAK.

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Southside Annexation Residents and Business Owners:

It has been brought to my attention that after the great turn out at the Rolla Elks Lodge in October concerning retaining Intercounty Electric as our electrical provider the only voices being considered may very well be the 17 who spoke and a hand full of letters.

So it is of utmost importance if you wish to retain Intercounty Electric that you sign and send the enclosed letters to the Public Counsel and Missouri Public Service Commission. I have enclosed a brief letter for your convenience but you can send whatever comments you wish to both addresses.

Please include your full name and addresses on whatever letter you send. It would also help if you note whether you were in attendance at the October hearing but did not speak.

These letters need to get in the mail immediately so they can be considered at the December 4 meeting in Jefferson City. All concerned are invited to the meeting in Jefferson City. You can call the Office of Public Counsel to find out the time and place if you plan to attend. That number is 573-751-4857.

Please try to act on this promptly as this matter is so important to those of us who sincerely want to keep Intercounty Electric.

Thank You.

Pam McCall

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Ray Collier

PO Box 633

Rolla, Mo 65402

Yes, I attended the meeting

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Sincerely,

Don + Peggy Nelson

1884 Hwy 72

Rolla, Mo. 65401

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Albert Newberry
573-364-2129) 438 Little Oak Road
Rolla Mo 65401

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Raymond & Kelly Henry
522 Keeton Rd.
Rolla MO 65401

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November 14, 2000

Mr. John Coffman
Office of the Public Counsel
Suite 650
200 Madison St.
P.O. Box 7800
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-7800
1-800-392-4211

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Sincerely,

Wilma J. Rolufs
520 Keaton Rd.
Rolla, Mo. 65401

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Sincerely,

Mike Cresswell
561 BASSWOOD DR.
Rolla Mo. 65401

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely, *Charnee E. Perry*
1339 S Rolla St
Rolla, Mo. 65401

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Theresa Thompson
1876 E. Hwy 72
Rolla, MO 65401
573-364-6496

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,



BILL G. & FAYE G. HANCHEN
541 BOXELDER DR.
ROLLA MO, 65401
573-364-0626

November 17, 2000

Mr. John Coffman
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200 Madison St.
P.O. Box 7800
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Dear Mr. Coffman:

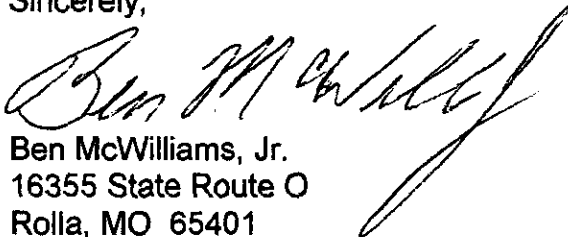
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I am opposed to Rolla Municipal Utilities taking over my electrical utilities and wish to retain Intercounty Electric. I do own property in the southside Annexation area.

As I will be out of town and unable to attend your December meeting on this matter I am none the less concerned with having my voice heard. Below is my full name and address if you have any questions.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,



Ben McWilliams, Jr.
16355 State Route O
Rolla, MO 65401

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Bryan & Joan Williams (wife)
562 Maplewood Dr.
Rolla, Mo 65401-4480

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Jimmie + Phyllis Buxton
1190 S. Rolla, St.
Rolla, MO, 65401

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Mr. Dennis Frey
Assistant General Counsel
Missouri Public Service Commission
200 Madison St.
P.O. Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360
1-800-392-4211

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Sincerely,

Brenda Lyle
108 Shady Ln
Rolla, Mo 65401

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Chuck Berengor

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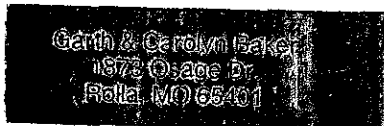
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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Garth & Carolyn Baker
Carolyn M. Baker
1873 Osage Dr.
Rolla, MO 65401



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Sincerely,

*Viola Herburger
1353 Hwy 0
Rolla, mo. 65401
Phone 573-364-7689*

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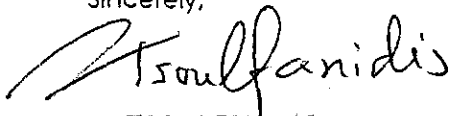
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TSOULFANIDIS
1712 Line Avenue
Rolla, MO 65401

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Bonnie L. Hausner
1878 Longview Ln
Rolla MO 65401



Marilyn S Licklider

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Sincerely,

Harry H. Harnes
11800 State Rt. F
Rolla, mo. 65401

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11800 ST RE F
Rolla, mo. 65401

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Sandra A. Anderson

SANDRA A. ANDERSON

1338 STATE RT. 8

ROLLA, MO 65401

573-364-6629

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Marilyn Bledsoe
1865 Longview Lane
Rolla, Mo. 65401
573-341-2715

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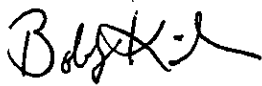
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Sincerely,


Cyndi Kinder

The Kinder Family
1336 Highway O
Rolla, MO 65401

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Assistant General Counsel
Missouri Public Service Commission
200 Madison St.
P.O. Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360
1-800-392-4211

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Sincerely,

Connie S Lewis

Connie S Lewis
1876 Longview Lane
Rolla, MO 65401

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Louis M. Forbes

*Louis M. Forbes
933 South Rolla Street
Rolla, Missouri 65401
573-364-4317*

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Sincerely,

Mr. John K. Reckel
553 Kent Lane
Rolla, MO 65401

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Chris June

P.O. Box 962

Rolla MO 65402

Business owner

Do Drop In Convenience Store

1358 S. Bishop

Rolla, MO. 65401

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

*Killa E. Watson
1026 Parkwood Dr.
Rolla, Mo. 65401*

I was unable to attend the October hearing.

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,



WILLIE H. JONES
557 BASSWOOD DR.
ROLLA, MO 65401-4478

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Gladys M. Welch
1351 South Rolla, Street
Rolla, MO 65401

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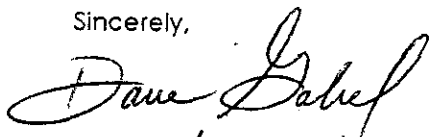
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Sincerely,


1868 LONGVIEW
ROLLA, MO. 65401

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Sincerely,

Jim Bailey
Ruth Ann Bailey
547 Kent Lane
Rolla, Mo. 65401

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Sincerely,



Vicki Gibbons
1885 Orange Dr.
Rolla 65401

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Sincerely,

Natalie H. Zung
1344 S. Bishop Ave.
Rolla, Mo.
65401

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Sincerely,

Wayne S. Hollar
1867 Longview Lane
Rolla, MO. 65401

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Thomas J. Behn, member BAHK ENTERPRISES, LLC
573-364-6006 dba: U-KAR-TABKEYS MINI STORAGE

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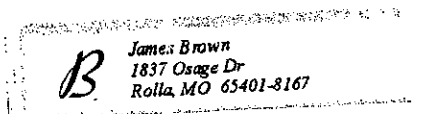
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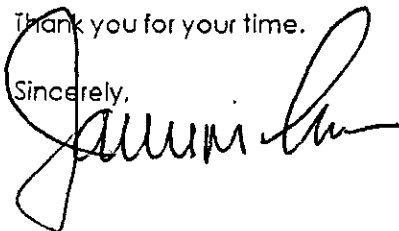
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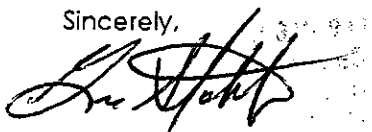
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Richard A. Smith
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Rolla, Mo. 65401

Karen E. Smith
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Phone 341-5829 (573 Area Code)

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Dennis Maerck

1218 Redwood

364-6239

90 P.S. Hopefully, the few that spoke at the Rolla Meeting are considered to be the voice of all that were there. otherwise why would they be there? as for me, City of Rolla has not been honest or give me good service yet, so why should I wait it in the future. Thanks!

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Dear Fellas:

Well, I read in the paper that the Rolla Municipal Utilities is asking you for permission to kick Intercounty Electric Co-Op out of that new southside area the city just annexed. It says if you give RMU the okay, they can provide electricity to the south side folks instead of Intercounty. Now I just want to let you boys know that throwing those poor southside people to the tender mercies of the "Royal" Municipal Utilities is like hiring Lizzie Borden to run a day care center. I want you to know some of the reasons why it just wouldn't be neighborly to do that to those unsuspecting folks down the road.

The paper said that you will set a price for the buy-out of Intercounty's facilities if you let the RMU add the southside to their kingdom. Well, it won't be too hard to price the poles, lines, and such but I don't know how the hell you're going to put a price on all the good services Intercounty gives their owner-customers, and they get cash money back to boot! Surely, the quality of service you're going to swap here has to be figured in somehow? If not, it sure will be a shock to the southside people when they get a taste of what passes for electric service after you swap their Intercounty Cadillac for RMU's beat-up Yugo.

If you do set a price, you better find out first if RMU can pay the bill. Seems like I can remember when the utility cash reserves were around \$20 million but H. Dain and the good ole' boys have been dipping real hard into the reserves to give away millions to the city. Now they've only got about \$5 million left in case of an emergency. Like the one they're probably going to have one second after midnight on December 31.

I know that lawyer of theirs will blind you with numbers and figures but let me tell you how it looks from here. We're sitting here waiting for this Y2K to hit without the foggiest idea as to whether RMU has ever heard of a non-compliant chip not to mention whether they found any in that antique system of theirs. Just in the last ten months we've had a citywide, ten-hour blackout one cold day in January, another for 6 hours and since then too many rolling blackouts and water failures to count. I don't know whether to spend \$5,000 on the Deluxe Hunker-Down-They're-Comin-to-Get-Ya Y2K Survival Kit (AK-47 optional) or just take the wife to Florida and come back about May when RMU gets the power back on. My friends out in the county have been getting reports for over a year on every little widget Intercounty's tracked down and replaced to protect their people. Has RMU sent you any reports on this thing? If they have we'd take it kindly if you would send us a copy. We're gettin' real nervous about some of the old folks in town.

There's another real good reason you should turn down RMU's request, no matter what that city lawyer of theirs says. Whatever they charge those south side people, part of it isn't really for electricity. It's just a fee they add on to our bills so they have extra cash to send through the city hall laundry to pass over to RCDC - that's the Rolla Community Development Corporation. Now the name fools you into thinking that's a city development committee but that's nowhere near the truth. The RCDC is a private non-profit corporation and they own Hy Point Industrial Park over by the city limits. That's right, city utility money goes direct to a private corporation. RCDC's stock is mostly owned by local bankers and chamber of commerce good ole' boys but here's your big surprise. The chairman of RCDC is H. Dain Ward, the very same guy who signed all those application papers of yours. First he overcharges us for electric and then he skims off \$600,000 annually (or sometimes a million or more) off our bills and while he's wearing his RMU Chairman hat he votes to send it over to the city as a "franchise payment." Sometimes they call it "Operating Transfers-City of Rolla" - sort of depends on which books you're looking at. Next he puts on one of his other hats like, Rolla Economic Developer or chairman of REDC, (that's the real city industrial development board) so he can make sure it gets put in the city budget for "economic development." Then he quick-like changes to his RCDC hat and the mayor hands the money back to him so he can spend it on some capital improvement project for his industrial park or they give it to one of the companies in his park for "rebates." They've got some secret contracts with these companies that say they get this big rate kickback and other things taxpayers paid for like free buildings. I'm sure you know about the Missouri Constitution Article VI, section 23, which says it's illegal to give public money or credit to private persons or corporations. It'd be real helpful if you'd read that out loud to them during your meeting but first you'll have to get their attention with a good smack upside the head. They don't like to hear about that law one bit.

Something else their lawyer won't tell you is that H. Dain Ward isn't a legitimate member of the RMU board and he hasn't been for some years. Once those boys spit in the eye of the constitution and got away with it, it was real easy to break all the rest of the state laws. Like 97.470, the one that says the members of the public works board can't hold any other city appointment because if they do, their seat on the RMU board is "ipso facto" vacated. It says the same thing in our city ordinance - ipso facto and all. Mr. Ward doesn't have just one other city appointment he has two besides the utility board. The city council is scared spitless so they just keep appointing him and pretend they can't hear the sound of all those laws breaking. I figure all his city appointments and that ipso facto law might be a sticky problem for you fellas. What if people find out you granted a request by someone who, not only has conflict-of-interest oozing out his ears, but he signed your official state documents pretending to be on a public board that he "ipso factored" himself out of years ago? If I were you I'd think about how much that signature of his is worth.

But, because we're living in the finest little pork barrel city in the Ozarks, ole' H. Dain is still right there on the city utility board bold as brass. No matter what the law says he's gonna cling to that utility seat like a barnacle at high tide. He and his RCDC buddies know if he's not on the RMU board their money pipeline will plumb rust out. So H. Dain just keeps right on having his secret meetings and raising our utility rates without public

hearings. Wearing all those hats has puffed up his head so much that I hear he told Intercounty they could keep their electric service on the southside on condition that..... Well, if you can get that slippery customer under oath ask him if he didn't offer to spare Intercounty all this bother, and they could keep their own property to boot, if they would just slip RMU an annual cash "contribution" the same as what RMU would have raked off the south side utility bills. That way H. Dain and his RCDC buddies could get the money without the bother of having to supply the electricity. Can you imagine Intercounty turning down a great deal like that? Well, they did, so H. Dain called it an "unsuccessful negotiation." That's not what we call it. Down here we shoot varmints that promise not to kill your chickens if you just let them suck the eggs dry. Now I ask you, are these the kind of money-skimming, law-breaking connivers you want to hand those poor people over to?

I about busted a gut laughing when I read RMU said "this action was being taken after numerous requests from residents in the area for RMU to provide electric service,..." That's not what I hear they said. The city and the utilities told all of us a pack of lies about how annexation wouldn't cost much but right after the dirty deed was done the real figures came out. Now if there's anything we know about RMU besides power failures, it's that they lie like bar girls pushing cheap whisky. For example, this year they've been running ads to tell us they're a non-profit corporation. The RMU manager, Dan Watkins was asked to produce these alleged incorporation papers. Caught flat-footed holding the lying bag, Watkins confessed they weren't a non-profit corporation but he said they were like an "agent" for the city. Uh-huh.

We don't know which genius came up with that honker but we do know why they're trying to give their image a face-lift. Just over a year ago a local resident, Robert Nash, started an on-line newsletter called "No Standing News." Last year just after the mayor announced he would appoint H. Dain Ward to his third city position - this one with a salary - Nash published an article on the interlocking connections between the utility board, city hall and RCDC. That expose really got the mayor's knickers in a twist since the story starred his pal H. Dain Ward. Ward still got appointed but didn't get the salary.

Well, there is a lot more I could tell you, but NSN has all the details so I'll just send you copies and you can read all about our Royal Municipal Utilities and their wheels and deals. When you're done, it'd be right neighborly if you'd send them all over to the Attorney General.

Yours truly,

PHIL

P. S. I just found out yesterday that you had a 15-day, public comment period to get letters to you about this. RMU's didn't mention it in their little newspaper article. Did you really think they would tell us we could write to you about how much we like their service? Uh-huh.

Loyd & Evelyn R. Waite

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November 19, 1999

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Jefferson City, MO 65102

Gentlemen/Ladies:

In a recent article in the Rolla Daily News, we noticed that Rolla Municipal Utilities is petitioning you for permission to take over the recently annexed area on the south side of Rolla from Intercounty Electric Coop. The article stated that they were doing so because they had received numerous complaints from residents of the affected area concerning the service provided by Intercounty.

By no means do we know all of the residents of the annexed area, but we have lived here and been served by Intercounty since 1981. In all these years, we have no complaints about the service provided us by Intercounty—nor have we heard any of our friends and neighbors served by Intercounty complain about the service they have received.

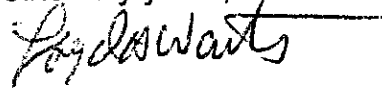
Shortly after we were "taken in" by the City of Rolla, we were sent documents giving us the opportunity to choose whether we wanted to be served by RMU or by Intercounty. We chose Intercounty because of the excellent service they have provided for so many years. It seems that perhaps a great number of our neighbors must have also chosen Intercounty and that RMU didn't get the "mandate" they were hoping for. So they have decided now to try to preempt Intercounty and "go around" the residents of the affected area by going directly to you for your blessing to proceed in separating us from the excellent service Intercounty consistently gives.

We have no axe to grind with the individuals at RMU—but we certainly have no axe to grind with Intercounty. The few power failures we have experienced since 1981 have all been weather/storm related, and our service has been quickly restored each time. However, we work in the City of Rolla and have experienced quite a number of power failures in our workplaces which are served by RMU. There have been occasions when the power was off in the City for many hours.

In fact, one memorable outage a few months ago cost all the grocers in the City thousands of dollars as all their frozen and refrigerated food was lost due to RMU's failure to restore power in a timely fashion.

Given our experience with Intercounty, it is our preference to remain as members of the Intercounty Electric Coop. Please carefully consider this matter before automatically handing us over to RMU. My dad used to have an old country saying that seems to be fitting in this situation, "If it ain't broke, don't fix it." As far as we are concerned, our electric service is not broken—please don't "fix" it with the not-so-reliable service provided by RMU.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Loyd & Evelyn Waite", with a horizontal line extending from the end of the signature.

Loyd & Evelyn Waite



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Yard & Garden Stuff
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Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

RE: ROLLA MUNICIPAL UTILITIES (RMU)
REQUEST TO GAIN CONTROL OF ELECTRIC SERVICES
SOUTHSIDE ANNEXED AREA

Dear Sir/Madam:

This business (Planet Botanicals, Inc.) operates within the newly-annexed 'Southside' area of Rolla, Missouri. Also, my family and I reside at this business location. I read with much interest "Phil's" letter to you regarding the above-referenced matter. I do not know if all he states in his letter is true; however, I do not doubt that there is truth to the allegations, whether they are legal or moral.

I have been a resident of the City of Rolla for 28 years and my husband for more than 40. Some of those years were as children, but suffice it to say we have been tax-paying, bill-paying, working citizens for more than 20 years.

We took control of the property located on the south side of Rolla in January 1998. We were aware of the impending vote to annex the property into the City of Rolla. We attended information meetings, made phone calls and inquiries and paid attention to all information delivered to the public via newspapers and radio. One of the "promises" made by the City was that we (the property owners) would not lose Intercounty Electric's services. My question to the RMU representatives was very clear regarding this issue, therefore I do not believe they misunderstood it, thus giving me a false answer.

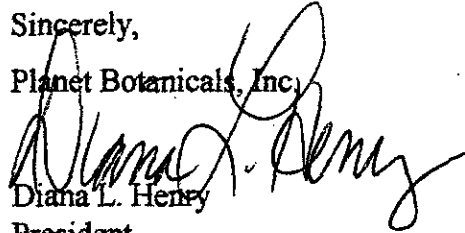
I see that RMU stated that they have received "numerous" requests for electric service from them. I hope you have verified those requests. While I do not represent the entire Southside area, neither myself nor my neighbors have made such a request. In fact, I have specifically requested that Intercounty Electric continue to provide our services. Intercounty has provided us with excellent service, cheaper electric and yes, refunds.

Based on the abundance of lies that RMU and the City have told me personally, I believe you should send an inquiry to all the residents of the annexed area and ask them for yourselves.

Phil was right when he said we are being asked to trade in our Intercounty Cadillac for RMU's beat up Yugo!! I hope you will take this letter and any others you might receive on this subject very seriously. We don't want RMU services. You know what they say, "If it ain't broke, don't fix it!!"

Sincerely,

Planet Botanicals, Inc.


Diana L. Henry
President

November 15, 2000

Assistant General Counsel
Missouri Public Service Commission
P.O. Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360

Gentlemen:

I live in the Rolla Southside annexation area. I understand that there is some discussion as to who should provide electrical service to my area. I would like to stay with Intercounty Electric Cooperative. They have given me very good friendly service for many years. There have been very few outages. And when one does occur it is handled very courteously and timely. Their rates are reasonable. And we are given nice rebates that come with being in a cooperative.

The City of Rolla has many lengthy outages. When outages are reported the response is not respectful. Therefore, not a company that I would want to do business with.

I want Intercounty to continue giving me the excellent service that I am accustomed to.

Sincerely,



Esther Matthews

cc: Intercounty Electric Coop

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November 14, 2000

Mr. John Coffman
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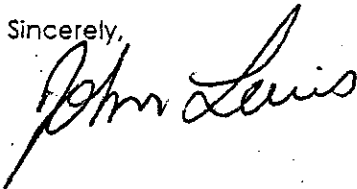
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As I will be unable to attend your December meeting on this matter I am none the less concerned with having my voice heard. Below is my full name and address if you have any questions.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,



John Lewis
1876 Longview LN
Rolla mo 65401

November 14, 2000

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

John W. Carey & Virginia E. Carey
561 Maplewood Dr
Rolla, MO 65401

Nov. 16, 2000

Dennis Frey
Mo. Public Service Commission
P. O. Box 360
Jefferson City, MO 65102

Dear Sir:

My husband and I have been members of the Intercounty Electric Coop since 1959. We have been pleased with their service and prompt attention when there has been an outage, which has been a rare event.

We prefer staying with them. We do not wish to receive electricity from Rolla Municipal Utilities because the City of Rolla has had more failures (outages) than we have had with Intercounty. Also, not to be overlooked is our share of profits which they give to us periodically.

Because of my husband's medical condition, we are unable to attend the meeting in December.

Respectfully yours,

Joan Williams & Bryan
562 Maplewood Dr.
Rolla, MO 65401-4480

T & C Tires

1384 S. Bishop Ave.
Rolla, MO 65401
573-368-5366

18 Oct. 2000

Dear Mr. Frey,

We are writing in regards to the public hearing for the City of Rolla's application to provide electric to the annexed area that is currently supplied by Intercounty Electric.

We have RMU at our residence in town and are not fully satisfied with their service at all. We have had more power outages for what seems to be no reasons at all. I know this is not RMU's fault all the time, for it is their source that comes from the east. It just seems like there is more outages then their should be. There won't even be a storm and some section of town will be without power. With two major highways (72 & 63) going through town and the traffic lights go out, it is no fun.

In our opinion, RMU is not capable of handling more businesses on their circuits. They are over loaded as it is.

We had Intercounty Electric at our former residence out by Roby/Eveningshade and were more then pleased with their service, their office personal and especially the linemen. We still continue to be pleased with their service here on the south end of Rolla.

RMU's rates are way too high for the service you get.

We were not for the annexation and we are not for RMU controlling our electric.

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November 17, 2000

Mr. John Coffman
Officer of the Public Counsel
PO Box 7800
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

Dear Mr. Coffman:

I would like to ask that you use this letter as my voice in your decision concerning the Rolla southside annexation area.

I would like to retain Intercounty Electric as my electric supplier in lieu of Rolla Municipal Utilities. Intercounty Electric has provided outstanding service, and has recently spent considerable funds clearing the lines to prevent power outages. I realize Rolla Municipal Utilities would provide a reasonable service. However, I do not believe RMU will provide the same quality of service. RMU and the City of Rolla have, what I call a utility jungle; poles and lines all over the area in every direction possible. Highway 72 is a prime example. One intersection has over ten poles of various uses.

Neither the City of Rolla or Intercounty Electric need to supply electric service to the same area as is currently happening. In my neighborhood, RMU has installed RMU lines for streetlights. Consequently, I am being surrounded with utility lines, Intercounty Electric lines in the back and RMU lines in the front. I don't know why RMU ran new lines instead of using Intercounty Electric for this service. Additionally, RMU recently ran an electric line to a new house being constructed in an area currently being serviced by Intercounty Electric. We do not need two utility companies supplying service to the same area. If Intercounty retains our households, they should provide service to the total area. Likewise, if RMU get our service, they need to get the total area.

I also find it very interesting that the City of Rolla is willing to take over the electric service to this area at no cost to the households. That is opposite from what they are doing with sewer and water. They are charging each household for sewer and water service.

Thank you for your time. I hope this issue is resolved shortly.

Sincerely,



Donald and Mary Ellen Russell

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Leonard Welch
1351 S. Rolla St.
Rolla, Mo 65401

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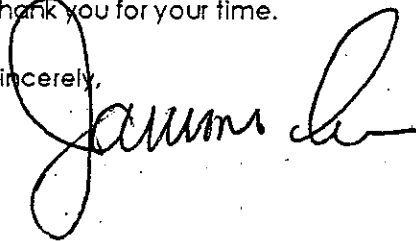
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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Mrs. 

1710 Forest Place
Rolla, Mo 65401

(Marcia Cress)

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Sincerely,


TERRY L. KIBBLER
552 Maplewood Dr.
Rolla, MO. 65401



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November 15, 2000

Mr. Coffman,

I am writing concerning the electric issue going on in our area. We were recently annexed in to the city of Rolla with the Southside Annexation, and there is the issue of electric provider going on now.

I want to state for the record that my business is very happy with the service Intercounty provides. Intercounty Electric Coop has always been there for us, they provide a great service and respond immediately when we have any kind of trouble.

I want this letter to be noted that Key Sport Shop Inc. wishes to keep Intercounty Elec. Coop as our electric provider.

Sincerely,

Tom Green, President

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1300 S. Bishop
Rolla, MO 65401
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