BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Ridge Creek Water Company,)	File No. WR-2017-0042
LC's Application to Implement a General atte Increase in Water Service)	
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MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN WHICH TO FILE RATE CASE

COMES NOW Ridge Creek Water Company, LLC ("Ridge Creek" or "Company"), by and through counsel, and respectfully requests an extension of time within which to file a request for a revenue increase pursuant to the Small Utility Rate Case Procedure or file tariffs to initiate a general rate case proceeding. In support thereof, Ridge Creek submits the following to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission"):

- 1. Ridge Creek is a Missouri limited liability company duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Missouri with its principal office and place of business located at 18499 Highway 133, P.O. Box KK, Dixon, Missouri 65459.
- 2. Ridge Creek is engaged in the business of providing water services to members of the public located in an unincorporated area of Pulaski County. Ridge Creek is a water corporation and a public utility, all as defined in Section 386.020 RSMo 2000.
- 3. The Commission granted Ridge Creek its certificate of convenience and necessity to construct, install, own, operate and control a water system for service to the public in Case No. WA-2015-0182 in an order the effective date of which was September 12, 2016. The Commission further ordered Ridge Creek to file a general rate case within 30 days of the first anniversary of the effective date of the order.
- 4. Although Ridge Creek is now actively assembling the financial data that is required for Commission review in rate proceedings, that data is not yet complete and testimony

concerning the same cannot presently be prepared for filing. Before it is able to file for general rate relief, Ridge Creek needs an additional thirty days to gather the needed data; conduct a review of tariff sheets that should be modified; and, to the extent necessary, prepare supporting testimony.

WHEREFORE, Ridge Creek respectfully requests an additional thirty (30) days, up to and including, November 14, 2016, the Monday following Veterans Day, within which to file a request for a revenue increase pursuant to the Small Utility Rate Case Procedure or file tariffs to initiate a general rate case proceeding.

Respectfully submitted

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was sent via e-mail on this 12th day of October, 2016, to General Counsel's Office at staffcounselservice@psc.mo.gov; and Office of Public Counsel at opcservice@ded.mo.gov.

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