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USW 11-6's MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF LIVE DEMONSTRATION

Comes now USW 11-6 and joins in Laclede Gas Company's request for a live demonstration of the installation of an Automatic Meter Reading ("AMR") device and in Staff's request that the demonstration be made part of the hearing and record in the case. USW 11-6 further requests that during the demonstration it be allowed to demonstrate the types of problems its members have reported and repaired as a result of faulty AMR installation. In support of this additional request, USW 11-6 states:

1. The complaint in this matter pertains to the issue of the safe and adequate installation of Automatic Meter Reading ("AMR") devices on gas meters serviced by Laclede Gas Company ("Laclede").

2. USW 11-6 believes that a demonstration of installation *and* of actual problems that have been found would clarify the issues for the parties and would greatly assist the Commission in deciding the issues in this case.

Wherefore, USW 11-6 supports Laclede's request for a live demonstration and further respectfully requests the opportunity to demonstrate a sample of the problems with AMR installation that have been discovered and reported.

Respectfully submitted,

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