

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

In the Matter of Missouri-American Water            )  
Company's Request for Authority to Implement        )        Case No.  
A General Rate Increase for Water and Sewer        )  
Service Provided in Missouri Service Areas.         )

**MAWC'S NOTICE OF INTENDED CASE FILING**

COMES NOW Missouri-American Water Company ("MAWC"), pursuant to Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.020, files this Notice of Intended Case Filing and respectfully states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission"):

1. MAWC is a Missouri corporation with its principal office and place of business at 727 Craig Road, St. Louis, Missouri 63141. MAWC is a Missouri corporation in good standing. A Certificate of Good Standing from the Office of the Missouri Secretary of State was filed in Commission Case No. WM-2001-309 and is hereby incorporated by reference in accordance with Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.060 (1)(G). MAWC currently provides water service to the public in and around the cities of St. Joseph, Joplin, Brunswick, Mexico, Warrensburg, Parkville, Riverside, Jefferson City, and parts of St. Charles, Platte, Warren and Lincoln Counties Missouri, and most all of St. Louis County, Missouri. MAWC currently provides water service to approximately 451,800 customers. MAWC provides sewer service to approximately 1,200 customers near Parkville, Cedar Hill and Warren County, Missouri. MAWC is a "water corporation" and a "public utility" as those terms are defined in Section 386.020 and 393.1000 (7) RSMo. 2000, and is subject to the jurisdiction and supervision of the Commission as provided by law.

2. Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-4.020(2) provides, in part, as follows:

Any regulated entity that intends to file a case likely to be a contested case shall file a notice with the secretary of the commission a minimum of sixty (60) days prior to filing such case. Such notice shall detail the type of case and issues likely to be before the commission.

3. It is MAWC's intent to file tariffs to initiate a general rate case proceeding seeking an increase in its water and sewer rates within the next 120 days, or shortly thereafter. Given the Commission's routine suspension of tariff filings in rate case proceedings, and the statutory requirement that a hearing be held after such a suspension, it is likely that this proceeding will become a "contested case" within the meaning of Section 536.0101(4) RSMo. As adopted in 4 CSR 240-4.020(1)(C). Issues likely to be before the Commission in the upcoming rate case include those concerning revenue requirement, class cost allocation and rate design.

WHEREFORE, MAWC submits to the Commission and its Secretary this Notice of Intended Case Filing. MAWC requests such relief as the Commission deems just and proper under the circumstances.

Respectfully Submitted,



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**Certificate of Service**

I hereby certify that two, true and correct copies of the above and foregoing document was sent by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, and sent via electronic mail on this 11<sup>TH</sup> day of April, 2011, to:

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