

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

In the Matter of the Application of Liberty Utilities )  
(Missouri Water) LLC and Franklin County Water, )  
Inc. for Liberty to Acquire Certain Water Assets of ) File No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Franklin County and for a Certificate of )  
Convenience and Necessity )

**NOTICE OF INTENDED CASE FILING**

COME NOW Liberty Utilities (Missouri Water) LLC (“Liberty”) and Franklin County Water, Inc. (“Franklin County”), pursuant to Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-4.017, and file this Notice of Intended Case Filing with regard to an application requesting approval of the transfer of assets from Franklin County to Liberty and for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (“CCN”). In this regard, the applicants respectfully state as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (the “Commission”):

1. Section 393.190, RSMo, and Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.605 govern transfers of water utility franchises and assets, and Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.600 governs CCN applications for water utilities. Issues the Commission will be asked to consider and decide in the intended case are those that normally arise in applications filed under the referenced statute and rules.

2. With regard to Rule 4.017(1) and the requirement that a 60-day filing notice include “a summary of all communication regarding substantive issues likely to be in the case between the filing party and the office of the commission that occurred in the ninety (90) days prior to filing the notice,” the applicants verify that there have been no ex parte communications regarding substantive issues likely to be in the intended case between the applicants or either of them and the office of the Commission within the 90 days prior to the filing of this Notice.

WHEREFORE, Liberty and Franklin County submit to the Commission this Notice of

Intended Case Filing. The applicants request such relief as is just and proper under the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing document was filed in EFIS on this 9<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2018. I further certify that a copy of this document was sent by electronic transmission to the Staff of the Commission and to the Office of the Public Counsel.

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