

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

In the Matter of the Application of Lakeland Heights Water Company, Inc. for a Small Company Rate Increase	)	<b><u>Case No. WR-2009-0227</u></b>
In the Matter of the Application of Oakbrier Water Company for a Small Company Rate Increase	)	<b><u>Case No. WR-2009-0229</u></b>
In the Matter of the Application of R.D. Sewer Company, L.L.C.'s Small Company Rate Increase	)	<b><u>Case No. SR-2009-0226</u></b>

**MOTION TO STAY PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), by and through counsel, and for its *Motion to Stay Procedural Schedule* states the following to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission):

1. On Friday, July 24, 2009, the Commission issued its *Order Further Suspending Tariffs and Setting Evidentiary Hearing* in which it directed the parties to file a "List and Order of Witnesses" on August 3, 2009, in each of the following respective cases: Case No. WR-2009-0227, Case No. SR-2009-0226, and Case No. WR-2009-0229 as listed above.

2. On July 29, 2009, a Unanimous Agreement Regarding Disposition of Small Company Rate Increase Request (Unanimous Agreement) was filed in each case referenced above.

3. It is Staff's belief that the Commission will hold an agenda on August 5, 2009.

4. Therefore, as Unanimous Agreements have been filed in each respective case for the Commission's review and determination possibly as soon as August 5, 2009, Staff requests the procedural schedule be stayed.

5. In the alternative, Staff requests the Commission order the "List and Order of Witnesses" be filed no later than August 6, 2009.

6. Staff has contacted the Office of the Public Counsel (OPC) and Terry Allen, counsel for Rodger and LaDawn Owens (owners/managers for all three respective companies), and neither OPC nor Mr. Allen have an objection to this request.

**WHEREFORE**, Staff respectfully requests the Commission issue an order staying the procedural schedule in each of the respective cases listed above.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August 2009.

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