

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

In the Matter of the Joint Application of        )  
Liberty Utilities (Missouri Water) LLC and    )  
The Empire District Electric Company for    )        Case No. WM-2020-0156  
Authority for Missouri Water to Acquire     )  
Empire's Water Franchises and Assets        )

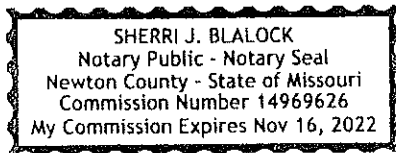
**VERIFICATION**

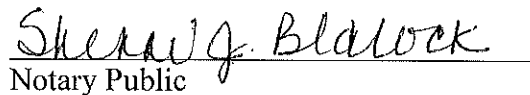
On behalf of the applicants, The Empire District Electric Company and Liberty Utilities (Missouri Water) LLC, the undersigned, being first duly sworn and upon her oath, hereby states that the Joint Application filed herein on December 27, 2019, is true and correct to the best of her information, knowledge, and belief. This Verification is being filed herein as a supplement to the Joint Application and pursuant to Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.060(1)(M).



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Sheri Richard  
Director of Rates and Regulatory Affairs  
Liberty Utilities Central Region

Subscribed and sworn before me, a Notary Public in and for the state of Missouri, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2020.



  
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Notary Public

**Certificate of Service**

I hereby certify that the above document was filed in EFIS on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2020, with notice of the same sent to all counsel of record.

/s/ Diana C. Carter