BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Missouri-American)	
Water Company for Certificates of)	
Convenience and Necessity Authorizing)	
it to Install, Own, Acquire, Construct,)	File No. WA-2017-0278
Operate, Control, Manage and Maintain)	SA-2017-0279
Water and Sewer Systems in an area of)	
St. Louis County, Missouri.)	

RESPONSE TO STAFF RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW Missouri-American Water Company (MAWC) and, in response to the Staff Recommendation, states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission):

- 1. On April 21, 2017, MAWC filed an *Application and If Necessary, Motion for Waiver, seeking a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity* ("Application") for authority to install, own, acquire, construct, operate, control, manage, and maintain a water system and sewer system in an area of St. Louis County, Missouri known as Pevely Farms.
- 2. On June 20, 2017, the Staff of the Commission (Staff) filed a Staff Recommendation and an associated Memorandum, wherein it recommended approval of the Application with conditions described in the Memorandum. The Memorandum identifies recommendations 1-16. (Memo, p. 6-7)
 - 3. MAWC has no objection to recommendations 1-16.

WHEREFORE, Missouri-American Water Company prays the Commission consider this Response to Staff Recommendation and, thereafter, issue its order granting MAWC's

Application.

Respectfully submitted,

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