

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

In the matter of Atmos Energy)
Corporation's Tariff Revision Designed to)
Consolidate Rates and Implement a General) **Case No. GR-2006-0387**
Rate Increase for Natural Gas Service in the)
Missouri Service Area of the Company)

APPLICATION TO INTERVENE

COMES NOW the Hannibal Regional Hospital and pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.075 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure applies to intervene herein and become a party hereto for all purposes in respect to the April 7, 2006 filing by Atmos Energy Corporation (Atmos). In support of this motion, Hannibal Regional Hospital respectfully states as follows:

1. Hannibal Regional Hospital is a leading provider of health services for the municipality of Hannibal and the surrounding area. Hannibal Regional Hospital relies upon Atmos for transportation and delivery of its natural gas need. As a transportation customer, Hannibal Regional Hospital has an interest in this case that differs from that of the general public.
2. Correspondence or communications regarding this application, including service of all notices and orders of this Commission should be addressed to:

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3. To date, Hannibal Regional Hospital does not yet have sufficient information to take a position regarding Atmos' filing, but reserves the right to take positions on all issues that may affect Hannibal Regional Hospital in this case.

4. Hannibal Regional Hospital's proposed intervention would serve the public interest by representing interests that otherwise would not be represented thereby permitting the Commission to develop a more complete record regarding this rate application.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons stated herein, Hannibal Regional Hospital respectfully requests that the Commission issue an order permitting Hannibal Regional Hospital to intervene as a party in this case.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day served the forgoing pleading by email, facsimile or First Class United States Mail to all parties by their attorneys of record as provided by the Secretary of the Commission.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David L. Woodsmall". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "D".

David L. Woodsmall

Dated: May 9, 2006