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# **REBUTTAL TESTIMONY**

## **OF**

# **RUSSELL W. TRIPPENSEE**

Submitted on Behalf of the Office of the Public Counsel

MISSOURI AMERICAN WATER

CASE NO. WR-2007-0216

July 13, 2007

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

In the Matter of Missouri-American	)	
Water Company's request for Authority	)	
to Implement a General Rate Increase	)	<b>WR-2007-0216</b>
for Water Service provided in Missouri	)	
Service Areas	)	

**AFFIDAVIT OF RUSSELL W. TRIPPENSEE**

STATE OF MISSOURI    )  
                                  ) ss  
COUNTY OF COLE     )

Russell W. Trippensee, of lawful age and being first duly sworn, deposes and states:

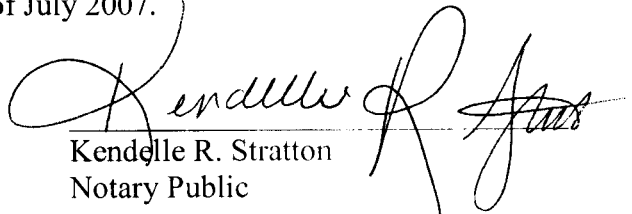
1. My name is Russell W. Trippensee. I am the Chief Public Utility Accountant for the Office of the Public Counsel.
2. Attached hereto and made a part hereof for all purposes is my rebuttal testimony and attached schedules.
3. I hereby swear and affirm that my statements contained in the attached testimony are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

  
Russell W. Trippensee

Subscribed and sworn to me this 13th day of July 2007.



KENDELLE R. STRATTON  
My Commission Expires  
February 4, 2011  
Cole County  
Commission #07004782

  
Kendelle R. Stratton  
Notary Public

My commission expires February 4, 2011.