

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
JEFFERSON CITY
March 5, 2002**

CASE NO: WM-2002-394

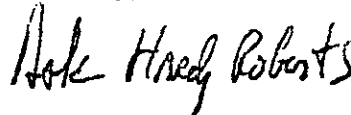
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Enclosed find certified copy of an ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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

In the Matter of the Application of Quail Run
Water and Land Company to Sell Its Stock
And Transfer Assets to the Public Funding
Corporation of the City of Ozark, Missouri

} **Case No. WM-2002-394**

ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE

On February 26, 2002, Quail Run Water and Land Company filed its application seeking authority to sell all of its outstanding shares and to transfer all of its assets to the Public Funding Corporation of the City of Ozark, Missouri. Upon completion of the transaction, Public Funding Corporation intends to sell or lease the purchased system to the City of Ozark, Missouri, which will operate it as part of its municipal system of utilities. Quail Run's customers will continue to receive water service at existing rates. Following the sale, Quail Run intends to cease operation as a public water utility.

The Commission finds that proper persons should be allowed 20 days from the effective date of this order to file a motion for leave to intervene. The Commission determines that notice of this Application should be given by the Commission's Data Center to the County Commission of Christian County, Missouri. The Commission further determines that the Public Information Officer of the Commission should make notice of this Application available to the members of the General Assembly representing Christian County, Missouri, and to the newspapers and other news media serving Christian County, Missouri.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the Data Center of the Commission shall send notice of this Application to the County Commission of Christian County, Missouri.

2. That the Public Information Officer of the Commission shall make available notice of this Application to the members of the General Assembly representing persons residing within Christian County, Missouri, and to the newspapers and other news media which serve that county.

3. That any party wishing to intervene or request a hearing in this matter shall file an application no later than March 25, 2002, with:

Dale Hardy Roberts, Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
Post Office Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

and send copies to:

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and:

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4. That this order shall become effective on March 15, 2002.

BY THE COMMISSION



**Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge**

(SEAL)

Kevin A. Thompson, Deputy Chief
Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation
of authority pursuant to Section 386.240,
RSMo Supp. 2001.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 5th day of March, 2002.

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and

I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City,

Missouri, this 5th day of March 2002 .

Dale Hardy Roberts

Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

