

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

In the Matter of Confluence Rivers)	
Utility Operating Company, Inc.'s)	
Request for Authority to Implement a)	
General Rate Increase for Water)	Case No. WR-2023-0006
Service and Sewer Service Provided in)	
Missouri Service Areas)	

**RESPONSE TO JOINT PROPOSED LOCAL PUBLIC HEARING DATES AND
LOCATIONS AND NOTICE LANGUAGE**

COMES NOW the Office of the Public Counsel (“OPC”) and for its *Response to Joint Proposed Local Public Hearing Dates and Locations and Notice Language*, states as follows:

1. The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”) and Confluence Rivers Utility Operating Company, Inc. (“Confluence”) jointly filed proposed local public hearing (“LPH”) dates and locations in the above styled case on March 17, 2023.

2. In particular, Staff and Confluence proposed two LPHs for June 13, 2023, with one occurring at 12:00 pm in Cape Girardeau and the other occurring at 6:00 pm in Farmington.

3. On March 16, 2023, this Commission issued an order in case GW-2022-0060, that ordered Staff to “conduct a workshop on June 13, 2023, beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the Ballroom (Room 450) of the Governor Office Building, 200 Madison Street, Jefferson City, Missouri.”

4. Consequently, the proposed LPHs currently slated for June 13th in this case are in conflict with this Commission's ordered June 13th workshop in case GW-2022-0060.

5. The OPC has meet with representatives of both Staff and Confluence and has found a solution to this conflict that it believes is agreeable to all parties.

6. The OPC requests that the Commission move the LPHs currently proposed for June 13th to June 8th. The OPC does not request any change in the either the time or location, only a change in the date on which the LPH will occur.

7. Counsel for both Staff and Confluence have represented to the OPC that they do not oppose this request.

WHEREFORE, the Office of the Public Counsel respectfully requests the Commission move the LPHs currently proposed in this case for June 13th to June 8th.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the forgoing have been mailed, emailed, or hand-delivered to all counsel of record this twenty-seventh day of March, 2023.

 /s/ John Clizer