

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

In the Matter of the Joint Application)
of Confluence Rivers Utility Operating)
Company, Inc.; Hillcrest Utility)
Operating Company, Inc.; Elm Hills)
Utility Operating Company, Inc.;)
Osage Utility Operating Company,)
Inc.; Raccoon Creek Utility Operating)
Company, Inc.; and Indian Hills)
Utility Operating Company, Inc. for)
Approval of a Merger Whereby)
Confluence Rivers Will Be the)
Surviving Corporation, and of Related)
Transactions.)

Case No. WM-2021-0412

**RESPONSE TO ORDER AMENDING ORDER DIRECTING FILING AND
RESETTING DEADLINE**

COMES NOW the Office of the Public Counsel (“OPC”) and for its *Response to Order Amending Order Directing Filing and Resetting Deadline*, states as follows:

1. The OPC does not object to the modification of Staff condition 10 proposed by Confluence.

WHEREFORE, the Office of the Public Counsel respectfully requests the Commission accept this *Response to Order Amending Order Directing Filing and Resetting Deadline* and grant such further and other relief as is just under the circumstances.

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 Fourth day of October, 2021.

/s/ John Clizer