BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of) Confluence Rivers Utility Operating) Company, Inc., to Acquire Certain Water) and Sewer Assets, and For Certificates of) Convenience and Necessity)

File No. SM-2020-0283

NOTICE REGARDING MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE

Issue Date: March 19, 2020

Effective Date: March 19, 2020

On March 11, 2020, Confluence Rivers Utility Operating Company, Inc., applied for authority to acquire sewer and water utility assets¹ in multiple transactions from various entities in the following Missouri counties: Audrain, Lincoln, Madison, Polk, St. Francois, Taney, Warren, and Washington. In addition, Confluence Rivers seeks to expand a sewer utility certificate in Franklin County and to acquire, if necessary, new water or sewer utility certificates of convenience and necessity.

On March 19, 2020, Confluence Rivers filed a motion to consolidate File No. WM-2020-0282 and File No. SM-2020-0283. The motion indicates Staff and the Office of the Public Counsel do not object to consolidation.

The Commission established an April 16, 2020, deadline for intervention applications in File No. WM-2020-0282 and File No. SM-2020-0283. The *Motion for Consolidation* will be taken up after expiration of the intervention period.

¹ Confluence Rivers' application proposes acquisition of water utility assets, sewer utility assets and assets held by entities that own both water and sewer assets. File No. WM-2020-0282 concerns Confluence Rivers' application as to water utility assets; File No. SM-2020-0283 concerns Confluence Rivers' application as to sewer utility assets.

BY THE COMMISSION



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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Jana C. Jacobs, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo (2016).

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 19th day of March, 2020.