

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Central Jefferson)
County Utilities, Inc. for an Order Authorizing the)
Transfer and Assignment of Certain Water and) **Case No. SO-2007-0071, et al.**
Sewer Assets to Jefferson County Public Sewer)
District and in Connection Therewith, Certain Other)
Related Transactions)

ORDER CANCELING CERTIFICATES AND TARIFFS

Issue Date: June 18, 2007

Effective Date: June 28, 2007

The Missouri Public Service Commission issued its Report and Order in this matter on February 8, 2007.¹ In that order, the Commission approved Central Jefferson County Utilities, Inc.'s ("Central Jefferson") application to transfer certain water and sewer assets to the Jefferson County Public Sewer District ("District"). In the Report and Order, the Commission required Central Jefferson to file monthly status reports to advise the Commission of the progression of the transactions in association with the transfer and notify the Commission when the transfer of assets was complete.

On June 7, Central Jefferson filed its final status report indicating that the transfer of assets was complete in all respects and requested the Commission cancel its certificates and tariffs. Consequently, the Commission directed its Staff to investigate and file a Report and Recommendation regarding Central Jefferson's request. On June 14, the Staff filed its

¹ All dates throughout this order refer to the year 2007 unless otherwise noted.

report confirming that the transaction was complete and advising the Commission to cancel Central Jefferson's tariffs and certificates of convenience and necessity. On June 15, Staff filed a supplemental report on the final disposition in this matter further delineating the extent of Central Jefferson's certificates.

The Commission granted Central Jefferson certificates of convenience and necessity to provide water service and sewer service through an order that was issued in Case No. WA-80-289, and which was effective on December 28, 1981. Central Jefferson was granted approval to amend its service area for water service through an order issued in Case No. WA-88-129, which was effective on July 29, 1988, and expand its service area for water and sewer service through an order issued in Case No. WA-91-24, which was effective on September 28, 1990. Until June 1, when Central Jefferson transferred its assets to the Sewer District, Central Jefferson was providing water and sewer services under tariffs identified by tracking numbers JW-2002-0003 and JS-2002-0262, respectively. Central Jefferson's water tariff was originally effective on March 4, 1982 and its sewer tariff was originally effective on May 14, 1982.

While the Commission's authority to cancel water and sewer certificates and tariffs is not specifically set out in Chapter 393 of the Missouri Revised Statutes, the Commission has previously allowed companies to discontinue the operation of water and sewer services in various cases. The Commission finds that Central Jefferson no longer provides water or sewer services in the State of Missouri, and as a result, the certificates of service authority granted to Central Jefferson, along with its associated tariffs, will be canceled per its request.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. Central Jefferson County Utilities, Inc.'s certificates of service authority to provide water and sewer services issued in Case Nos. WA-80-289, WA-88-129 and WA-91-24 are canceled.
2. Central Jefferson County Utilities, Inc.'s water and sewer tariffs, assigned tracking numbers JW-2002-0003 and JS-2002-0262, are canceled.
3. This order shall become effective on June 28, 2007.
4. This case may be closed on June 29, 2007.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written over a horizontal line.

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

(S E A L)

Harold Stearley, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 18th day of June, 2007.