

STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office
in Jefferson City on the 24th
day of September, 1993.

In the matter of the application for Commission approval)
of revised cast iron main replacement program for the) Case No. GO-94-88
City of Bethany.)
)

ORDER APPROVING REVISED MAIN REPLACEMENT PROGRAM

On September 10, 1993, the Commission's Staff (Staff) filed a Motion For Commission Approval Of Revised Replacement Program For The City Of Bethany, Missouri (Bethany). Bethany operates a municipal gas system and is under the Commission's safety jurisdiction pursuant to Section 386.310, R.S.Mo. (Supp. 1992). On April 19, 1991, in Case No. GO-91-239 the Commission issued its order approving a cast iron replacement program for Bethany in accordance with 4 CSR 240-40.030(15)(D). Pursuant to said order requiring Commission approval of any modifications to the main replacement program, and upon the Staff's Gas Safety Division's recommendations, Bethany submitted a revised cast iron main replacement program on November 30, 1992. The revised cast iron main replacement program submitted by Bethany is attached to the Staff's Motion and incorporated herein by reference as Attachment A.

Staff states that it has reviewed the revised cast iron main replacement program, concurs with the modifications proposed by Bethany, and recommends that the Commission approve the program revisions as submitted by Bethany.

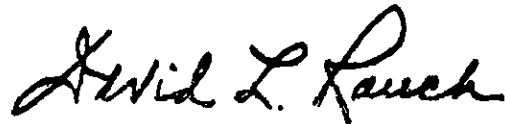
The Commission determines, after reviewing Staff's Motion with its attachments and upon Staff's recommendation, that the revised cast iron main replacement program attached hereto as Attachment A is required for Bethany to provide safe and adequate gas service to its customers and, therefore, should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the revised cast iron main replacement program submitted by the City of Bethany, Missouri, attached hereto as Attachment A, and incorporated herein by reference, be hereby approved.

2. That this order shall become effective on the 5th day of October, 1993.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "David L. Rauch". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped initial "D".

David L. Rauch
Executive Secretary

(S E A L)

Mueller, Chm., McClure, Perkins,
and Kincheloe, CC., concur.
Crumpton, C., not participating.

CITY OF BETHANY

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BETHANY, MO. 64424

November 30, 1992

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Mr. John Kottwitz
Missouri Public Service Commission
Post Office Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri #65102

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RE: Cast Iron Replacement Program Compliance

Dear Mr. Kottwitz:

In response to your letter, dated November 3, 1992, I have the Mayor and Council's approval, to have a contractor install new mains in two (2) area grids. These areas are listed below.

1: M-5 This area is behind the Post Office, and is 3" cast iron, and we have a empty 6" cast iron pipe close to it, and we will insert 4" through it. This area is 300 feet long.

2: M-7 This area is made up of 2", 3" and 4" pipe, and is 7950 feet long, and all of this area will be open laid.

The City will replace grids M-3 and M-4; these areas have been already laid years ago. These areas are listed below.

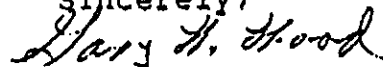
1: M-3 This area is north of the creek, and is 1800 feet long.

2: M-4 This area is north of the creek, and is 2700 feet long; 1950 feet of this area has been already laid years ago and was never hooked up, and the remaining 750 feet is cast iron and will be replaced.

All of the above will be replaced in 1993 with plastic pipe and the cast iron in the same area will be abandon also.

After we complete all of the above items, and have time left at the end of the construction season, we will also complete L-4 that has 1350 feet and L-5 that has 750 feet, North of creek.

Sincerely,



Gary W. Wood
superintendent

P.S. The remaining cast iron mains in our system will then be replaced in a prioritized, systematic nine-year program, starting in 1994.

Attachment A
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Attachment B