BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Osage Water Company, Inc.'s) Case No. SR-2009-0152 Request for a Rate Increase)

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Issue Date: February 9, 2009 Effective Date: February 9, 2009

On January 30, 2009, Osage Water Company, Inc. filed a motion asking the Commission to grant it an extension of time to file certain customer notices. Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-23.050(7) requires an applicant for a small sewer company rate increase to send a notice to its customers no later than 30 days after the Commission opens the rate increase case. Those notices should have been mailed no later than November 22, 2008, but, through an oversight, Osage Water did not mail them until December 24, 2008, with additional notices having been mailed on January 21, 2009. Osage Water requests an extension of time to allow the notices to be considered timely.

Osage Water's motion represents that neither Staff nor the Office of the Public Counsel object to the requested extension of time. More than ten days have passed since Osage Water filed its motion, and no party has filed an objection to that motion.

Osage Water's motion is reasonable and is not opposed by any party. The Commission will grant that motion.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Osage Water Company, Inc.'s Motion for Extension of Time is granted.

2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Morris L. Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 9th day of February, 2009.