

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Ozark Meadows,)
Aqua Development Company, dba Aqua Missouri,)
Inc. Request for Increase in Annual Sewer System) **File No. SR-2010-0023**
Operating Revenues MPC Sewer Utility Small)
Company Rate Increase Procedures)

In the Matter of Aqua RU, Inc. d/b/a Aqua Missouri)
Request for Increase in Annual Water System) **File No. WR-2010-0025**
Operating Revenues MPSC Water Utility Small)
Company Rate Increase)

In the Matter of Aqua Missouri, Inc (CU) Request)
for Increase in Annual Sewer System Operating) **File No. SR-2010-0026**
Revenue MPSC Sewer Utility Small Company Rate)
Increase Procedures)

In the Matter of Aqua Missouri, Inc (CU) Request)
for an Increase in the Annual Water System) **File No. WR-2010-0027**
Operating Revenues MPSC Water Utility Small)
Company Rate Increase Procedures)

ORDER SETTING DEADLINE FOR FILING ISSUES LISTS, WITNESS LISTS AND POSITION STATEMENTS

Issue Date: February 2, 2010

Effective Date: February 2, 2010

These matters were filed pursuant to the Commission's Small Utility Rate Case Procedure Rule (4 CSR 240-3.050) on July 15, 2009. The local public hearings will conclude on February 22, 2010. Dates have been reserved for evidentiary hearings beginning on March 1, 2010.

Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.050(19) sets out a schedule for the Commission's Staff and the Office of the Public Counsel to file position statements following the local public hearings. Unfortunately, the dates reserved for evidentiary hearings, if held, may precede these filing deadlines. Consequently, the Commission

will direct the parties to file issues lists, witness lists and position statements at the conclusion of the local public hearings. If the parties reach agreement and no evidentiary hearings are required, they may instead file a status report.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. No later than February 24, 2010, the parties shall jointly file a list of contested issues for each of the scheduled evidentiary hearings for the above captioned matters. The lists shall identify the issues with particularity.

2. No later than February 24, 2010, the parties shall jointly file a list of the witnesses they intend to proffer at each of the scheduled evidentiary hearings for the above captioned matters, including the order of witness examination and order of cross-examination.

3. No later than February 24, 2010, the parties shall file position statements on the contested issues they have identified in the issues list for each of the above captioned matters.

4. In the event the parties reach agreement in any of the above captioned matters, and evidentiary hearings are no longer required, in lieu of ordered paragraphs numbers 1 through 3 the parties shall jointly file status reports advising the Commission when such agreements will be filed with the Commission.

5. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

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BY THE COMMISSION



Steven C. Reed
Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 2nd day of February, 2010.