BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Request for an)	
Increase in Sewer Operating Revenues)	Case No. SR-2013-0016
of Emerald Pointe Utility Company)	

JOINT PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) and, on behalf of Emerald Pointe Utility Company (Emerald Pointe) and the Office of Public Counsel (Public Counsel), states as follows:

- 1. On March 14, 2013, Emerald Pointe and Staff filed a Notice of Company/Staff Partial Agreement Regarding Disposition of Revenue Increase Request and Request for Hearing in the above-captioned matter.
- 2. On March 15, 2013, the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) issued an *Order Scheduling a Procedural Conference*, which set a conference for March 19, 2013.
- 3. On March 18, 2013, Public Counsel filed its *Objections and Evidentiary Hearing Request and Request for Local Public Hearing*.
- 4. A procedural conference was convened per the Commission's Order, at which the judge directed the parties to file a procedural schedule by March 22, 2013. The parties hereby propose and respectfully request the Commission adopt the following:

EVENT

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Data Request response time shall be 5	March 22, 2013
business days to respond/ 3 to object	
Direct (Staff and Company)	March 28, 2013

DATE

Rebuttal (all parties) April 11, 2013

Local Public Hearing April 17, 18, 22, 23, or 24, 2013

Surrebuttal (all parties) April 29, 2013 List of Issues/Witnesses and May 3, 2013

Order of Cross/Openings

Statements of Positions May 7, 2013

Hearing May 9-10, 2013

Briefs June 6, 2013

5. As reflected in the above procedural schedule, the parties have agreed to and ask the Commission to approve the following procedural agreement:

a) Because of the condensed timeframe for this case, the response time for all data requests is five (5) business days with three (3) business days to object or notify that more time is necessary to provide the requested information.

WHEREFORE, Emerald Pointe, Public Counsel, and Staff submit this jointly proposed procedural schedule and list of agreements and request the Commission adopt the proposed procedural schedule, approve the agreements, and grant what further relief it deems just and appropriate.

/s/ Amy E. Moore

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing	have been mailed with first-class
postage, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or	electronically mailed to all counsel
of record this 22 nd day of March, 2013.	

/s/ Amy E. Moore
