BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Missouri-American)
Water Company's Request for Authority to) Case No. WR-2010-0131
Implement a General Rate Increase for)
Water Service Provided in Missouri) Tracking No. YW-2010-0310
Service Areas)

ST. JOSEPH'S REPLY TO MAWC RESPONSE REGARDING CUSTOMER NOTICES

COMES NOW the City of St. Joseph, Missouri (hereinafter referred to as "St. Joseph"), by and through counsel, and respectfully replies to the *MAWC* Response to St. Joseph's Objections and Suggestions Regarding Customer Notices filed in this matter on February 5, 2010, as follows.

St. Joseph can accept the proposal of MAWC in its February 5 *Response*. Under that proposal, the customer notice in this case would include: (1) the overall increase in revenue proposed by MAWC in this case; (2) the overall rate increase percentage for the applicable District (for example, 26.19% for the St. Joseph District); and (3) information as to what the increase would be for the average residential customer in the applicable District.

St. Joseph also continues to suggest that the title of the customer notice be, "Notice of Proposed Rate Increase and Public Hearings." Per its *Response* of February 5, 2010, MAWC has no objection to this suggested change.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the undersigned has caused a complete copy of the attached document to be electronically filed and served on the Commission's Office of General Counsel (at gencounsel@psc.mo.gov), the Office of Public Counsel (at opcservice@ded.mo.gov), counsel for Missouri-American, and all counsel of record on this 8th day of February 2010.

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