## STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2013.

The Office of the Public Counsel,	)
Complainant,	)
V.	File No. SC-2013-0332
West 16 <sup>th</sup> Street Sewer Company, Inc.,	)
Respondent.	)

## ORDER APPROVING STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT

Issue Date: May 21, 2013 Effective Date: May 31, 2013

On May 15, 2013, West 16<sup>th</sup> Street Sewer Company, the Commission's Staff, and the Office of the Public Counsel filed a unanimous stipulation and agreement intended to resolve Public Counsel's complaint regarding the rates charged by the company for sewer service. The stipulation and agreement does not change the rates charged by the company, but establishes an agreed upon rate base, establishes depreciation rates, and requires the company to maintain utility plant records and customer account records in accord with accepted standards.

After reviewing the stipulation and agreement, the Commission independently finds and concludes that the stipulation and agreement provides for safe and adequate service at just and reasonable rates and that such stipulation and agreement should be approved, because it is in the public interest.

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement filed on May 15, 2013, is approved as a resolution of the issues addressed in that stipulation and agreement. The signatory parties are ordered to comply with the terms of the stipulation and agreement. A copy of the stipulation and agreement is attached to this order, and is incorporated herein by reference.

- 2. This order shall become effective on May 31, 2013.
- 3. This file shall be closed effective June 1, 2013.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

R. Kenney, Chm., Jarrett, Stoll, and W. Kenney, CC., concur.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge