# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Application of Elm Hills Utility Operating Company, Inc., and Missouri Utilities Company for Elm Hills to Acquire Certain Water and Sewer Assets of Missouri Utilities Company, For a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity, and, in Connection Therewith, to Issue Indebtedness and Encumber Assets.

File No. SM-2017-0150, et al.

## **ORDER SETTING LOCAL PUBLIC HEARINGS**

Issue Date: April 4, 2017

Effective Date: April 4, 2017

On March 15, 2017, the Office of the Public Counsel requested two local public

hearings. No party objected. The Commission will direct notice be provided and will set

two local public hearings.

### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission shall hold a local public hearing at **12:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 9, 2017**, in Warrensburg, Missouri, at the University of Central Missouri at:

> Elliot Student Union, Room 236 511 South Holden Warrensburg, MO 64093

Attendees may park in the Visitors Lot located at the intersection of Clark Street and Holden Street. An informal question-and-answer session will begin at 12:00 p.m., with the taking of testimony from residents at the conclusion of the information session. Elm Hills Utility Operating shall have a representative at the question-and-answer session to answer questions from the public. 2. The Commission shall hold a local public hearing at 6:00 p.m. on **Tuesday, May 9, 2017**, in Sedalia, Missouri at:

Sedalia City Hall Council Chambers 200 South Osage Avenue Sedalia, MO 65301

An informal question-and-answer session will begin at 6:00 p.m., with the taking of testimony from residents at the conclusion of the information session.

3. Elm Hills Utility Operating shall have a representative at the question-andanswer sessions to answer questions from the public.

4. No later than April 30, 2017, Joint Applicants shall provide written notice of the local public hearings to customers impacted by the Application.

5. The Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department shall make notice of this order available to members of the General Assembly representing Johnson and Pettis Counties, Missouri, and to the news media serving the residents of those counties.

6. Individuals wishing to make written comments or secure additional information may contact the Office of the Public Counsel, Post Office Box 2230, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102 or by using the Commission's Electronic Filing and Information System (EFIS) at www.psc.mo.gov. Use the link to the "Submit Comments" section and fill in all required fields on the comment page.

7. The local public hearings will be held in facilities that meet the accessibility requirements of the American with Disabilities Act. Any person who needs additional accommodations to participate in the hearing shall call the Public Service Commission Hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 before the hearing.

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8. This order shall be effective when issued.



### BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2017.

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April 2017.



Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

## MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION April 4, 2017

#### File/Case No. SM-2017-0150

#### Missouri Public Service Commission

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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