

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Public Counsel's Petition to)
Open a Workshop Docket to Investigate Solutions) **File No. SO-2009-0363**
To Issues Faced by Small Water and Sewer)
Regulated Public Utilities)

ORDER DIRECTING STAFF TO RESPOND

Issue Date: April 10, 2009

Effective Date: April 10, 2009

On April 8, 2009, the Office of the Public Counsel filed a petition asking the Commission to open a workshop file to investigate the problems facing small water and sewer companies. Before considering Public Counsel's petition, the Commission would like to have a response from its Staff.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Staff of the Commission shall file its response to the Office of the Public Counsel's petition to open a workshop file no later than April 17, 2009.
2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

(S E A L)

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 10th day of April, 2009.