

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of West 16<sup>th</sup> Street Sewer                    )     **Case No. SR-2008-0389**  
Company's Small Company Rate Increase                    )     Tariff No. YS-2009-0335

## ORDER SUSPENDING TARIFF

Issue Date: January 23, 2009

Effective Date: January 23, 2009

On June 9, 2008, West 16<sup>th</sup> Street Sewer Company (hereafter “West 16<sup>th</sup>” ) filed a rate increase request letter. West 16<sup>th</sup> asked the Commission to allow it to increase its rates by \$52,945.68.

On November 6, 2008 the Staff of the Commission (hereafter “Staff”) filed an *Agreement Regarding Disposition of Small Company Rate Increase Request*. The Agreement was between Staff and West 16<sup>th</sup> only; the Office of the Public Counsel (hereafter “OPC”) did not join in the agreement. The Commission held a local public hearing on January 5, 2009.

On January 21, 2009, OPC filed a request for an evidentiary hearing. Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.050(20) states that once OPC requests an evidentiary hearing, the “utility’s pending tariff revision shall then be suspended”. Therefore, the Commission will further suspend the tariff to allow time for the case to proceed to hearing.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. That the following tariff sheet filed by West 16<sup>th</sup> Street Sewer Company, and assigned Tariff File No. YS-2009-0335, is suspended until May 9, 2009, or until otherwise ordered by the Commission:

**P.S.C. MO No. 1**

3<sup>rd</sup> Revised Sheet No. 4, Canceling 2<sup>nd</sup> Revised Sheet No. 4

2. That this order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen Dale', written over a horizontal line.

Colleen Dale  
Secretary

( S E A L )

Ronald D. Pridgin, Senior Regulatory  
Law Judge, by delegation of authority  
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 23rd day of January, 2009.