

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

In the Matter of Missouri-American Water)
Company for Authority to Issue up to)
\$650,000,000 of Long-Term, Unsecured Debt) **File No. WF-2022-0161**

STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), through counsel, and for its Status Report states:

1. On December 15, 2021 Missouri-American Water Company (MAWC) filed an application requesting Commission authority to engage in unsecured debt financings over a three-year period following the effective date of an order approving MAWC’s financing plan.

2. On December 20, 2021 the Commission ordered Staff to file either a recommendation, or a status report indicating when it will file a recommendation, by January 11, 2022.

3. Staff continues conducting discovery in this matter. MAWC’s responses to Staff data requests are due January 18, 2022. Staff anticipates that following analysis of MAWC’s responses, additional discovery may be required.

4. Staff requires additional time to receive and review MAWC’s data request responses, potentially request more information, complete its investigation, and finalize its report. Staff requests a due date of February 15, 2022 to file its report.

WHEREFORE, for the above-stated reasons, Staff requests that the Commission order Staff to file its recommendation by February 15, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of the foregoing was served via e-mail on counsel for the parties of record to this case on this 10th day of January, 2022.

/s/ Karen Bretz