BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Missouri-American Water)	
Company for Authority to Issue up to)	
\$11,500,000 of Long-Term Debt and to)	File No. WF-2022-0066
Secure Same with a Mortgage on its)	
Property.		

RESPONSE TO AMENDED STAFF RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW Missouri-American Water Company (MAWC) and, for its *Response to Amended Staff Recommendation*, states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission):

- 1. On September 1, 2021, MAWC filed its Application for certain financing authority pursuant to §§393.190 and 393.200 RSMo. and Commission Rules 20 CSR 4240-2.060, 20 CSR 4240-2.080, and 20 CSR 4240-10.125.
- 2. On October 28, 2021, Staff filed its recommendation in this case. On November 5, 2021, MAWC filed its *Motion for Extension* asking for an additional two weeks, until November 22, 2021, to respond to the *Staff Recommendation*. The Commission granted that extension by its Order issued November 8, 2021. MAWC requested a second extension, which was subsequently granted by the Commission.
 - 3. On November 25, 2021, Staff filed an *Amended Staff Recommendation*.
- 4. MAWC has reviewed the *Staff Recommendation* and the Memorandum attached thereto. The Memorandum associated with the *Staff Recommendation* identifies recommended conditions 1-6. (Memorandum, p. 5-6). MAWC has no objection to recommended conditions 1-6.

WHEREFORE, MAWC requests that the Commission consider this response to the Staff Recommendation and issue such orders as the Commission may consider just and reasonable.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been sent by electronic mail this 24th day of November, 2021, to:

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