BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Confluence Rivers Utility Operating Company, Inc., for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity and Associated with the Acquisition of Certain Water Assets

File No. WA-2023-0003

ORDER DIRECTING RESPONSE

Issue Date: October 26, 2022 Effective Date: October 26, 2022

On July 1, 2022, Confluence Rivers Utility Operating Company, Inc. (Confluence Rivers) filed an application for a certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) for a water system currently served by Tan Tar A State Road, LLC (Tan Tar A), located in Camden County. The Commission directed the Staff of the Commission (Staff) to provide its recommendation.

Staff's recommendation cites several examples of information Staff has requested, but not received. Staff's recommendation states it is not opposed to this transaction in principle, but is concerned regarding the safe and adequate supply of water. Staff requests the Commission to order Confluence Rivers to produce the requested information.

The Commission will order Confluence Rivers to respond to Staff's recommendation.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Confluence Rivers shall file its response to Staff's recommendation on or before November 3, 2022.

2. Any other party wishing to respond shall do so on or before November 3, 2022.

3. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Charles Hatcher, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 26th day of October, 2022.

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 26th day of October, 2022.



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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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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