

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

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Confluence)
Rivers Utility Operating Company, Inc.; Hillcrest Utility)
Operating Company, Inc.; Elm Hills Utility Operating)
Company, Inc.; Osage Utility Operating Company, Inc.;)
Raccoon Creek Utility Operating Company, Inc.; and) File No. WM-2021-0412
Indian Hills Utility Operating Company, Inc. for)
Approval of a Merger Whereby Confluence Rivers Will)
Be the Surviving Corporation, and of Related)
Transactions.)

RESPONSE TO ORDER

COMES NOW Confluence Rivers Utility Operating Company, Inc. (“Confluence Rivers” or “Company”) and for its *Response to Order* states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”):

1. The Commission’s *Order Approving Merger*, among other things required that Confluence Rivers “file into the record in this case copies of the current LLC agreements (and any other agreements, such as operating, management or other contractually binding agreements executed in connection therewith) for the following entities: CSWR LLC, US Water Systems LLC, and any other entity created for the sole purpose of owning and managing CSWR LLC’s Missouri water and sewer systems.”

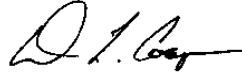
2. While it is unclear what is meant by the phrase “current LLC agreements,” attached to this response are copies of the current operating agreements for CSWR, LLC, and US Water Systems, LLC. Also attached is a copy of the bylaws for Confluence Rivers Utility Operating Company, Inc. (f/k/a Crooked Creek Utility Operating Company, Inc.) and a 2016 amendment to the Company’s Articles of Incorporation reflecting its name change. Confluence Rivers is not aware of any other document that fits the description contained in the aforementioned Commission order.

3. The attached documents have been identified as Confidential in accordance with

Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.135(2)(A)3 .

WHEREFORE, Confluence Rivers files the information described herein.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was sent by electronic mail on May 25, 2023, to the following:

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