

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

In the Matter of the Application of Confluence Rivers)	
Utility Operating Company, Inc. to Acquire Certain)	
Water and Sewer Assets, For a Certificate of)	<u>File No. WM-2018-0116</u>
Convenience and Necessity, and, in Connection)	<u>File No. SM-2018-0117</u>
Therewith, To Issue Indebtedness and Encumber)	
Assets)	

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: February 21, 2017

Effective Date: February 21, 2017

On November 2, 2017, Confluence Rivers Utility Operating Company, Inc., (“Confluence Rivers”) filed applications seeking, among other things, authority for Confluence Rivers to buy the assets of twelve water and sewer companies, and to then provide water and sewer service to the customers of those companies. The Commission gave notice to the public, and received no intervention requests.

The Commission ordered its Staff to file a pleading no later than December 21, 2017. Staff responded timely, stating it needed until February 20, 2018 to file a Recommendation or alternative pleading. On February 16, 2018, Staff responded, asking for the Commission to order Staff to file a further pleading no later than March 6, 2018.

The Commission finds the request reasonable, and will order Staff to file a responsive pleading.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Staff of the Commission shall file a Recommendation or an alternative pleading no later than March 6, 2018.
2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Ronald D. Pridgin, Deputy Chief
Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation
of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 21st day of February, 2018.

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 21st day of February 2018.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

February 21, 2018

File/Case No. WM-2018-0116 and SM-2018-0117

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,



**Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary**

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