

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

In the Matter of the Application of Confluence Rivers)
Utility Operating Company, Inc., for Authority to) **File No. WA-2019-0299**
Acquire Certain Water and Sewer Assets and for a)
Certificate of Convenience and Necessity)

**EXPEDITED MOTION FOR ADDITIONAL TIME TO MAY 15, 2020 TO FILE
LIST OF ISSUES, ORDER OF WITNESSES, ORDER OF CROSS-EXAMINATION,
AND ORDER OF OPENING STATEMENTS**

COMES NOW the Staff (“Staff”) of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”), through counsel, and moves the Commission for additional time to May 15, 2020 to file the List of Issues, Order of Witnesses, Order of Cross-Examination, and Order of Opening Statements. Staff requests expedited consideration. In support, Staff states as follows:

1. On March 24, 2020 the Commission ordered that a List of Issues, Order of Witnesses, Order of Cross-Examination, and Order of Opening Statements would be filed today, May 14, 2020.
2. The parties have been unable to agree on the issues list, although they are in agreement on the order of witnesses, cross-examination, and opening statements.
3. A prehearing conference is scheduled in this matter for tomorrow at which time the parties hope to receive clarification of which issue(s) the Commission intends to hear at the evidentiary hearing, scheduled for May 19-20.
4. For this reason, the parties request that this filing be due after the prehearing conference.

5. The undersigned counsel spoke with John Clizer, counsel for The Office of Public Counsel; David Linton, counsel for the Lake Perry Lot Owners' Association; and Dean Cooper, counsel for Confluence Rivers Utility Operating Company, Inc. They do not object to this motion.

WHEREFORE, Staff submits this *Expedited Motion for Additional Time to File List of Issues, Order of Witnesses, Order of Cross-Examination, and Order of Opening Statements* for the Commission's consideration. Staff requests one additional day to file this document.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been electronically mailed to all parties and/or counsel of record on this 14th day of May, 2020.

/s/ Karen E. Bretz