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 of Terre Du Lac Utilities Corporation

File No. WM-2020-0403¹

ORDER SETTING LOCAL PUBLIC HEARING AND DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: November 4, 2020 On September 21, 2020,² the Office of Public Counsel (OPC) filed a Motion to Suspend Current Schedule, Request for Notice to Customers, and Request for Local Public Hearing. On September 30, the Commission issued its Order to File Proposed Local Public Hearing Schedule, Setting Procedural Conference, and Order for Filing. On October 26, OPC filed its Proposal Local Public Hearing Dates, stating the parties had conferred and agreed upon the proposed dates. Per the proposal, the Commission will schedule a local public hearing on December 15, 2020, commencing at 7:00 p.m. Because of the ongoing pandemic, the hearing will be conducted virtually by Webex. The Commission will also order the Commission Staff and parties to consult and file a proposed procedure for (a) providing notice and participation instructions to utility customers; (b) identifying and registering persons wishing to testify in the hearing; (c) the Commission's receiving written comments; (d) facilitating a question and answer session prior to the hearing; and (e) facilitating testimony during the hearing.

¹ WM-2020-0403 and SM-2020-0404 were consolidated by order of July 6, 2020.

² All date citations shall be to 2020, unless otherwise stated.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission will conduct a local public hearing in this case on December 15, 2020, commencing at 7:00 p.m.

- 2. The local public hearing will be conducted virtually by Webex.
- 3. No later than November 12, 2020, the Commission Staff, in consultation

with the parties, shall file a proposed procedure addressing the matters described in the body of this order.

4. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Paul T. Graham, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority under Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 4th day of November, 2020.