# **BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

# **OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of White River Valley Water Company for Sale of Facilities and Assets to Public Water Supply District No. 2 of Taney County, Missouri.

Case No. WM-2006-0557

## ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE AND ADDING PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 2 OF TANEY COUNTY, MISSOURI AS A PARTY

Issue Date: July 3, 2006

Effective Date: July 3, 2006

On June 30, 2006, White River Valley Water Company filed an application with the Commission requesting authority to sell its sewer/treatment facility to the Public Water Supply District No. 2 of Taney County, Missouri (the Water District). White River is a small privately owned water utility company subject to the jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission and located in Forsyth, Missouri.

The Water District is not subject to regulation by the Commission and did not join in the application. The Water District's presence as a party is necessary for a full consideration of White River's application. Therefore, the Water District will be added as a party to this case.

Proper parties should be given notice and an opportunity to intervene in this matter. The Data Center of the Commission shall send a copy of this order to the County Commission of Taney County, Missouri, and to the Missouri Department of Natural Resources. The Information Officer of the Commission shall make notice of this application

available to the members of the General Assembly who represent Taney County, and to the media that serve Taney County.

Proper persons wishing to intervene shall file an application to intervene with the Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission. Copies of the application to intervene should be sent to the parties listed below.

The requirement of a hearing has been fulfilled when all those having a desire to be heard are offered an opportunity to be heard. If no proper party is granted intervention and neither the Commission's Staff nor the Office of the Public Counsel requests a hearing, the Commission may determine that a hearing is not necessary and that White River may submit its evidence in support of the application by verified statement.<sup>1</sup>

#### IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Public Water Supply District No. 2 of Taney County, Missouri, is made a party to this case.

2. The Information Office and the Data Center of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall provide notice as set out herein.

3. Any interested person wishing to request a hearing or intervene in this case shall file a request or an application on or before July 24, 2006 with:

Colleen M. Dale, Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission Post Office Box 360 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> State ex rel. Rex Deffenderfer Enterprises, Inc. v. Public Service Commission, 776 S.W.2d 494, 496 (Mo. App. 1989).

and copies shall be served upon the following persons:

William McCullah
221 Main Street
P.O. Box 370
Forsyth, Missouri 65653
Attorney for White River Valley Water Supply Company;
William A. McCaffree, Esquire
P.O. Box 244
Nevada, Missouri 64772
Attorney for the Public Water Supply District No. 2
of Taney County, Missouri;

and

- Office of the Public Counsel Post Office Box 2230 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102
- 4. This order shall become effective on July 3, 2006.

### BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Cherlyn D. Voss, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 3rd day of July, 2006.