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April 4, 2012

Missouri Public Service Commission Governor State Office Building Jefferson City, Mo. 65101

Re: File No. WO-2012-0211

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith for filing please find the City of Waynesville's Response to Staff Recommendations.

Sincerely,

Ralph W. Muxlow II

Enclosure

cc: Tanya Alm

Rachel Lewis Christina Baker Dean Cooper Bruce Harrill

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of)	
Highway H Utilities, Inc. for Authority to Sell)	
Certain Water System Assets to the City of)	File No. WO-2012-0211
Waynesville, Missouri, and, in Connection)	
Therewith, Certain Other Related Transactions.)	

RESPONSE TO STAFF RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW the City of Waynesville, by and through counsel, and, in response to the Staff Recommendation, states the following to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission):

- 1. On April 2, 2012, the Staff of the Commission (Staff) filed its Recommendation in this case. That Recommendation suggested that the Commission approve Highway H's Application to sell part of its system to the City of Waynesville, Missouri, subject to certain conditions.
- 2. The City of Waynesville hereby states that it has no objection to the proposed conditions found in the Staff Recommendation.
- 3. Counsel for the Office of the Public Counsel (Public Counsel) has indicated that the Public Counsel also has no objection to the Staff Recommendation or its conditions.

WHEREFORE, the City of Waynesville respectfully requests that the Commission issue an order granting the Application in this matter, subject to the conditions identified by the Staff of the Commission.

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 U. S. mail, postage prepaid, to the following this 4th day of April, 2012:

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