OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Forrest L. Hatfield,)	
	Complainant,)	
V.)	Case No. WC-2006-0128
Melody Lake Water & Sev		
	Respondent.)	
Robert G. Bodine,)	
	Complainant,)	
v.)	Case No. WC-2006-0130
Melody Lake Water & Sewer, LLC,		
	Respondent.)	
Harold J. Reitz,)	
	Complainant,)	
V.)	Case No. WC-2006-0152
Melody Lake Water & Sewer, LLC,		
) Respondent.)	

ORDER CONSOLIDATING CASES

Issue Date: November 10, 2005 Effective Date: November 10, 2005

On September 23, 2005, Forrest L. Hatfield and Robert G. Bodine filed separate complaints with the Missouri Public Service Commission against Melody Lake Water & Sewer, LLC, generally voicing displeasure with how the company is being run and concluding that it should be subject to Commission scrutiny. Subsequently, Harold J. Reitz

also filed a complaint with the Commission against Melody Lake reflecting similar concerns as Forrest L. Hatfield and Robert G. Bodine.

Because these matters involved similar questions of law and fact, and because the Respondent in all of the cases is Melody Lake, the Commission will consolidate these matters. Case No. WC-2006-0128 will be the lead case.

The Commission notes that it has directed the Staff of the Commission to investigate the complaints in Case Nos. WC-2006-0128 and WC-2006-0130, and to file reports by November 14, 2006. Because these matters will be consolidated, Staff need only file one report concerning all complaints.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- 1. That Case Nos. WC-2006-0128, WC-2006-0130 and WC-2006-0152 are consolidated, with WC-2006-0128 being the lead case.
- 2. That the Staff of the Commission shall file one, joint report for the consolidated cases.
 - 3. That this order shall become effective on November 10, 2005.

BY THE COMMISSION

(SEAL)

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

Kennard L. Jones, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 10th day of November, 2005.