

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Jerry Reed, )  
d/b/a Woodland Acres Water System, for a )  
Certificate of Convenience and Necessity )  
to Provide Water Service in St. Clair County, )  
Missouri )

**File No. WA-2009-0031**

## ORDER SETTING PREHEARING CONFERENCE

Issue Date: June 16, 2009

Effective Date: June 16, 2009

Jerry Reed, d/b/a Woodland Acres Water System filed an application as described in the above caption. The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission recommends that the Commission conditionally approve the application. The Office of the Public Counsel as well as Jerry Reed, d/b/a Woodland Acres expressed concern about Staff's recommendation.

This matter is now at issue and a prehearing conference and procedural schedule are appropriate to ensure its prompt resolution. At the prehearing conference, the parties or their representatives should be prepared to discuss the nature of any discovery each will conduct and the interval necessary for its completion; the number of witnesses each expects to call at hearing; the number and nature of any exhibits each expects to offer at hearing; and the anticipated length of the hearing. The parties or their representatives should also be prepared to discuss the current status of settlement negotiations. It is expected that the prehearing conference will provide an opportunity for the parties to further pursue settlement discussions. The Commission will afford the parties an opportunity to participate in this hearing by telephone by calling the number noted below.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. A prehearing conference shall be held on June 30, 2009, beginning at 10:00 a.m., in Room 305 of the Governor Office Building, 200 Madison Street, Jefferson City, Missouri. This hearing will be held in a building that meets accessibility standards required by the Americans with Disabilities Act. If you need additional accommodations to participate in this public hearing, please call the Public Service Commission's Hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 prior to the hearing. Those who wish to participate by telephone shall call the judge at 573-751-8518 prior to June 30. If it is necessary to leave a message, be sure to include the number at which you would like to be contacted for the prehearing conference.

2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', is written over a horizontal line.

Colleen M. Dale  
Secretary

( S E A L )

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 16th day of June, 2009.