

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Elm Hills Utility Operating ) File No. WR-2020-0275  
Company, Inc.'s Request for a Water and ) Tariff Nos. YS-2021-0149 and  
Sewer Rate Increase ) YW-2021-0148

## ORDER APPROVING TARIFFS IN COMPLIANCE WITH COMMISSION ORDER

Issue Date: February 16, 2021

Effective Date: February 27, 2021

On December 30, 2020, the Commission issued its *Order Approving Second Disposition Agreement and Small Company Rate Increase* (Order) granting Elm Hills Utility Operating Company, Inc.'s (Elm Hills) request for a water and sewer rate increase. The Order permitted Elm Hills to file tariff sheets in compliance with the terms of the Order.

On January 28, 2021, Elm Hills filed compliance tariff sheets under Tariff Nos. YS-2021-0149 and YW-2021-0148.<sup>1</sup> The effective date of the tariff sheets is February 27, 2021. An expedited review by the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) was ordered, and on February 10, 2021, Staff filed its recommendation that the tariff sheets be approved. The Commission allowed for the filing of any responses to the proposed tariff sheets. No responses or objections were received, thus the Commission will take up Elm Hills's compliance tariff sheets unopposed.

Upon reviewing the pleadings, the Commission finds Elm Hills's proposed tariff sheets comply with the Commission's Order and will approve them. To accommodate Elm Hills's chosen tariff effective date, the Commission will make this order effective in

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<sup>1</sup> Both Tariff Nos. YS-2021-0149 and YW-2021-0148 had substitutes of certain tariff sheets filed by Elm Hills on February 8, 2021. The substitutions related to formatting concerns and correcting service area legal descriptions and titles. References made in this order to tariff sheets include these substitutes.

less than thirty days and will approve the proposed tariff sheets to become effective on February 27, 2021.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The proposed tariff sheets filed on January 28, 2021, by Elm Hills with certain sheets substituted on February 8, 2021, and assigned Tariff Nos. YS-2021-0149 and YW-2021-0148 are approved to become effective on February 27, 2021. The specific tariff sheets are as follows:

Water tariff sheets filed on January 28, 2021:

P.S.C. MO. No. 3  
Original Sheet Nos. 1-3  
Original Sheet Nos. 7-9  
Original Sheet Nos. 12-35

Water tariff sheets substituted on February 8, 2021:

P.S.C. MO. No. 3  
Original Sheet No. 4  
Original Sheet No. 5  
Original Sheet No. 6  
Original Sheet No. 10  
Original Sheet No. 11

Sewer tariff sheets filed on January 28, 2021:

P.S.C. MO. No. 4  
Original Sheet Nos. 1-12  
Original Sheet Nos. 16-18  
Original Sheet Nos. 20-22  
Original Sheet Nos. 24-64

Sewer tariff sheets substituted on February 8, 2021:

P.S.C. MO. No. 4  
Original Sheet No. 13  
Original Sheet No. 14  
Original Sheet No. 15  
Original Sheet No. 19  
Original Sheet No. 23

2. This order shall be effective on February 27, 2021.
3. This file shall close on February 28, 2021.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Charles Hatcher, Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant  
to Section 386.240, RSMo (2016).

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2021.