

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of Confluence Rivers Utility)
Operating Company, Inc.'s Request for) **File No. WR-2023-0006**
Authority to Implement a General Rate) Tracking Nos. YW-2023-0113
Increase for Water Service and Sewer)
Service Provided in Missouri Service Areas)

In the Matter of Confluence Rivers Utility)
Operating Company, Inc.'s Request for) **File No. SR-2023-0007**
Authority to Implement a General Rate) Tracking Nos. SW-2023-0114
Increase for Water Service and Sewer)
Service Provided in Missouri Service Areas)

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE

Issue Date: January 4, 2023

Effective Date: January 4, 2023

On December 21, 2022, Confluence Rivers Utility Operating Company, Inc. (Confluence or “the Company”) filed proposed tariffs designed to produce an additional \$1,286,748 in annual water revenues from 26 water service areas and an additional \$1,862,116 in annual sewer revenues from 39 sewer service areas. Individual rate changes proposed by the Company differ from water to sewer and by service area because of the variety of rates currently in use.

On December 22, 2022, Confluence filed its *Motion to Consolidate*, requesting that the two general rate cases, water and sewer, be consolidated as they have parties in common, and common questions of law and fact. Commission Rules allow that responses can be filed within ten days.¹ No objections or responses were received.

Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.110(3) allows for the consolidation of cases with related questions of law or fact. Since these cases involve related questions of law and fact, the Commission will grant the uncontested motion.

¹ 20 CSR 4240-2.080(13).

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Confluence's motion to consolidate File Nos. WR-2023-0006 and SR-2023-0007, with File No. WR-2023-0006 being the lead case, is granted.
2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

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

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
On the 4th day of January, 2023


STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission,
at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 4th day of January, 2023.





Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

January 4, 2023

File/Case No. WR-2023-0006 and SR-2023-0007

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,



**Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary**

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