

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

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

STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”), through the undersigned counsel, and on behalf of itself, Confluence Rivers Utility Operating Company, and the Office of the Public Counsel (collectively, the “parties”) hereby respectfully submits this *Status Report*:

1. The Commission held in an evidentiary hearing in this matter from August 10, 2023 through August 16, 2023. During the evidentiary hearing, the parties informed the Commission that a tentative agreement (“Agreement”) had been reached resolving a number of issues in this matter, and that the parties were working to reduce the Agreement to writing.

2. On August 16, 2023, at the conclusion of the evidentiary hearing in this matter, the Commission ordered the filing of the Agreement or a status report regarding the Agreement no later than 5:00 p.m. on August 22, 2023.¹

3. The parties continue to finalize the Agreement, and anticipate having the Agreement ready to file no later than August 29, 2023.

WHEREFORE, the parties respectfully submit this *Status Report*, and pray the Commission accept the same as satisfying the Commission’s order.

¹ This order was reduced to writing in the *Notice of Orders Issued During Evidentiary Hearing*, filed in EFIS on August 17, 2023.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that true and correct copies of the foregoing were mailed, electronically mailed, or hand-delivered to all parties and/or all counsel(s) of record this 22nd day of August, 2023.

/s/ Travis J. Pringle