

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

In the Matter of Missouri-American)
Water Company's Request for Authority to)
Implement a General Rate Increase for)
Water and Sewer Service Provided in)
Missouri Service Areas.) Case No. WR-2011-0337

**THE OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC COUNSEL'S LATE-FILED
NOTICE CONCERNING EXPERT WITNESS AVAILABILITY**

COMES NOW the Office of the Public Counsel (Public Counsel) and for its Late-Filed Notice of Expert Witness Availability states as follows:

1. On February 24, 2012, the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) issued its Order Suspending Procedural Schedule and Setting an On-the-Record Proceeding requiring any party intending to tender expert witnesses a the on-the-record proceeding to file a notice disclosing the identity and professional background of those experts by March 2, 2012.
2. Public Counsel now states that expert witness Ms. Barbara Meisenheimer will be available for questions during the on-the-record presentation. Ms. Meisenheimer's professional background has been described in her prefiled Direct Testimony which has been marked as OPC4 for identification.
3. Public Counsel requests that the Commission accept this Late Filed Notice and states that it believes no party has been prejudiced by its late filing.

WHEREFORE, Public Counsel respectfully submits its notice.

Respectfully submitted,

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