

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

The City of Houston Lake, Missouri,	)	
	)	
Complainant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	<b><u>File No. WC-2014-0260</u></b>
	)	
Missouri-American Water Company,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

**ORDER SUSTAINING OBJECTION TO DATA REQUESTS  
AND ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER**

Issue Date: December 9, 2014

Effective Date: December 9, 2014

On November 20, 2014, the Staff of the Commission filed its Objection to Data Requests and Motion for Protective Order. Staff objects to several data requests, stating, among other things, that the information is equally available to Complainant. Staff further asks for a protective order, stating that to the extent it is ordered to respond, it will need additional time to do so, and that Complainant should be required to reimburse Staff for its expenses in retrieving the information.

Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(13) allows parties ten days to respond to pleadings unless otherwise ordered by the Commission. The Commission issued no order to the contrary, more than ten days has elapsed, and no party has responded to Staff's objection and motion.

The Commission finds Staff's requests reasonable, and will grant them.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The objections listed in the Staff of the Commission's November 20, 2014 Objection to Data Requests are sustained.
2. The motion for protective order requested in the Staff of the Commission's November 20, 2014 Motion for Protective Order is granted.
3. This order shall be effective when issued.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Ronald D. Pridgin, Deputy Chief Regulatory  
Law Judge, by delegation of authority  
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 9<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2014.