

**STATE OF MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2016.

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 its )  
Missouri Service Area. )

File No. WR-2015-0301

**ORDER APPROVING MODIFICATION TO APPROVED STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT REGARDING REVENUE REQUIREMENT**

Issue Date: May 11, 2016

Effective Date: May 21, 2016

On April 6, 2016, the Commission approved two stipulations and agreements that between them established that Missouri-American Water Company should receive an increase of \$30.6 million in its annual revenue requirement on a total company basis. Thereafter, on April 25, Missouri-American filed a motion asking the Commission to modify that stipulation to reduce the increase to its annual revenue requirement to \$30.413 million. The motion explains that the \$187,000 reduction in its annual revenue requirement is appropriate because operational problems at a new Booster Station in the Joplin area have made that Booster Station not currently used and useful. The \$187,000 reduction to revenue requirement reflects that change in the status of the Booster Station.

Missouri-American's motion represents that Staff, Public Counsel, MIEC and the Division of Energy do not oppose the motion. Staff filed a concurrence in the motion on April 25. Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(13) allows parties ten days in which to

respond to any motion. More than ten days have passed since Missouri-American filed the motion and no party has opposed the motion.

The Commission will grant Missouri-American's unopposed motion. Because that motion is unopposed, the Commission will make this order effective in ten days.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. Missouri-American Water Company's Motion to Modify Order Approving Non-Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement is granted.
2. The previously approved stipulation and agreement is modified to reduce the increase to Missouri-American Water Company's annual revenue requirement to \$30.413 million.
3. This order shall become effective on May 21, 2016.



BY THE COMMISSION

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

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Hall, Chm., Kenney, Rupp, and Coleman, CC., concur;  
Stoll, C., Absent.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge