# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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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 DIRECTING STAFF TO FILE EXPEDITED RECOMMENDATION AND ESTABLISHING TIME FOR OTHER PARTIES TO OFFER RECOMMENDATIONS

Issue Date: June 23, 2016

Effective Date: June 23, 2016

On May 26, 2016, the Commission issued a report and order that rejected Missouri-American's tariffs to increase the company's annual revenues from its provision of water and sewer service. However, the Commission authorized Missouri-American to file tariffs sufficient to recover revenues as determined in that report and order. Missouri-American filed its sewer compliance tariffs on June 22.<sup>1</sup>

Missouri-American's sewer compliance tariffs carry a 30-day effective date that would put the tariffs in effect on July 22. However, Missouri-American filed a motion along with its tariffs asking the Commission to expedite its consideration of the sewer compliance tariffs and to approve the tariffs to go into effect on June 30, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

The Commission will order its Staff to file an expedited recommendation regarding Missouri-American's sewer compliance tariffs, and will establish a date by which other interested parties may file a recommendation regarding those tariffs.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Missouri-American previously filed its water compliance tariffs on June 20.

### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Staff shall file its recommendation regarding Missouri-American's sewer compliance tariffs, Tariff Nos. YS-2016-0365, YS-2016-0366, YS-2016-0367, YS-2016-0368, YS-2016-0369, YS-2016-0370, YS-2016-0371, YS-2016-0372, YS-2016-0373, and YS-2015-0374, no later than June 27, 2016.

2. Any other party wishing to file a recommendation regarding Missouri-American's sewer compliance tariffs, Tariff Nos. YS-2016-0365, YS-2016-0366, YS-2016-0367, YS-2016-0368, YS-2016-0369, YS-2016-0370, YS-2016-0371, YS-2016-0372, YS-2016-0373, and YS-2015-0374, shall do so no later than June 27, 2016.

3. This order shall be effective when issued.



## BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority under Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June, 2016.

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 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June 2016.



Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

### MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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

Sincerely,

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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