## 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 Service ) Provided in Missouri Service Areas ) <u>File No. WR-2010-0131</u> Tracking No. YW-2010-0310 YS-2010-0311,YS-2010-0312, YS-2010-0313,YS-2010-0314

## ORDER EXCUSING PARTIES FROM EVIDENTIARY HEARING

Issue Date: May 17, 2010

Effective Date: May 17, 2010

The Missouri Public Service Commission is granting requests from the following

intervenors to be excused from appearance at the evidentiary hearing:<sup>1</sup>

- City of Jefferson, Missouri; and
- City of Warrensburg, Missouri.

The Commission received requests, copied to all parties, on May 14, 2010. Those intervenors have sponsored no witnesses of their own. Absence from the hearing constitutes a waiver of the right to offer evidence and argument at the hearing, with one exception. City of Warrensburg reserves its right to make an opening statement on May 24, 2010, as to class cost of service and allocation of rate increases to customer classes.

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The City of Jefferson, Missouri is excused from appearing at the evidentiary hearing.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> As contemplated by 4 CSR 240-2.110(2)(B) and 4 CSR 240-2.116(3).

2. The City of Warrensburg, Missouri is excused from appearing at the evidentiary

hearing except for the making of an opening statement.

3. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

## BY THE COMMISSION

Steven C. Reed Secretary

(SEAL)

Daniel Jordan, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of May 2010.