

The Commission held a local public hearing in Raytown, Missouri, on December 1, 2010. On December 7, 2010, Staff filed its Response to Local Public Hearing as required by 4 CSR 240-3.050(19).

On December 14, 2010, Staff filed a Notice of Unanimous Disposition Agreement (Unanimous Agreement) on behalf of itself, Raytown Water Company, and the Office of the Public Counsel. Among other items, the Unanimous Agreement recommends approval of an annualized operating revenue increase of \$336,867. This amount is \$7,296 less than the amount contained in the original Agreement. Raytown Water provides service to approximately 6,578 mostly residential customers within the cities of Raytown and Independence. The revenue increase represents an 11.90 percent increase or \$4.46 per month for a residential customer using 6,000 gallons per month.

The Unanimous Agreement also prescribed a schedule of water plant depreciation rates and required Raytown Water to implement certain agreed-upon conditions, including the filing of tariff sheets with a 30-day effective date. In compliance with the Unanimous Agreement, Raytown Water filed a substitute tariff sheet on December 21, 2010, with an effective date of January 31, 2011.

The Commission set a filing deadline for Staff to advise whether the substitute tariff sheet is in compliance with the Unanimous Agreement, and for any other parties to respond to the tariff filing. Staff responded on January 10, 2010, stating that the substitute sheet complies with the terms of the Unanimous Agreement and recommending that the Commission approve the Unanimous Agreement and the substitute tariff sheet. No other responses were received.

The Commission finds the Unanimous Agreement and the substitute tariff sheet to be reasonable and shall approve them.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Notice of Unanimous Disposition Agreement Regarding Disposition of Small Water Company Revenue Increase Request, entered into by the Staff of the Commission, Raytown Water Company, and Office of the Public Counsel and filed on December 14, 2010, is approved and the parties shall comply with its terms.

2. Tariff No. YW-2011-0175, filed by Raytown Water Company, is approved as substituted on December 21, 2010, to become effective for service rendered on and after January 31, 2011. The tariff sheet approved is:

PSC FORM NO. 5

First Revised Sheet No. 9, Cancelling Original Sheet No. 9

3. This order shall become effective on January 31, 2011.
4. This case may be closed on February 1, 2011.

BY THE COMMISSION



Steven C. Reed
Secretary

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Clayton, Chm., Davis, Jarrett,
Gunn, and Kenney, CC., concur.

Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge