

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Rate)
Increase Request for Liberty Utilities) **File No. WR-2018-0170**
(Missouri Water), LLC d/b/a Liberty Utilities)

ORDER PERMITTING RESPONSES TO TIME-SHARE CUSTOMER ISSUE

Issue Date: February 27, 2018

Effective Date: February 27, 2018

On February 26, 2018, Orange Lake Country Club, Inc. and Silverleaf Resorts, Inc. (“Movants”) filed a reply to Staff and Liberty Utilities’ responses to their motion to dismiss. Liberty Utilities’ response to the motion to dismiss stated that Movants do not dispute that Liberty Utilities qualifies for the Small Utility Rate Case Procedure (“SURP”) because they have fewer than 8,000 customers. Staff’s Response to the motion to dismiss states that Movants do not cite any Commission rule or law violated by Liberty Utilities use of the SURP.

Movants reply to Liberty Utilities’ and Staff’s responses indicates their belief that the 36,686 time-share owners are water and sewer customers within the meaning of 4 CSR 240-3.010(7). Before the Commission decides whether to grant Movants motion to dismiss, the parties will be given an opportunity to respond on the issue of time-share owners as utility customers.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. No later than March 7, 2018, any party wishing to address the issue of time-share owners as utility customers may file a response or brief.

2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

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

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

John T. Clark, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 27th day of February, 2018.

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 27th day of February 2018.




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,



**Morris L. Woodruff
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