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)	File Nos. WR-2015-0301
Increase for Water and Sewer Service Provided in)	and SR-2015-0302
Missouri Service Areas)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

ORDER GRANTING REQUESTS TO INTERVENE

Issue Date: September 9, 2015 Effective Date: September 9, 2015

On July 31, 2015, Missouri-American Water Company (MAWC) submitted revised tariff sheets to implement general rate increases in its water and sewer rates. The Commission issued notice of the company's filing and set August 25, 2015, as the deadline for requests to intervene. The Commission received such requests from: the Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers; the Missouri Department of Economic Development – Division of Energy; Triumph Foods, LLC; the City of Warrensburg, Missouri; the City of St. Joseph, Missouri; the City of Joplin, Missouri; Public Water Supply District Nos. 1 and 2 of Andrew County, Missouri; the City of Riverside, Missouri; the City of Brunswick, Missouri; Stonebridge Village Property Owners Association; and the Utility Workers Union of America Local 335.

Among other things, Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.075 allows the Commission to grant requests to intervene if the proposed intervenor has an interest which is different from that of the general public and such interest may be adversely affected by a final order arising from the case. The Commission may alternatively grant intervention if participation in the case by that intervenor would serve the general public.

Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.080 (13) allows 10 days for the filing a responsive pleadings. More than 10 days have expired since the requests to intervene have been filed and no party has filed a pleading opposing any of the requests. All of the requests allege the necessary elements required for intervention. The Commission will therefore grant the requests to intervene.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The requests to intervene filed by: the Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers; the Missouri Department of Economic Development Division of Energy; Triumph Foods, LLC; the City of Warrensburg, Missouri; the City of St. Joseph, Missouri; the City of Joplin, Missouri; Public Water Supply District Nos. 1 and 2 of Andrew County, Missouri; the City of Riverside, Missouri; the City of Brunswick, Missouri; Stonebridge Village Property Owners Association and the Utility Workers Union of America Local 335.
 - 2. This order shall be effective when issued.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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Kennard L. Jones, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 9th day of September, 2015.