

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

Carl R. Mills' Request to Transfer Water)
System at Carriage Oaks Estate) **File No. WM-2022-0144**

NONOPPOSITION TO REQUEST FOR WAIVER

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”), through counsel, and files its nonopposition to Carl R. Mills’ *Request for Waiver*, filed August 30, 2022.

1. Staff filed its *Staff Recommendation* on August 25, 2022, recommending that the Commission approve the transfer of Mr. Mills’ water utility assets to Carriage Oaks Estates Not-For-Profit Corporation, contingent upon the nonprofit organization receiving approval from the Missouri Department of Natural Resources of its Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws, pursuant to § 393.900.3.(1), RSMo.

2. In footnote 1 of its recommendation, Staff noted that at that time, Mr. Mills had not filed a notice as required by 20 CSR 4240-4.017 (requires filing a notice of intent 60 days before filing a case) or requested a waiver from this regulation’s requirements.

3. Mr. Mills filed a request for a waiver from this requirement on August 30, 2022. Staff does not oppose this request.

WHEREFORE, Staff files its nonopposition to Mr. Mills’ request for a waiver from the notice requirement of 20 CSR 4240-4.017.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been electronically mailed to all parties and/or counsel of record on this 6th day of September, 2022.

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