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

Charles Harter,	)	
Complainant.	)	
V.	)	Case No. WC-2023-0106
Missouri-American Water Company,	)) ))	
Respondent	)	

## REPORT OF THE STAFF

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), by and through undersigned counsel, and submits its *Report of the Staff*.

- 1. On September 16, 2022, Charles Harter ("Complainant") filed a formal complaint against Missouri-American Water Company ("MAWC").
- 2. On September 19, 2022, the Commission ordered Staff to investigate this complaint and file a report no later than October 31, 2022.
- 3. Having concluded its investigation, Staff offers its *Report of the Staff*, which details Staff's investigation and analysis, and is attached hereto as Appendix A (*Report of the Staff*). In summary, Staff concludes that MAWC has not violated any applicable statutes, Commission rule or regulation, or Commission-approved MAWC Tariffs related to this complaint.
- 4. Staff's findings and analysis in the attached *Report of the Staff* more fully explain the circumstances that led Staff to make this conclusion.

**WHEREFORE**, Staff hereby tenders its *Report of the Staff* for the Commission's information and consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

## /s/ Don Cosper

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail, or First Class United States Postal Mail, postage prepaid, on this 31<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2022, to all counsel of record.

/s/ Don Cosper