

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Rate Increase Request of )  
Indian Hills Utility Operating Company, Inc. )

File No. WR-2017-0259

## ORDER DIRECTING FILING OF RATE DESIGN SCENARIOS

Issue Date: January 10, 2017

Effective Date: January 10, 2017

The Commission's staff ("Staff") shall, and any other party may, file a rate design scenario as follows. Any such rate design scenario shall:

- Be based solely on evidence already in the record.
- Employ the revenue requirement as proposed in Staff's brief.<sup>1</sup>
- Include the following monthly charges and rates:
  - A base charge, which shall not be seasonal, and shall be lower than \$59.02.
  - A volumetric rate per 1,000 gallons, which shall be seasonal, and shall include a:
    - Summer rate that is higher than the winter rate; and
    - Differential, between the summer rate and the winter rate, greater than proposed in Staff's brief.
- Project the impact of each rate design scenario on the bill of a customer who uses 3,000 gallons per month.

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<sup>1</sup> This provides only a baseline for comparing proposed rate designs, and does not constitute a pre-determination of the revenue requirement.

Any rate design scenario may be jointly or separately filed. This order does not prevent, and the Commission continues to encourage, the parties' unanimous agreement on this and any other issue.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The filing described in the body of this order shall be due on January 16, 2018.
2. This order shall be effective when issued.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Daniel Jordan, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant  
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January, 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 10<sup>th</sup> day of January 2018.



  
Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**January 10, 2018**

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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  
Secretary**

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