

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

In the Matter of Missouri-American Water Company)
for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity)
Authorizing It to Install, Own, Acquire, Construct,)
Operate, Control, Manage and Maintain a Water)
System in an Area of St. Charles County, Missouri)
File No. WA-2016-0054

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: December 9, 2015

Effective Date: December 9, 2015

On September 4, 2015, Missouri-American Water Company (“MAWC”) filed an application with the Missouri Public Service Commission requesting that the Commission grant it a certificate of convenience and necessity to install, own, acquire, construct, operate, control, manage and maintain a water system in St. Charles County, Missouri. On December 9, 2015, the Staff of the Commission filed a recommendation to approve the application subject to a number of conditions. The Commission will direct MAWC to file a response addressing the conditions in the Staff recommendation.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Missouri-American Water Company shall respond to the Staff recommendation, specifically addressing the conditions set out therein, no later than December 11, 2015.
2. Any other party wishing to respond to the Staff recommendation shall do so no later than December 11, 2015.

3. 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

Michael Bushmann, 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 December, 2015.