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Mr. Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge
Public Service Commission
P. O. Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65101

Missouri Public Service Commission

Re: Missouri-American Water Company - Case No.: WR-2000-281 - Tariff No.: 200000366

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed please find an original and fourteen copies of the "Application of St. Joseph, Missouri to Intervene" in the above-captioned matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

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## **Enclosures**

cc: Office of the Public Counsel

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## STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



IN THE MATTER OF MISSOURI-	)	Sarvice Commission
AMERICAN WATER COMPANY'S	)	
TARIFF SHEETS DESIGNED TO	)	
IMPLEMENT A GENERAL RATE	)	Case No.: WR-2000-281
INCREASE FOR WATER SERVICE	)	Tariff No.: 200000366
PROVIDED TO CUSTOMERS IN THE	)	
MISSOURI SERVICE AREA OF THE	)	
COMPANY.	)	

## APPLICATION OF ST. JOSEPH, MISSOURI TO INTERVENE

COMES NOW the City of St. Joseph, Missouri, a constitutional charter city organized under the laws of the State of Missouri, and hereby moves this Body for an Order allowing it to intervene in this cause, and in support of its Application to Intervene, states:

- 1. That the Missouri-American Water Company is a corporation duly organized and furnishing water services within the City of St. Joseph, Missouri.
- 2. That the residents of the City of St. Joseph, Missouri, are water users who have a direct and vital interest in the services provided and the rates charged by Missouri-American Water Company within the City of St. Joseph, Missouri.
- 3. That the City of St. Joseph, Missouri, is a proper party to intervene pursuant to the Rules of Practice and Procedure before the Public Service Commission of the State of Missouri.
- 4. That if permitted to intervene, the City of St. Joseph, Missouri, will intervene to protect the interests of the municipality and its residents.



## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 1999, a copy of the foregoing Application of St. Joseph, Missouri to Intervene was mailed by me, first-class postage prepaid, to:

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W. R. England, III Brydon, Swearengen & England, P.C. 312 E. Capitol Avenue, P. O. Box 456 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102 5. That the City of St. Joseph, Missouri, will abide by the Schedule of Proceedings previously adopted herein by the Commission and will not seek a delay or postponement of any proceedings now scheduled herein by reason of the granting of this Application.

WHEREFORE, the City of St. Joseph, Missouri, respectfully requests an Order of this Commission:

- (a) Permitting the City of St. Joseph, Missouri, to intervene in this cause to protect the interests of the municipality and its residents.
- (b) Permitting the City of St. Joseph, Missouri, to have notice of any hearing held and an opportunity to be heard in person, or by counsel.
- (c) For such other and further relief as the Commission deems just and appropriate in these circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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