

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

In the matter of the Petition of Missouri-)
American Water Company for Approval) **File No. WO-2015-0059**
to Change its Infrastructure System)
Replacement Surcharge (ISRS).)

STAFF RECOMMENDATION TO APPROVE COMPLIANCE TARIFF

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), by and through counsel, and hereby files its recommendation regarding tariff sheet P.S.C. MO. No.13, 5th Revised Sheet No. RT 10, Canceling 4th Revised Sheet No. RT 10 submitted in the above referenced case by Missouri-American Water Company (“MAWC”). In support of this recommendation, Staff respectfully states:

1. On September 2, 2014, MAWC filed a Petition to Change its Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge and Tariff. By this filing, MAWC requested an adjustment to its ISRS rates and charges for ISRS-eligible infrastructure system replacements and relocations made during the period of April 1, 2014 through September 30, 2014. Along with this application, MAWC filed proposed tariff sheet “P.S.C. MO. No.13, 5th Revised Sheet No. RT 10, Canceling 4th Revised Sheet No. RT 10” with the assigned tracking number YW-2015-0090.
2. On November 13, 2014, the Staff filed a Recommendation that contained a Memorandum describing Staff’s review of MAWC’s Petition.
3. On November 18, 2014, MAWC filed its Response and Objection to Staff’s Recommendation, identifying certain issues.
4. On November 26, 2014 the Parties filed a Stipulation and Agreement to settle the issues raised between Staff and MAWC. On December 3, 2014, a substitute tariff sheet was filed by MWAC as a result of this Stipulation and Agreement.

5. On December 4, 2014 the Commission directed Staff to file its Recommendation Regarding the Substitute Tariff sheet.

6. In compliance with the Commission's *Order*, Staff has examined MAWC's filed tariff sheet. James M. Russo, Rate & Tariff Examination Supervisor in the Water & Sewer Unit of the Missouri Public Service Commission, participated in the review of this tariff filing and states that, to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief, the tariff sheet is true and correct and comply with the terms of the Agreement in this case. The Affidavit of James M. Russo is attached here as Appendix A and incorporated by reference.

WHEREFORE, Staff submits this recommendation to the Commission stating that the tariff sheet filed in this case and pending in Tracking No. YW-2015-0090 complies with the terms of the Parties Agreement and requests the Commission issue an Order accepting the substitute tariff sheet filed by MAWC on December 3, 2014, and for such other and further relief as is just in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served, either electronically or by First Class United States Mail, postage prepaid, to all counsel of record this **5th day of December, 2014**.

/s/ Cydney D. Mayfield

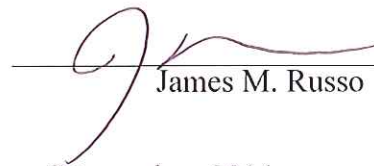
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AFFIDAVIT OF JAMES M. RUSSO

STATE OF MISSOURI)
) ss
COUNTY OF COLE)

James M. Russo, of lawful age, on oath states: (1) that he is the Regulatory Tariff Examination Supervisor of the Water and Sewer Unit of the Missouri Public Service Commission; (2) that he participated in the preparation of the foregoing *Staff Recommendation to Approve Substitute Tariff Sheet*; (3) that he has knowledge of the matters set forth in the foregoing *Staff Recommendation to Approve Substitute Tariff Sheet*; and (4) that such matters set forth in the foregoing *Staff Recommendation to Approve Substitute Tariff Sheet* are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.


_____ James M. Russo

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of December, 2014.

SUSAN L. SUNDERMEYER Notary Public - Notary Seal State of Missouri Commissioned for Callaway County My Commission Expires: October 28, 2018 Commission Number: 14942086
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