

**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, ) **File No. WA-2023-0071**  
Manage and Maintain a Water System and )  
Sewer System in and around the city of )  
Smithton, Missouri )

**ORDER APPROVING TARIFF SHEETS AND GRANTING MOTION  
FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT**

Issue Date: February 17, 2023

Effective Date: February 28, 2023

On January 11, 2023, the Commission issued an order granting a certificate of convenience and necessity to Missouri-American Water Company (MAWC) to acquire a water and sewer system in Smithton, Missouri. That order became effective on February 10, and required MAWC to submit tariff sheets to become effective before closing on the assets applicable to water service and sewer service in the requested service area.

On February 13, MAWC filed the required tariff sheets, Tracking Nos. YW-2023-0149 and YS-2023-0150, with effective dates of March 15. On the same day MAWC filed a motion for expedited treatment asking the Commission to allow the tariffs to become effective on February 28. In its motion, MAWC requested that the Commission grant expedited approval of the tariff sheets so its acquisition of the Smithton system can move forward more expeditiously, without any negative effect on customers or the general public.

On February 14, The Commission issued an order directing the Staff of the Commission (Staff) to file its recommendation by February 16, 2023, and for any other party wishing to respond to MAWC's tariff sheets and request for expedited treatment to do so by February 16 as well. On February 15, Staff filed its recommendation. Staff reviewed the tariff sheets, concluded they comply with the Commission's January 11, 2023 order, and recommended their approval. Staff also stated that it does not object to MAWC's request for expedited treatment. No other party responded.

The Commission has reviewed the tariff sheets and Staff's recommendation and finds that the tariff sheets should be approved. The Commission has also reviewed the motion for expedited treatment and finds that good cause exists under § 393.140(11), RSMo. 2016 to expedite the effective date of the tariff sheets. In addition, the Commission will exercise its discretion under § 386.490.2, RSMo 2016 to make this order effective in less than thirty days so that the order will be effective concurrently with the tariff sheets. Therefore, the Commission will approve these tariff sheets, as substituted, to become effective on February 28, 2023.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The Motion for Expedited Treatment filed by Missouri-American Water Company on February 14, 2023, is granted.
2. The tariff sheets filed by Missouri-American Water Company on February 14, 2023 (Tariff Tracking Nos. YW-2023-0149 and YS-2023-0150), as substituted, are approved to become effective on February 28, 2023. The specific tariff sheets approved are as follows:

**P.S.C. MO NO. 13**

5<sup>th</sup> Revised Sheet No. CA TOC D, Cancelling 4<sup>th</sup> Revised Sheet No. CA TOC D

Original Sheet No. CA 27.1  
Original Sheet No. CA 27.2

**P.S.C. MO NO. 26**

11th Revised Sheet No. IN 1.1, Cancelling 10th Revised Sheet No. IN 1.1  
16th Revised Sheet No. IN 1.3, Cancelling 15th Revised Sheet No. IN 1.3  
17th Revised Sheet No. IN 1.4, Cancelling 16th Revised Sheet No. IN 1.4  
20th Revised Sheet No. IN 1.5, Cancelling 19th Revised Sheet No. IN 1.5  
10th Revised Sheet No. RT 3.1, Cancelling 9th Revised Sheet No. RT 3.1  
Original Sheet No. CA 25.1  
Original Sheet No. MP 26.1

3. This order shall become effective on February 28, 2023.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

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

Morris Woodruff  
Secretary

Ross Keeling, Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority  
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2023.

**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 17<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2023.**



  
**Morris L. Woodruff**  
**Secretary**

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

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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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