

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

In The Matter of Ridge Creek Water Company, LLC's)
Application to Implement a General Rate Increase in)
Water Service)

Case No. WR-2017-0042

JOINT PLEADING REGARDING TARIFF EFFECTIVE DATE

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), the Interim Receiver for Ridge Creek Water Company, LLC and for Ridge Creek Development, LLC (the Company), and the Office of the Public Counsel (OPC), (collectively, the Parties) and for their *Joint Pleading Regarding Tariff Effective Date* in this matter hereby state:

1. On June 26, 2017, the Commission directed the parties to the *Total Disposition Agreement* to respond to whether the Commission should use the effective date of July 21, 2017 listed on the compliance tariff, or the August 1, 2017, as provided in the filed *Total Disposition Agreement*.

2. Commission regulation 4 CSR 240-3.050(13) states that when a unanimous disposition agreement is reached, the Company may file a compliance tariff with an effective date "not fewer than thirty days after they are filed." The rule thus permits that the filing may be longer than thirty days.

3. The Parties intended the effective date to have been August 1, 2017, as stated in the filed unanimous disposition agreement. Attached is a copy of the corrected tariff sheet, showing the August 1, 2017 effective date.

4. Therefore, the Parties respectfully request that the Commission replace the current sheet with the attached, corrected tariff sheet, or extend the effective date

on the current compliance tariffs to August 1, 2017 to comply with the *Total Disposition Agreement*.

WHEREFORE, the Parties pray that the Commission will replace the currently filed tariff sheet with the attached corrected sheet, or extend the listed effective date as August 1, 2017; and, grant such other and further relief as the Commission considers just in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile, or electronically mailed to all parties and or counsel of record on this 27th day of June, 2017.

/s/ Jacob T. Westen

Name of Utility: Ridge Creek Water Company, LLC

Service Area: The Ridge Creek Subdivision and adjoining areas in unincorporated Pulaski County, MO

Rules and Regulations Governing Rendering of
Water Service

Schedule of Rates

AVAILABILITY:

This schedule is available for water service on an annual basis to any customer located along the water lines of the Company.

MONTHLY RATE:

Customer Charge: \$33.02

Commodity Charge:\$5.30 per 1,000 gal

GROSS RECEIPTS, OCCUPATION OR FRANCHISE TAXES, OR PRIMACY FEES:

There shall be added to the Customer's bill, as a separate item, an amount equal to the proportionate part of any license, occupation, franchise, or other similar fee or tax now or hereafter imposed upon the Company by any municipality or any other governmental authority, whether imposed by ordinance, franchise or otherwise, in which the fee or tax is based upon a percentage of gross receipts, net receipts or revenues from the sale of water service rendered by the Company to the Customer. There shall be added to the Customer's bill, as a separate item, the appropriate amount of the primacy fee authorized by Section 640.100 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri.

* Indicates new rate or text

+ Indicates change

Issue Date: 06/21/17
Month /Day/Year

Effective Date: 08/01/17
Month /Day/Year

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Mailing Address

Name of Utility: Ridge Creek Water Company, LLC

Service Area: The Ridge Creek Subdivision and adjoining areas in unincorporated Pulaski County, MO

Rules and Regulations Governing Rendering of Water Service

Schedule of Service Charges

The following miscellaneous charges apply as authorized and described elsewhere in Company's filed Rules and Regulations.

SERVICE ACTIVATION FEE..... \$ 25.00

TURN ON or TURN OFF.....\$15.00

Trip charge for discontinuance, restoration, termination or emergency that is customer responsibility
Mon – Sat 8:00am – 5:00pm except holidays

AFTER HOURS TURN ON/OFF..... \$30.00

Trip charge for discontinuance, restoration, termination or emergency that is customer responsibility after regular hours, weekends and holidays

NEW SERVICE CONNECTION INSPECTION CHARGE\$50.00

METER TESTING

The cost to each Customer for a meter test requested by said Customer in accordance with Rule 12 shall be \$25.00.

DELINQUENT CHARGE:.....\$5 or 3%

Bills for customers will be due on or before twenty-one (21) days after the date thereof. The late charge is calculated monthly with the greater amount above being added to the delinquent bill in accordance with Rule 10 G.

RETURNED CHECK CHARGE:

A returned check charge of twenty-five (\$25.00) per check will be paid on all checks returned from the bank for any reason.

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