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

In the Matter of Missouri-American Water	)
Company's Request for Authority to	)
Implement a General Rate Increase for	)
Water and Sewer Service Provided in	)
Missouri Service Areas	)

File No. WR-2017-0285

# INTERVENOR CITY OF RIVERSIDE'S STATEMENT OF POSITIONS ON THE ISSUES

**COMES NOW** Intervener City of Riverside Missouri, by and through counsel, and for its *Statement of Positions on the Issues*, states their position on the following limited issues:

### **1. Regulatory Policy**

The Commission should maintain a policy that permits the Missouri American Water Company the ability to earn a fair return while providing assurance the rates set for MAWC are just and reasonable to all customers, including but not limited to true residential ratepayers. The policy should include that if there are quality of water issues as to consumption or destructive to a customer's pipes and/or appliances, no revenue increase should be granted, and a rate decrease should be considered, until such issues are resolved.

#### 2. Future Test Year

The City of Riverside is opposed to instituting the use of "Future Test Years" in the establishment of just and reasonable rates.

The City shall file an Amended Statement of Position consistent with the Commission's Order of February 20, 2018, Modifying Deadline to File Statement of Positions on Wednesday, February 21, 2018.

WHEREFORE, the City of Riverside reserves its right to modify its position on this or

any other issue raised in the case.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that true copies of the foregoing Intervenor City of Riverside's Statement of Position on the Issues was sent by e-mail this 20<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2018, to the parties of record as set out on the official Service List maintained by the Data Center of the Missouri Public Service Commission for this case.

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