

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

In the Matter of the Application of Aquila, Inc., for )  
Permission and Approval and a Certificate of Public )  
Convenience and Necessity Authorizing it to Acquire, )  
Construct, Install, Own, Operate, Maintain and ) **Case No. EA-2006-0309**  
Otherwise Control and Manage Electrical Production )  
And Related Facilities in Unincorporated Areas of )  
Cass County, Missouri, Near the Town of Peculiar )

## **ORDER SETTING LOCAL PUBLIC HEARINGS**

Issue Date: March 14, 2006

Effective Date: March 14, 2006

On January 25, 2006, Aquila, Inc., applied to the Commission for authority to operate its already-built electrical plant in an unincorporated area of Cass County, Missouri. To give the public opportunity to comment, the Commission will set two local public hearings.

For the first hearing, the Staff of the Commission will hold an informal question and answer session beginning at 11:30 a.m., the hearing will begin at 12:00 p.m., and will conclude at 3:00 p.m. For the second hearing, the Staff of the Commission will hold an informal question and answer session beginning at 5:30 p.m., the hearing will begin at 6:00 p.m., and will conclude at 9:00 p.m.

### **IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. The Commission shall hold a local public hearing on March 20, 2006, from 12:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m., and shall also hold a local public hearing on March 20, 2006, from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m., or until all persons who wish to testify have done so,

whichever is sooner, at the Cass County Justice Center, 2501 West Wall Street, Harrisonville, Missouri.

2. The Data Center of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall serve a copy of this order upon the Cass County Commission.

3. The Public Information Office of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall send a copy of this order to the members of the General Assembly and to the media that serve Cass County, Missouri.

4. This order shall become effective on March 14, 2006.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written over a horizontal line.

Colleen M. Dale  
Secretary

( S E A L )

Ronald D. Pridgin, Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant  
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 14<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2006.