

**STATE OF MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service  
Commission held at its office  
In Jefferson City on the 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Day of January, 2019.

William C. Fox, Sr.,	)	
	)	
Complainant,	)	
	)	
vs.	)	<b><u>Case No. WC-2019-0084</u></b>
	)	
Missouri-American Water Company,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

**ORDER OF DISMISSAL**

Issue Date: January 23, 2019

Effective Date: February 23, 2019

On December 4, 2018, the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") issued its *Order Setting Pre-Hearing Conference* ("Order") for January 3, 2019, at 1:00 p.m. The Parties were ordered to appear. They were given the option to appear either in person or by telephone and given an access phone number and PIN to use if they wished to appear by phone. All parties appeared as ordered except for William C. Fox, Sr., Complainant ("Mr. Fox"). Mr. Fox had not previously secured a continuance of the Pre-Hearing Conference.

On January 3, 2019, the Commission issued its *Order to Show Cause* ("Show Cause Order").<sup>1</sup> The Show Cause Order required Mr. Fox to show good cause why his Complaint should [not] be dismissed for failure to appear at a pre-hearing conference on

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<sup>1</sup> EFIS Item No. 13

January 3, 2019. It required him to do so no later than January 10, 2019. Mr. Fox has filed no pleading or other response to the Show Cause Order.

4 CSR 240-2.090(5) provides:

“Failure to appear at a prehearing conference without previously having secured a continuance shall constitute grounds for dismissal of the party or the party’s complaint, application or other action unless good cause for failure to appear is shown.”

The Commission finds that after being ordered to do so, Mr. Fox has failed to show good cause for failure to appear. As a result of that failure, the Commission will dismiss his *Complaint*.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The *Complaint*<sup>2</sup> of Williams C. Fox, Sr., is dismissed without prejudice.
2. This Order shall be effective on February 23, 2019.
3. This file shall be closed on February 24, 2019.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Silvey, Chm., Kenney, Hall, Rupp, and  
Coleman, CC., concur.

Graham, Regulatory Law Judge

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<sup>2</sup> EFIS Item No. 1

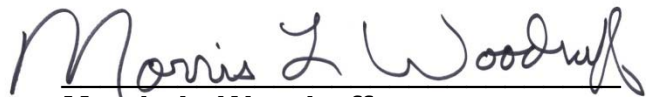
**STATE OF MISSOURI**

**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 23<sup>rd</sup> day of January 2019.**



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

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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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