

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Cordney Jack Travis,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	File No. WC-2019-0324
v.)	
)	
Missouri-American Water Company,)	
)	
Respondent)	

ORDER ADOPTING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Issue Date: August 5, 2019

Effective Date: August 5, 2019

A prehearing conference was held July 23, 2019, during which the Commission's Staff was asked to submit a proposed procedural schedule on behalf of the parties. Staff timely submitted a joint proposed procedural schedule. Finding a conflict on the hearing date, the Commission asked for other available dates of the parties for a hearing. The parties responded with their available dates. The Commission will adopt the joint proposed procedural schedule along with additional procedural requirements, including the addition of a List of Issues. The Commission will also set the hearing in accordance with the availability of the parties.

The Commission notes that Rule 4 CSR 240-2.070(15)(G) requires a recommended report and order within one hundred (100) days following the filing of the complaint, unless the regulatory law judge finds good cause to extend that time, or the parties otherwise agree. As evidenced by the below schedule, the parties have by their action agreed to a longer time frame than 100 days. Moreover, the regulatory law judge finds good cause to

extend the 100-day time limit to allow a reasonable opportunity for discovery and a fair hearing.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The following procedural schedule is established:

Date	Event
August 23, 2019	Direct Testimony Filed by Mr. Travis
September 20, 2019	Rebuttal Testimony Filed by Missouri-American
September 27, 2019	Last Day to Request Discovery
October 16, 2019	All Parties to Submit a Joint Stipulation of Undisputed Facts <i>and List of Issues</i>
November 7, 2019	Evidentiary Hearing (Wainwright Bldg., St. Louis)
November 13, 2019	Briefs, Proposed Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law (optional for parties)

2. The evidentiary hearing is scheduled for November 7, 2019, beginning at 10:00 a.m. The hearing will be held at the Wainwright State Office Building, Suite 105, 111 N 7th Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63101. Any person requiring accommodations to participate in the hearing shall call the Missouri Public Service Commission's Hotline at 800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 before the hearing.

3. The parties shall comply with the following procedural requirements:

(a) Although not all parties may agree upon how each issue should be described or on whether a listed issue is in fact a proper issue in this case, the parties shall agree upon and file a list of the issues to be heard, the witnesses to appear at the hearing, the order in which they will be called, and the order of cross-examination for each witness. The list of issues should be detailed enough to inform the Commission of each issue that must be resolved. The Commission will view any issue not contained in this list of issues as uncontested and not requiring resolution by the Commission.

(b) Each party shall file a simple and concise statement summarizing its position on each disputed issue. Position statements shall track the list of issues. Any position statement shall set forth any order requested, cite any law authorizing that relief, and allege facts relevant under the law with citations to any pre-filed testimony in support.

(c) All pleadings, briefs, and amendments shall be filed in accordance with Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.080. Briefs shall follow the same list of issues as filed in the case and must set forth and cite the proper portions of the record concerning the remaining unresolved issues that are to be decided by the Commission.

(d) A party who has a document marked for use at the hearing shall have sufficient copies of the document to provide a copy not only to the court reporter, but also to each of the Commissioners, the presiding officer, and counsel for each other party.

4. The 100-day time frame required by Rule 4 CSR 240-2.070(15)(G) is waived.
5. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Charles Hatcher, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 5th day of August, 2019.

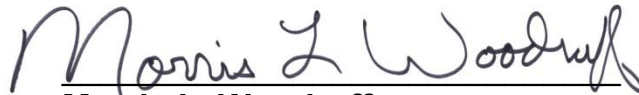
STATE OF MISSOURI

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 5th day of August 2019.




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
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