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

)

)

)

)

)

)

In the Matter of the Application of Highway H Utilities, Inc. for Authority to Sell Certain Water and Wastewater System Assets to the City of Waynesville, Missouri, and Pulaski County Sewer District Number 1, and, in Connection Therewith, Certain Other Related Transactions.

Files Nos. WM-2018-0094 and SM-2018-0095

## MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE

Comes now Highway H Utilities, Inc. ("Highway H" or the "Company"), and, as its

Motion to Consolidate, states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission

(Commission):

1. Highway H filed an Application and request for Waiver with the Commission

seeking permission for Highway H to transfer its water assets to the City of Waynesville and its

sewer assets to Pulaski County Sewer District Number 1. Two case numbers have resulted from

these filings (WM-2018-0094 and SM-2018-0095).

2. The subject water and sewer operations are owned and operated by the same

entity (Highway) and the proposed sale of the water and sewer assets is addressed by a single Asset Purchase Agreement.

3. Accordingly, there are common questions of law and fact in the above-referenced cases and the consolidation of Files Nos. WM-2018-0094 and SM-2018-0095 would be administratively expedient in that it would simplify the filings to be made by Highway H and the other parties to these matters.

4. Commission Rule "4 CSR 240-2.110(3) allows the Commission to consolidate pending actions involving related questions of law or fact." Order Consolidating Cases, *In the* 

Matter of the Application of Oakview Water and Sewer Company, LLC, Case No. WA-2007-

0201 (December 4, 2006).

WHEREFORE, Highway H requests a Commission order consolidating Files Nos. WM-

2018-0094 and SM-2018-0095, with File No. WM-2018-0094 being the lead case.

Respectfully submitted,

10-

Paul A. BoudreauMBE #33155Dean L. CooperMBE #36592BRYDON, SWEARENGEN & ENGLAND P.C.312 E. Capitol AvenueP.O. Box 456Jefferson City, MO 65012(573) 635-7166 telephone(573) 635-3847 facsimiledcooper@brydonlaw.com

ATTORNEYS FOR HIGHWAY H UTILITIES, INC.

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was sent by electronic mail or by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, on October 9, 2017, to the following:

Office of the General Counsel staffcounselservice@psc.mo.gov Office of the Public Counsel <u>opcservice@ded.mo.gov</u>

Aller-