

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 20th day of June, 2024.

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| In the Matter of the Petition of Missouri-) American Water Company for Approval to) Change a Water and Sewer Infrastructure) Rate Adjustment) | <u>File No. WO-2024-0195</u> Tracking Nos. JW-2024-0120 and JS-2024-0121 |
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ORDER REJECTING TARIFF SHEETS AND AUTHORIZING WSIRA RATES

Issue Date: June 20, 2024

Effective Date: June 30, 2024

On March 1, 2024,¹ Missouri-American Water Company (MAWC) filed an application requesting that the Commission authorize changes to its Water and Sewer Infrastructure Rate Adjustment (WSIRA). Along with the application, MAWC filed tariff sheets assigned Tracking Nos. JW-2024-0120 and JS-2024-0121. The Commission granted intervention to Midwest Energy Consumers Group (MECG).

The Staff of the Commission (Staff) filed its Recommendation with an attached Memorandum on May 30. Staff recommended that the Commission:

- a) Reject the tariff sheets assigned Tracking No. JW-2024-0120;
- b) Reject the tariff sheets assigned Tracking No. JS-2024-0121;
- c) Approve WSIRA surcharge revenues in the incremental pre-tax revenue amount of \$16,739,071 from St. Louis County water customers, \$3,739,420 from All Other water customers, \$10,842 from Arnold sewer customers, and \$326,600 from All

¹ All dates refer to 2024 unless otherwise indicated.

Other sewer customers for a total in this filing of \$20,815,934;
and

- d) Authorize MAWC to file revised tariff sheets for each utility, service area, and customer class, as reflected in Staff's Schedules 1 – 4, which generates \$20,815,934.

On June 10, MAWC filed its response accepting Staff's Recommendation. No other responses to MAWC's application other than Staff's were filed. No other responses to Staff's Recommendation were filed, and no responses to MAWC's acceptance were filed.

The Commission has reviewed the proposed tariff sheets, Staff's recommendation to reject the tariff sheets and approve revised surcharge revenues, and MAWC's response accepting Staff's recommendation. The Commission will reject the tariff sheets and approve revised surcharge revenues.

To allow MAWC to proceed expeditiously with its WSIRA change, the Commission finds it reasonable to make this order effective in less than 30 days.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The tariff sheets filed by MAWC and assigned Tracking Nos. JW-2024-0120 and JS-2024-0121 are rejected. The rejected tariff sheets are:

Water:

P.S.C. MO. No. 13

**8th Revised Sheet No. RT 11.1 Cancelling 7th Revised Sheet No. RT 11.1
8th Revised Sheet No. RT 11.2 Cancelling 7th Revised Sheet No. RT 11.2**

Sewer:

P.S.C. MO. No. 26

**7th Revised Sheet No. RT 11.1 Cancelling 6th Revised Sheet No. RT 11.1
7th Revised Sheet No. RT 11.2 Cancelling 6th Revised Sheet No. RT 11.2**

2. MAWC is authorized to file a WSIRA rate for each customer class as reflected in Schedules 1-4 attached to Staff's Memorandum, which will generate \$20,815,934 annually in cumulative WSIRA charges.

3. WSIRA rates are authorized so that WSIRA surcharge revenues generate annual pre-tax revenues of \$20,815,934, consisting of \$16,739,071 from St. Louis County water customers, \$3,739,420 from All Other water customers, \$10,842 from Arnold sewer customers, and \$326,600 from All Other sewer customers.

4. This order shall become effective on June 30, 2024.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Nancy Dippell".

Nancy Dippell
Secretary

Hahn, Ch., Coleman, Holsman
Kolkmeier, and Mitchell CC., concur.

Hatcher, Senior Regulatory Law Judge

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 20th day of June 2024.



Nancy Dippell

Nancy Dippell
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

June 20, 2024

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,



**Nancy Dippell
Secretary**

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