

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

In the Matter of the Application of)
Confluence Rivers Utility Operating)
Company, Inc. and United Fiber, LLC d/b/a) **File No. SM-2025-0080**
United Fiber MO, LLC, for Authority to) Tracking No. JS-2025-0125
Acquire and Sell Certain Sewer Assets in)
an Area of Nodaway and Andrew Counties, Missouri)

STAFF’S COMPLIANCE TARIFF RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”) and makes the following recommendation on Confluence River Utility Operating Company, Inc.’s¹ revised tariff sheets with the assigned Tracking No. JS-2025-0125.

1. On January 2, 2025,² the Commission issued an *Order Approving Acquisition of Assets and Granting a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity* (“Order”) in this matter. Among other things, that Order directed Confluence to submit tariff sheets, to become effective before closing on United Fiber, to include an amended service area map, amended services area written description, rates and charges.

2. On February 21, Confluence filed tariff sheets bearing an issue date of February 21 and an effective date of March 23. On February 24 the Commission directed Staff to analyze the tariff sheets and file a recommendation no later than March 6. On March 3 Confluence submitted substitute tariff sheets.

¹ Herein, Confluence Rivers Utility Operating Company, Inc., will be referred to as Confluence and United Fiber MO, LLC, will be referred to as United Fiber.

² All date references will be to 2024 unless otherwise indicated.

3. The tariff revision is comprised of twenty-one sheets.

P.S.C. MO No. 31	5 th Revised	Sheet No. 4
Canceling P.S.C. MO No. 31	4 th Revised	Sheet No. 4
P.S.C. MO No. 31	1 st Revised	Sheet No. 5
Canceling P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 5
P.S.C. MO No. 31	1 st Revised	Sheet No. 58
Canceling P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 58
P.S.C. MO No. 31	1 st Revised	Sheet No. 59
Canceling P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 59
P.S.C. MO No. 31	1 st Revised	Sheet No. 60
Canceling P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 60
P.S.C. MO No. 31	1 st Revised	Sheet No. 61
Canceling P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 61
P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 61A
P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 61B
P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 61C
P.S.C. MO No. 31	6 th Revised	Sheet No. 64
Cancelling P.S.C. MO No. 31	5 th Revised	Sheet No. 64
P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 117C
P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 117D
P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 117E
P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 117F
P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 117G
P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 117H
P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 117I
P.S.C. MO No. 31	Original	Sheet No. 117J

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Original Sheet No. 133D

P.S.C. MO No. 31

Original Sheet No. 133E

4. The Staff has reviewed the revised tariff, the associated company filings, and the Commission's Order. Staff concludes that the tariff sheets conform to the Commission's Order. Accordingly, Staff recommends that the Commission approve the tariff sheets set out in the body of this pleading, Tracking No. JS-2025-0125, with an effective date of March 23, 2025.

WHEREFORE, Staff prays that the Commission will accept this recommendation as compliant with the Commission's Orders.

Respectively Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, or transmitted by facsimile or electronic mail to counsel of record as reflected on the certified service list maintained by the Commission in its Electronic Filing Information System this 5th day of March, 2025.

/s/ Paul T. Graham

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AFFIDAVIT OF MICHAEL J. ABBOTT

STATE OF MISSOURI)
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) ss.
COUNTY OF COLE)

COMES NOW MICHAEL J. ABBOTT and on his oath declares that he is of sound mind and lawful age; that he contributed to the foregoing *Staff Recommendation*; and that the same is true and correct according to his best knowledge and belief.

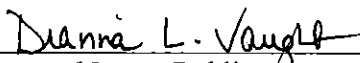
Further the Affiant sayeth not.


MICHAEL J. ABBOTT

JURAT

Subscribed and sworn before me, a duly constituted and authorized Notary Public, in and for the County of Cole, State of Missouri, at my office in Jefferson City, on this 4th day of March 2025.

DIANNA L. VAUGHT
Notary Public - Notary Seal
State of Missouri
Commissioned for Cole County
My Commission Expires: July 18, 2027
Commission Number: 15207377


Notary Public