

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Missouri- )  
American Water Company for an )  
Accounting Authority Order Authorizing It )  
to Defer and Accumulate Costs and )  
Financial Impacts Related to COVID-19 )

**File No. WU-2020-0417**

## ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO INTERVENE

Issue Date: July 28, 2020

Effective Date: July 28, 2020

On June 26, 2020, Missouri-American Water Company (MAWC) applied for an accounting authority order permitting it to accumulate and defer to a regulatory asset for consideration of recovery in future rate case proceedings all extraordinary costs and financial impacts incurred as a result of the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, plus associated carrying costs. The Commission directed notice and set a deadline of July 16, 2020, for applications to intervene.

On July 17, 2020, the City of Riverside, Missouri filed an application to intervene out of time. Riverside stated that it is a city located within the service area of MAWC and is a customer of MAWC. Riverside further stated it has an interest in the welfare of its citizens who also receive services from MAWC. Riverside stated that its intervention request was late due to a genuine mistake and was not intended to delay the proceedings. Riverside stated that MAWC was not opposed to the grant of the intervention.

More than ten days have passed since the application was filed and no one has responded. After considering the unopposed application to intervene, the Commission finds that Riverside has interests which are different from that of the general public and allowing it to intervene will serve the public interest. Therefore, in accordance with

Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.075(3), the Commission will grant the application to intervene.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The application to intervene of the City of Riverside, Missouri, is granted.
2. This order shall be effective when issued.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Nancy Dippell, Senior Regulatory  
Law Judge, by delegation of authority  
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 28th day of July, 2020.

**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 28<sup>th</sup> day of July 2020.**



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

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**July 28, 2020**

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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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