

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Petition of Missouri- )  
American Water Company for Approval to ) **Case No. WR-2025-0345**  
Establish a Water and Sewer )  
Infrastructure Rate Adjustment (WSIRA) )

In the Matter of the Petition of Missouri- )  
American Water Company for Approval to ) **Case No. SR-2025-0346**  
Establish a Water and Sewer )  
Infrastructure Rate Adjustment (WSIRA) )

## ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, SETTING AN INTERVENTION DEADLINE, DIRECTING A STAFF RECOMMENDATION, AND CONSOLIDATING FILES

Issue Date: September 5, 2025

Effective Date: September 5, 2025

On September 3, 2025, Missouri-American Water Company (MAWC) filed a petition to change its water and sewer infrastructure rate adjustments (WSIRAs) under Sections 393.1500-1509, RSMo. MAWC also asked the Commission to approve proposed tariff sheets to implement the WSIRAs. The proposed tariff sheets bear an effective date of October 3, 2025. The petition also includes a motion asking the Commission to approve MAWC's proposed customer notices.

MAWC's petition states that its proposed water rate schedule, on an annualized basis, will produce WSIRA revenues of \$15,239,647, or an increase of 2.7% based on the base water revenue level approved by the Commission in MAWC's most recently completed general rate proceeding. MAWC's proposed sewer rate schedule, on an annualized basis, will produce WSIRA revenues of \$216,589, or an increase of 0.9% based on the base sewer revenue level approved by the Commission in its most recently completed general rate proceeding.

Section 393.1509, RSMo, requires a Commission order regarding the WSIRAs become effective no later than 180 days after the petition was filed. Therefore, any Commission order must be effective no later than March 2, 2026. Additionally, the Commission is required to publish notice of the filings. Therefore, the Commission will give notice of this petition and set other procedural deadlines.

Section 393.1509, RSMo, allows the Staff of the Commission (Staff) to examine the petition and submit a report of its examination no later than 90 days after the petition was filed. Consequently, the Commission will establish a deadline for Staff to file a report and recommendation. Additionally, the Commission will set a date within the same 90-day time frame for the Office of the Public Counsel (OPC) and any other parties to file objections, recommendations, or requests for hearing. The Commission will also set a time for responses to any of those filings.

The Commission will suspend the tariff sheets in a separate order to allow Staff adequate time to perform its review and so that the Commission has adequate time to consider the petition.

On September 3, 2025, MAWC also filed a motion to consolidate its water and sewer WSIRA requests. Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.110(3) permits the consolidation of pending actions that involve related questions of law or fact. Since the cases will involve common facts, parties, and issues, the Commission will consolidate these cases.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. Case Nos. WR-2025-0345 and SR-2025-0346 are hereby consolidated, with Case No. WR-2025-0345 being the lead case.

2. The Commission's Data Center shall serve this order on the county commission, or equivalent governmental body, of all of the counties within MAWC's water and sewer service areas.

3. The Commission's Data Center shall also provide a copy of this order to the parties in MAWC's last general rate case, Case No. WR-2024-0320.

4. The Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department shall make notice of this order available to the media serving MAWC's water and sewer service areas.

5. Any application to intervene shall be filed no later than September 19, 2025.

6. Staff shall file its recommendation no later than December 2, 2025.

7. OPC and any other party may file any objections, recommendations, or hearing requests no later than December 2, 2025.

8. MAWC shall respond to Staff's recommendation or make any other objections or recommendations no later than December 9, 2025.

9. Any other party wishing to respond or object to Staff's recommendation or make other objections or recommendations shall do so no later than December 9, 2025.

10. This order is effective when issued.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

*Nancy Dippell*

Nancy Dippell  
Secretary

Kenneth J. Seyer, Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant  
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri  
on this 5<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2025.

**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 5<sup>th</sup> day of September 2025.**



*Nancy Dippell*  
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**Nancy Dippell**  
**Secretary**

# **MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**September 5, 2025**

**File/Case No. WR-2025-0345 and SR-2025-0346**

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

***Sincerely,***

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Nancy Dippell". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

**Nancy Dippell  
Secretary**

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