BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Company's Application for Certificates of Convenience and Necessity Authorizing it to Install, Own, Acquire, Construct, Operate, Control, Manage and Maintain Water Systems and Sewer Systems as an expansion of its current CCNs in and around the Cities of Maplewood, Branson, Garden City, Purcell, Hickory Hills, Emerald Pointe, Shell Knob, Arnold, Fenton, and Hallsville, Missouri)))))))	Case No. WA-2026-0075
In the Matter of Missouri-American Water Company's Application for Certificates of Convenience and Necessity Authorizing it to Install, Own, Acquire, Construct, Operate, Control, Manage and Maintain)))	<u>Case No. SA-2026-0076</u>

In the Matter of Missouri American Water \

Water Systems and Sewer Systems as an expansion of its current CCNs in and around the Cities of Maplewood, Branson,

Garden City, Purcell, Hickory Hills, Emerald Pointe, Shell Knob, Arnold, Fenton, and Hallsville, Missouri

ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, SETTING INTERVENTION DEADLINE, AND DIRECTING STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: September 25, 2025 Effective Date: September 25, 2025

On September 24, 2025, Missouri-American Water Company (MAWC) filed applications seeking an order granting an expansion of its existing Certificates of Convenience and Necessity (CCNs). The expansion would authorize MAWC to construct, install, own, operate, maintain, and otherwise control the water and sewer systems in various areas in Missouri, specifically in or around the following locations:

- Maplewood, Monsees Lake Estates, Smithton Service Area (which are located in Pettis County);
- Tri-States, Riverside Estates, Lake Taneycomo Acres Service Area (Taney County);
- Garden City Service Area (Cass County);
- Purcell Service Area (Jasper County);
- Hickory Hills & Temple Terrace Service Area (Moniteau County);
- Emerald Pointe Service Area (Taney County);
- Ozark Mountain, Lakewood Manor Service Area (Barry and Stone Counties);
- City of Arnold & surrounding area (Jefferson County);
- Meramec (Fenton) Service Area (Jefferson County); and,
- Hallsville Service Area (Boone County).

MAWC's application states that it currently serves customers in certain areas outside of, but directly adjacent to, its existing CCNs in certain areas and the proposed expansions are intended to resolve this existing issue. The application also requested a waiver of the 60-day notice requirement of Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-4.017(D).

The Commission will provide notice of the application to the general public and interested parties and set a deadline for intervention requests. The Commission will also direct its Staff to file its Recommendation regarding the application.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Data Center shall provide a copy of this order to the Board of Aldermen for the City of Branson, and to the County Commissions of the following Missouri counties: Pettis, Taney, Cass, Jasper, Moniteau, Barry, Stone, Jefferson, and Boone.

- 2. The Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department shall make notice of this order available to the media serving the City of Branson, and also to the media serving the following Missouri counties: Pettis, Taney, Cass, Jasper, Moniteau, Barry, Stone, Jefferson, and Boone.
- 3. Any person wishing to intervene in this matter shall file an application to intervene no later than October 15, 2025. The application shall be filed in the Commission's Electronic Filing and Information System (EFIS) or with the Secretary of the Commission.
- 4. The Commission's Staff shall file a Recommendation, or a status report stating when it expects to file its Recommendation, no later than October 29, 2025.
 - 5. This order shall be effective when issued.

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BY THE COMMISSION

Nancy Dippell

Nancy Dippell Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 25th 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 25th day of September 2025.

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Nancy Dippell Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION September 25, 2025

File/Case No. WA-2026-0075 and SA-2026-0076

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Sincerely,

Nancy Dippell
Secretary

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