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

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In the Matter of Missouri-American Water Company for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity Authorizing it to Install, Own, Acquire, Construct, Operate, Control, Manage and Maintain A Sewer System in Benton County, Missouri.

File No. SA-2015-0065

## <u>MAWC MOTION CONCERNING TARIFFS</u> AND MOTION FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT

**COMES NOW** Missouri-American Water Company (MAWC) and, as its Motion Concerning Tariffs and Motion for Expedited Treatment, states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission):

1. As of this date, closing of the subject transaction has not taken place as MAWC continues to work through title and other issues related to closing. However, it is possible that closing may take place in the near future.

2. MAWC, within 5 days after a closing of the subject transaction, will file new tariff sheets, as 30-day filings, for its existing sewer tariff No. 10, depicting the Benton County service area with a written description that is consistent with that shown by Attachment A to Staff's recommendation, a map consistent with that shown by Attachment B to Staff's recommendation, a revised Sheet SR1 to add applicability of existing rates to Benton County, and rule changes to address installation, ownership, and maintenance of pump units.

3. In order to clarify what rates and rules will be applicable from the date of closing until such time as the referenced tariff sheets become effective, MAWC hereby requests that the Commission issue its order directing MAWC to provide service to the Benton County service area pursuant to its existing sewer tariff No. 10, to include the existing rates therein, beginning

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with the closing on the subject assets and continuing through such time as the referenced tariff sheets become effective.

4. MAWC hereby seeks expedited treatment of this request and the Commission's order by March 2, 2016. A grant of this motion will further the public interest. As indicated above, the subject transaction will be closed in the near future. As of the closing, MAWC will own and operate the subject sewer system. The requested order will clarify the rates, rules and regulations that will apply to the applicable customers as of closing.

5. Counsel for the Staff of the Commission, Office of the Public Counsel, and Missouri Department of Natural Resources have each indicated that their clients have no objection to the motions contained herein.

WHEREFORE, MAWC requests the Commission issue its order granting expedited treatment; directing MAWC to provide service to the Benton County service area pursuant to its existing sewer tariff No. 10, to include the existing rates therein, beginning with the closing on the subject assets and continuing through such time as new tariff sheets become effective; and, granting such further relief as the Commission shall find to be reasonable and just.

Respectfully submitted,

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