

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

In the Matter of the Application of	)	
Confluence Rivers Utility Operating Company,	)	
Inc. to Acquire Certain Water and Sewer Assets,	)	File No. WM-2018-0116
For a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity,	)	SM-2018-0117
and, in Connection Therewith, To Issue	)	
Indebtedness and Encumber Assets.	)	

**CONFLUENCE RIVERS’ RESPONSE TO STAFF RECOMMENDATION  
AND WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION AS TO WOLF CREEK CROSSING**

**COMES NOW** Confluence Rivers Utility Operating Company, Inc. (“Confluence Rivers”) and, in response to the Staff Recommendations, states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission):

1. In response to the *Motion for Leave to Amend Application and Amendment to Application* filed by Confluence Rivers on July 3, 2018, the Staff of the Commission (Staff) filed its Supplemental Recommendation and an associated Memorandum on September 17, 2018.

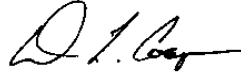
2. Confluence Rivers has reviewed the Staff’s Supplemental Recommendation and, provided the Application, as amended, is approved based on the Staff Recommendation and its Supplemental Recommendation, does not object to the “Recommendations” proposed by the Staff.

4. Further, Confluence Rivers specifically confirms Staff’s statement that Confluence Rivers will not be pursuing the transaction concerning “Wolf Creek Crossing, Farmington, MO (Sewer)” that was described in Confluence Rivers’ *Motion for Leave to Amend Application and Amendment to Application* and hereby withdraws that aspect of the Application, as amended.

**WHEREFORE**, Confluence Rivers requests the Commission grant it permission, approval and a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity, subject the identified recommendations

proposed in the Staff Recommendation/Memorandum and Supplemental Recommendation/Memorandum.

Respectfully submitted,



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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been sent by electronic mail this 27<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2018, to:

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