BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Joint Application of)
Missouri-American Water Company and)
Meramec Sewer Co. for Authority for) File No. SO-2012-0091
Missouri-American Water Company to Acquire)
Certain Assets of Meramec Sewer Co. and, in)
Connection Therewith, Other Related Transactions)

ORDER EXTENDING TIME

Issue Date: October 26, 2011 Effective Date: October 26, 2011

The Missouri Public Service Commission is granting *Staff's Motion for Extension of Time* ("motion"), filed on October 26, 2011. In the motion, Staff asks for more time to complete its investigation, including any impact on the tax revenues of the political subdivisions in which structures, facilities or equipment of the corporations involved are located.¹ Therefore, the Commission will grant the motion and extend the time for filing the recommendation.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Staff's Motion for Extension of Time is granted.
- 2. Staff's recommendation is due no later than February 10, 2012.

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¹ Section 393.190.1, RSMo 2000.

3. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Steven C. Reed Secretary

(SEAL)

Daniel Jordan, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority under Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 26th day of October, 2011.