BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of WPC Sewer Company's Small Company Rate Increase

File No. SR-2008-0388

Tariff No. YS-2009-0666

ORDER APPROVING TARIFF

Issue Date: April 7, 2009

Effective Date: April 16, 2009

On March 4, 2009<sup>1</sup>, the Commission issued an Order Approving Unanimous

Disposition Agreement. That Commission-approved agreement, which was among WPC

Sewer Company (hereafter "WPC Sewer"), the Staff of the Commission (hereafter "Staff"),

and the Office of the Public Counsel (hereafter "OPC"), stated that WPC Sewer would be

authorized to increase its annual sewer revenues by approximately \$927. The Commis-

sion's order also authorized WPC Sewer to file a tariff reflecting that agreed-upon increase.

On March 17, WPC Sewer filed a tariff as allowed by Commission order. That

tariff is effective April 16.

The Commission ordered its Staff to file a recommendation no later than April 6,

and permitted, but did not require, OPC to respond to WPC Sewer's tariff filing, also no

later than April 6.

The Commission's Staff filed its Recommendation on April 6, stating that Staff

recommended that the Commission approve the submitted tariff filing. OPC did not

respond.

The Commission has authority to approve tariff sheets pursuant to

Sections 393.140(11) and 393.150, RSMo. Also, Section 393.130.1, RSMo, requires that

<sup>1</sup> All calendar references are to 2009 unless otherwise noted.

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charges for sewer service be just and reasonable. The Commission's March 4 order approving the parties unanimous disposition agreement means that the Commission found the rates agreed upon in that disposition agreement to be just and reasonable.

The Commission has reviewed the tariff sheets and Staff's recommendation.

The Commission finds that the tariff sheet conforms to the Commission's March 4 order, and should be approved to become effective on April 16.

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The tariff filed by WPC Sewer Company on March 17, 2009, and assigned tariff number YS-2009-0666, is approved to become effective on April 16, 2009. The tariff approved is:

## P.S.C. MO No. 1

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Revised Sheet No. 4, Canceling 2<sup>nd</sup> Revised Sheet No. 4

- 2. This order shall become effective on April 16, 2009.
- 3. This file may be closed on April 17, 2009.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Ronald D. Pridgin, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2009.