

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
STATE OF MISSOURI

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Prehearing Conference

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In the Matter of:

Application of Canyon )  
Treatment Facility, LLC for )  
Permission, Approval and a )  
Certificate of Convenience )  
and Necessity Authorizing it )  
to Acquire, Construct, Install )  
Own, Operate, Control, Manage, )  
and/or Maintain a Sewer System )  
for the Public Located in )  
Stone County, Missouri )

File No. SA-2010-0219

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KENNARD L. JONES, Presiding  
SENIOR REGULATORY LAW JUDGE

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1 JUDGE JONES: Let's go ahead and get  
2 started. This is Case No. SA-2010-0219 in the matter  
3 of the Application of Canyon Treatment Facility, LLC  
4 for Permission and Approval and a Certificate of  
5 Convenience and Necessity Authorizing it to Acquire,  
6 Construct, Manage and/or Maintain a Sewer System for  
7 the public located in Stone County, Missouri.

8 My name is Kennard Jones; I'm the judge  
9 assigned in this matter. At this time we'll take  
10 entries of appearance beginning with the Canyon  
11 Treatment Facility.

12 MR. ENGLAND: Thank you, your Honor. Let  
13 the record reflect the appearance of W.R. England  
14 appearing on behalf of the applicant, Canyon  
15 Treatment Facility, LLC, with the law firm of Brydon,  
16 Swearingen & England, Post Office Box 456, Jefferson  
17 City, Missouri 65102.

18 JUDGE JONES: Thank you, sir. And from  
19 the Intervenor VPG Partners, is it VI or Six, LLC?

20 MR. WOODSMALL: Six.

21 JUDGE JONES: Six.

22 MR. WOODSMALL: Thank you, your Honor.  
23 David woodsmall appearing on behalf of VPG  
24 Partners VI with the firm of Finnegan, Conrad &  
25 Peterson, 428 East Capitol, Suite 300, Jeff City,

1 Missouri 65101.

2 JUDGE JONES: I'll note that that six in  
3 name is in Roman numerals.

4 And from the Intervenor Royal Vista,  
5 LLC?

6 MR. HALL: Yes, Judge. This is Ken Hall  
7 on behalf of Royal Vista.

8 JUDGE JONES: Ken Hall, thank you, sir.  
9 Staff of the Commission?

10 MS. HERNANDEZ: Good morning. May the  
11 record reflect Jennifer Hernandez and Rachel Lewis  
12 appearing on behalf of the Staff of the Missouri  
13 Public Service Commission, and I provided the court  
14 reporter with our cards so she has our address  
15 information.

16 JUDGE JONES: Thank you.

17 And the Office of the Public Counsel?

18 MS. BAKER: Thank you. Christina Baker,  
19 P.O. Box 2230, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102  
20 appearing on behalf of the Office of the Public  
21 Counsel and rate payers.

22 JUDGE JONES: First I'll ask, is there  
23 anything that anyone here needs to discuss on the  
24 record? Okay.

25 Mr. Hall, were you about to say

1 something?

2 MR. HALL: I'm sorry?

3 JUDGE JONES: It sounded like you were  
4 about to say something. Maybe no is what you were --

5 MR. HALL: No. I'm sorry, I said, no,  
6 there's nothing.

7 JUDGE JONES: Okay. Well, it looks like  
8 an approval of the certificate is not the issue.  
9 More so the concern has to do with what's going to be  
10 in the tariff. So I'll let you all get to work on  
11 that.

12 And with that, we'll go off the record.

13 (Off the record.)  
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