

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

In the Matter of the Application of Oakview)	
Estates Water & Sewer Company, LLC for)	
a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity)	
Authorizing It to Participate in the Ownership,)	<u>Case No. WA-2007-0201, et al.</u>
Operation, Maintenance, Removal, Replacement,)	
Control and Management of a Water and Sewer)	
Utility in Warren County, Missouri.)	

STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), by and through counsel, and for its Status Report states the following to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission).

1. On November 28, 2006, Oakview Estates Water and Sewer Company, LLC (Company), filed applications with the Missouri Public Service Commission, pursuant to Section 393.170, RSMo 2000, requesting that the Commission grant it authority to provide water and sewer service to an unincorporated portion of Warren County, Missouri. The applications were assigned Case Nos. WA-2007-0201 and SA-2007-0200. The cases were consolidated by Commission Order on December 4, 2006, with Case No. WA-2007-0201 being designated the remaining lead case.

2. Also on December 4, 2006, the Commission issued its **Order Directing Notice and Setting Date for Submission of Intervention Requests**. The Order established December 21, 2006 as the deadline for the submission of intervention requests. No requests to intervene in this consolidated case were submitted by the established deadline, nor have any such requests been submitted since.

3. On December 28, 2006, the Commission issued its **Order Directing Filing**, in which it directed the Staff to file its recommendation, or a status report indicating when it expects to file a recommendation, no later than January 29, 2007.

4. Staff filed its Status Report on January 29, reporting as follows:

- The Staff has reviewed the applications that are the subject of this consolidated case and found that they lack significant information that is required by Commission Rules 4 CSR 240-3.305(1)(A)5 and 4 CSR 240-3.600(1)(A)5, and which the Staff needs in order to make an appropriate and informed recommendation.
- The Staff submitted Data Request No. 0001 to the Company's attorney in an attempt to obtain the information. The Company's response to this Data Request was due on February 13, 2007.

5. The Company failed to respond by the February 13 due date. However the Company's attorney contacted Staff on February 15 stating the gathering of requested information is more time consuming than they expected. He requested an additional 60 days to respond to the Data Request. Staff believes that the Company has already had adequate time to obtain the requested information and that an additional 60 days is unnecessary. Staff believes that the Company should be able to respond to its Data Request within 30 days.

WHEREFORE, Staff respectfully submits this Status Report for the Commission's information. Further, Staff requests the Commission order the Company to respond to Data Request 0001 within 30 days from the issue date of the order. Staff will then file a Recommendation in within 60 days of the ordered response date.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of this Status Report have been mailed with first class postage, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or transmitted via e-mail to all counsel and/or parties of record this 20th day of February 2007.

/s/ Jennifer Heintz