## OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Missouri-American	)	
Water Company for Approval of a Water Usage Data	)	Case No. WO-2008-0240
Agreement with the St. Louis Metropolitan Sewer	)	
District	)	

## ORDER APPROVING WATER USAGE DATA AGREEMENT

Effective Date: April 11, 2008

Issue Date April 1, 2008

On September 20, 2007, the Missouri Public Service Commission issued an Order Approving Non-Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement as to MSD¹ Rate Design Between MAWC² and MSD. In its order, the Commission noted that MAWC would provide, for a fee, water usage and meter reading data and customer billing information to MSD. The Commission also noted that MAWC and MSD would execute an agreement containing the specific terms and conditions of MAWC providing the information to MSD. Further, the agreement was ordered to be filed by October 1, 2007.

On January 23, 2008, MAWC filed an Application for Approval of Agreement. Thereafter, the Staff of the Commission filed a pleading recommending that the Commission approve the agreement.

In its recommendation, Staff points out that the agreement was not filed on October 1, 2007, as directed in the Commission's September 20 order, but rather on November 29. However, Staff notes that the agreement "complies in every other respect

<sup>2</sup> MAWC is Missouri-American Water Company.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> MSD is Metropolitan St. Louis Sewer District.

with the Stipulation and Agreement, and with the Commission's order approving the Stipulation and Agreement." Further, Staff states that it believes there is no harm in the delayed execution of the agreement.

Upon review of the pleadings in this matter, the Commission finds that the Water Usage Data Agreement complies with the Commission's order issued on September 20, 2007. The Commission will therefore approve the agreement to be effective as set out therein.

## IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- The Water Usage Data Agreement entered into between Missouri-American
  Water Company and Metropolitan St. Louis Sewer District is approved.
  - 2. This order shall become effective on April 11, 2008.
  - 3. This case may be closed on April 12, 2008.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Kennard L. Jones, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 1st day of April, 2008.