

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

The Staff of the Missouri Public Service
Commission,

Complainant,

vs.

Ridge Creek Development, L.L.C., and
Mike Stoner and Denise Stoner,

Respondents.

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Case No. WC-2015-0011

STAFF'S STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, by and through counsel, and for its *Status Report*, states as follows:

1. Staff filed its *Complaint* against Respondents Ridge Creek Development, L.L.C., and Mike and Denise Stoner on July 14, 2014, charging that Respondents were providing unauthorized water service to residents of their Ridge Creek development.

2. Pursuant to an extension of time, Respondents filed their *Answer* on September 2, 2014, denying Staff's allegations.

3. Thereafter, Staff did not pursue quick resolution of this matter because it was advised that the Respondents were diligently seeking a buyer for the system or, should one not be found, that they would seek a certificate of convenience and necessity from the Commission.

4. On January 9, 2015, Staff filed its *Motion for Order Requiring Filing of Proposed Procedural Schedule*. Thereafter, on January 22, 2015, the Commission directed the parties to file either a *Proposed Procedural Schedule* or a *Status Report* by February 6, 2015.

5. Staff reports that Ridge Creek Water Company, LLC filed its application for a certificate of service authority, Case No. WA-2015-0182, on February 4, 2015. On information and belief, Staff states that this Applicant is associated with the Respondents herein. Because Staff brought its *Complaint* seeking to require Respondents to comply with the Public Service Commission Law and because Respondents, at last, appear to be taking steps to do so, Staff states that no action is required in this complaint case at this time.

WHEREFORE, Staff prays that the Commission will accept its *Status Report*; and grant such other and further relief as may be just in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been served, by hand delivery, electronic mail, or First Class United States Mail, postage prepaid, to all parties of record on the Service List maintained for this case by the Data Center of the Missouri Public Service Commission, on this **6th day of February, 2015**.

/s/ Kevin A. Thompson