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

| The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, |              | )                     |
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|  | Complainant, | )                     |
| V.   |              | Case No. WC-2008-0405 |
| Dale Whiteside and Whitesid<br>Hidden Acres, L.L.C., | е            | )<br>)                |
|  | Respondents. | )                     |

## ORDER GRANTING JOINT MOTION TO CONTINUE HEARING

Issue Date: January 15, 2009 Effective Date: January 15, 2009

On June 19, 2008, the Staff of the Commission (hereafter "Staff") filed a complaint against the above named Respondents, who timely answered. The Commission scheduled a hearing for January 20-21, 2009.

On January 14, 2009, Staff, the Respondents and the Office of the Public Counsel (hereafter "OPC") filed a Joint Motion to Continue Hearing. In that motion, the parties explained that Respondents had recently requested a certificate of convenience and necessity from the Commission for the water and sewer systems at issue in the complaint case. So that the parties may pursue the certificate cases, they request this hearing to be continued, with Staff to file a status report in 30 days.

The Commission finds the request reasonable, and will grant it.

## THE COMMISISON ORDERS THAT:

1. The Joint Motion to Continue Hearing is granted.

- 2. The hearing scheduled for January 20-21, 2009 is canceled.
- 3. The Staff of the Commission shall file a status report in this case no later than February 17, 2009.
  - 4. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

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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 15<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2009.