OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Request of the Staff of the)
Missouri Public Service Commission for an Order)
Directing the General Counsel to Petition the) Case No. WO-2007-0344
Circuit Court of Cole County for the Appointment)
of a Receiver for Rogue Creek Utilities, Inc.,)
and for the Appointment of an Interim Receiver.)

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: June 1, 2007 Effective Date: June 1, 2007

On March 21, 2007, the Staff of the Commission filed an Application for an Order Directing the General Counsel to Petition the Circuit Court of Cole County for the Appointment of a Receiver for Rogue Creek Utilities, Inc., and Appointing an Interim Receiver. William Rummel answered on April 23, 2007, admitting virtually all of Staff's allegations.¹

As ordered by the Commission, Staff filed a Jointly Proposed Procedural Schedule on May 31. Before deciding whether to adopt the schedule, the Commission will order the parties to file a List of Issues, Statements of Position, List of Witnesses and Order of Cross-Examination. Also, the Commission will order the parties to submit additional potential hearing dates. Finally, the parties shall state whether they intend to file a stipulation of fact prior to the hearing.

¹ At a prehearing conference, an attorney entered an appearance for William Rummel, the sole shareholder of Rogue Creek Utilities, Inc. No counsel appeared for Rogue Creek Utilities, Inc.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The parties shall file a pleading as directed above no later than June 11, 2007.
 - 2. This order shall become effective on June 1, 2007.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

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 1st day of June, 2007.