

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

In the Matter of Roy-L Utilities, Inc.)	
Request for Increase in Annual Sewer and Water)	Case Nos. WR-2016-0109
Operating Revenues)	SR-2016-0110

MOTION FOR EXTENSION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) and Roy-L Utilities, Inc. (Roy-L), by and through counsel, and for their *Motion for Extension* in these matters hereby state:

1. On November 9, 2015, Roy-L filed a letter with the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) requesting that the Commission approve increases in its annual water and sewer operating revenues, which resulted in the Commission opening two cases, Case Nos. WR-2016-0109 and SR-2016-0110.

2. Staff submitted several data requests and began conducting its audit immediately following the filing of Roy-L's request. Staff has provided settlement proposals to Roy-L pursuant to 4 CSR 240-3.050(10) and has scheduled a meeting with the company to discuss the potential for reconciling differences between Staff and Roy-L's numbers. The Office of the Public Counsel (OPC) has been party to these preliminary discussions and the forthcoming meeting, but has not yet taken a position in the matter.

3. Due to Staff's current caseload and personal unforeseen circumstances with the owner of Roy-L, the formal meeting which would generally be held well in advance to the scheduled filing due on Day 150 of the small rate case timeline has not yet been held. Staff, Roy-L and OPC have rescheduled the meeting, however, the

meeting will take place after the April 7, 2016 due date for a partial or full disposition agreement pursuant to 4 CSR 240-3.050(11).

4. To that end, Staff requests an extension of the Day 150 filing requirement, pursuant to 4 CSR 240-3.050(11), of 30 days, to May 6, 2016, in which to determine whether a complete or partial disposition agreement will be reached in this matter and file such a coordinating document in accordance with Commission Rules.

WHEREFORE, Staff prays that the Commission will grant this request for an extension to May 6, 2016; and grant such other and further relief as the Commission considers just in the circumstances.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail, or First Class United States Postal Mail, postage prepaid, on this 6th day of April, 2016, to all counsel of record.

/s/Whitney Payne