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

In the Matter of the Joint Application of	)	
Missouri-American Water Company and Meramec	)	
Sewer Co. for Authority for Missouri-American	)	
Water Company to Acquire Certain Assets	)	File No. SO-2012-0091
of Meramec Sewer Co. and, in Connection	)	
Therewith, Certain Other Related Transactions.	)	

## MAWC'S RESPONSE TO NOTICE

COMES NOW Missouri-American Water Company ("MAWC") and, in response to the Notice of Application and Order Directing Notice, states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission"):

- 1. On September 27, 2011, the Commission issued its Notice of Application and Order Directing Notice. Among other things, the Notice directed that "no later than October 7, 2011, the applicants shall file a list of every county ("affected county") that contains any part of a political subdivision ("affected political subdivision") in which any asset subject to the application is located."
- 2. After further review, it is MAWC's belief that Jefferson County, Missouri is the only county that contains any part of a political subdivision in which any asset subject to the application is located.

**WHEREFORE**, MAWC respectfully requests that the Commission consider this response to satisfy the described aspect of the Notice of Application and Order Directing Notice.

Respectfully submitted,

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