

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

In the Matter of the Missouri-American Water	)	
Company for a Certificate of Convenience	)	<b><u>Case No. WA-2023-0434</u></b>
And Necessity Authorizing it to Install,	)	Tariff Nos. JW-2024-0067
Own, Acquire, Construct, Operate,	)	and JS-2024-0068
Control, Manage and Maintain a Water	)	
System and Sewer System in and around	)	
The City of Ironton, Missouri	)	

**STAFF’S RESPONSE TO MAWC’S NOTICE OF FILING AND  
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION AND REQUEST FOR WAIVER**

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), through counsel, and makes the following response to the Notice<sup>1</sup> of Filing and Request for Extension and Request for Waiver filed by Missouri-American Water Company (“MAWC”) on March 12, 2024. Staff does not object to the requests.

The Commission issued an Order Approving Transfer of Assets and Granting Certificate of Convenience and Necessity on November 8, 2023. This order, inter alia, contemplated a contract with a golf course owner, a contract for wastewater treatment from the City of Pilot Knob, and emergency drinking water interconnection agreements with the City of Pilot Knob and the City of Arcadia. MAWC has provided an agreement with the golf course owner. MAWC’s Notice states that MAWC and Pilot Knob have reached an agreement in principle, but that none has yet been executed and MAWC needs another ninety days to conclude that process. MAWC’s Notice states that per physical inspection, there is no water interconnection between MAWC and the City of Arcadia and so no interconnection agreement with Arcadia is needed.

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<sup>1</sup> Hereinafter, “Notice.”

MAWC's Notice asks that the Commission's November 8, 2023 Order's requirements concerning an Arcadia interconnection agreement be waived.

Staff has reviewed the file and pleadings. Staff has no objection to the request for a 90-day extension for obtaining an interconnection agreement with the City of Pilot Knob and no objection to the waiver.

Respectively Submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, or transmitted by facsimile or electronic mail to counsel of record as reflected on the certified service list maintained by the Commission in its Electronic Filing Information System this 15<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2024.

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