NATURAL RESOURCES

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Mr. Carl Mills, Director Carriage Oaks Not-For-Profit Water and Sewer Corporation 209 Falling Leaf Court Branson West, MO 65737

Dear Mr. Mills:

The Articles of Incorporation and bylaws of Carriage Oaks Not-For-Profit Water and Sewer Corporation have been reviewed by the Missouri Department of Natural Resources General Counsel.

It has been determined that the Articles of Incorporation are consistent with the legal requirements of §393.825.2, RSMo. Additionally, the bylaws sufficiently demonstrate how the organization will be governed. Both documents are compliant with statutory requirements of §393.825 to §396.861, RSMo.

Please note that should the Carriage Oaks Not-for-Profit Water and Sewer Corporation choose to dissolve at a later date, dissolution requirements as outlined in §393.855, RSMo, shall be followed. Additionally, Carriage Oaks Not-For-Profit Water and Sewer Corporation shall notify the Department within 30 days of dissolution.

If you were adversely affected by this decision, you may be entitled to an appeal before the Administrative Hearing Commission (AHC) pursuant to 10 CSR 20-1.020 and Section 621.250, RSMo. To appeal, you must file a petition with the AHC within thirty days after the date this decision was mailed or the date it was delivered, whichever date was earlier. If any such petition is sent by registered mail or certified mail, it will be deemed filed on the date it is mailed; if it is sent by any method other than registered mail or certified mail, it will be deemed filed on the date it is received by the AHC. Contact information for the AHC is: Administrative Hearing Commission, United States Post Office Building, 3rd Floor, 131 West High Street, P.O. Box 1557, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102, Phone: 573-751-2422, Fax: 573-751-5018, and Website: www.oa.mo.gov/ahe,





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If you have any questions concerning this permit, please do not hesitate to contact Ms. Samantha Ostmann at the Department of Natural Resources, Water Protection Program, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0176 or by phone at 573-526-2445.

Sincerely,

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Mr. James Merciel, Missouri Public Service Commission