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Ms. Ellen Harshman, Chair  
Metropolitan Sewer District  
2350 Market St.  
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Dear Ms. Harshman,

The West St. Louis County Chamber of Commerce respectfully asks to be considered for a position on MSD's Rate Commission. We are a non-profit 501-(c)(6) organization.

For more than 50 years our chamber has brought together businesses, municipal governments, non-profit organizations, fire and school districts, entrepreneurs, congregations and other members of the west county community. We serve a significant part of the St. Louis. Our service area reaches across seven municipalities. In addition, we work cooperatively with adjoining chambers and other friends in the region.

Our board of directors and our government affairs committee have affirmed our commitment to provide representation to the rate commission. Please let us know what further steps we must take to have a place on the commission.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Alan Clayton  
President



Glenn Koenen  
Vice President

Mission statement:

The West St. Louis County Chamber of Commerce represents members, supports businesses, advances community interests and enhances the quality of life.