

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

In the Matter of the Application of Spire)
Missouri Inc. d/b/a Spire for Permission and)
Approval and a Certificate of Convenience and)
Necessity to Construct, Install, Own, Operate,)
Maintain, and Otherwise Control and Manage)
a Natural Gas Distribution System to Provide)
Gas Service in Buchanan County, Missouri as)
an Expansion of its Existing Certificated Areas)

File No. GA-2021-0259

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Issue Date: April 16, 2021

Effective Date: April 16, 2021

On February 15, 2021, Spire Missouri Inc. d/b/a Spire filed an application for a certificate of convenience and necessity regarding a natural gas distribution system to provide gas service in Buchanan County, Missouri, as a further expansion of Spire’s existing certificated area. The Commission directed a response from the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) no later than April 16, 2021. On April 15, 2021, Staff filed a request for an extension of time until June 16, 2021.

Staff’s request for an extension was due to the number of data requests issued and the need for additional data requests to resolve several issues. Staff asks for a two month extension, but states it will file sooner if possible.

The Commission considers the request to be reasonable and will grant it.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Staff’s request for an extension of time to file its recommendation is granted. Staff shall submit its recommendation regarding Spire’s application no later than June 16, 2021.

2. This order shall be effective when issued



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Charles Hatcher, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo (2016).

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 16th day of April, 2021.