# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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

File No. GA-2018-0396

## ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, SETTING INTERVENTION DEADLINE, AND DIRECTING STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: June 29, 2018 Effective Date: June 29, 2018

On June 28, 2018, Summit Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc. (Summit), a successor to Missouri Gas Utility, Inc. and Southern Missouri Gas Company, L.P. d/b/a Southern Missouri Natural Gas, filed an application with the Commission requesting a certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) to construct, install, own, operate, maintain, and otherwise control and manage a natural gas distribution system to provide gas service to one particular property in Lawrence County, Missouri. Summit also requests a variance from the Commission-approved stipulation and agreement in File No. GA-2007-0168 and from certain Commission rules. Additionally, the filing of this application was contemplated in the stipulation and agreement approved in File No. GC-2017-0199, involving the property that is the subject of the CCN.

The Commission will direct notice be given and set a deadline for intervention requests. The Commission will also direct its Staff to file a recommendation with regard to Summit's application.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The Commission's Data Center shall provide a copy of this order to the County Commission of Lawrence County, Missouri, and the parties (or their successors) to File No. GA-2007-0168 and GC-2017-0199.
- 2. The Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department shall make notice of this order available to the media and the representatives in the General Assembly for Lawrence County, Missouri.
- 3. Any person or entity wishing to intervene shall file an application to intervene no later than July 20, 2018.
- 4. Any responses to the requests for intervention shall be filed no later than July 27, 2018.
- 5. The Commission's Staff shall file either a recommendation regarding the application and request for waivers or a status report indicating when it expects to file a recommendation no later than July 27, 2018.
  - 6. This order shall be effective when issued.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Nancy Dippell, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 29<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2018.

#### STATE OF MISSOURI

#### OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 29<sup>th</sup> day of June 2018.

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Morris L. Woodruff

**Secretary** 

## MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION June 29, 2018

#### File/Case No. GA-2018-0396

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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