

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Summit Natural Gas of Missouri Inc., 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 Lawrence County as an Expansion of its Existing Certificated Areas)
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) **File No. GA-2018-0396**
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ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION

Issue Date: July 30, 2018

Effective Date: July 30, 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 requested 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 directed notice be given and set a deadline for intervention requests. The Commission also directed its Staff to file a recommendation with regard to Summit's application.

On July 20, 2018, Spire Missouri Inc. filed its application to intervene. As the holder of the certificate of convenience and necessity for the area covering the subject property and a party to the stipulation and agreement for which variances are requested, Spire Missouri Inc. has an interest that is different from that of the general public and which will not be addressed by any other party to the case. Therefore, Spire Missouri Inc. is a proper party and will be granted intervention.

The Commission will also direct any responses to Staff's recommendation to be filed as set out below.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Spire Missouri Inc. is made a party to this case.
2. Any responses to the recommendation filed by the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall be filed no later than August 6, 2018.
3. 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

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 30th day of July, 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 30th day of July 2018.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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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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