# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of Spire Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Spire's Request for Authority to Implement a General Rate Increase for Natural Gas Service Provided in the Company's Missouri Service Areas

Case No. GR-2022-0179 Tracking No. YG-2023-0164

## STAFF RECOMMENDATION REGARDING TARIFF SHEET

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), by and through the undersigned counsel, and files its *Staff Recommendation Regarding Tariff Sheet* and states as follows:

1. On February 24, 2023, Spire Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Spire ("Spire Missouri") filed a tariff sheet in Tariff Tracking No. YG-2023-0146, which as noted in Spire Missouri's transmittal letter, Spire Missouri had developed with the parties. The tariff sheet has an effective date of March 26, 2023, but Spire Missouri filed a contemporaneous motion that requested the Commission permit the tariff sheet to go into effect on March 6, 2023.

2. Staff reviewed the tariff sheet filed in Tariff Tracking No. YG-2023-0164 and recommends the Commission approve it, and further Staff has no objection to the Commission granting Spire Missouri's request that this tariff sheet go into effect for service on March 6, 2023:

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1<sup>st</sup> Revised Sheet No. R-32 Canceling Original Sheet No. R-32

WHEREFORE, Staff recommends the Commission issue an order approving the tariff sheet filed in this matter in Tariff Tracking No. YG-2023-0164 and granting Spire Missouri's request to allow the tariff sheet to become effective on March 6, 2023.

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Respectfully Submitted,

#### /s/ Jamie S. Myers

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all parties and/or their counsel of record this 28<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2023.

#### <u>/s/ Jamie S. Myers</u>

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#### **AFFIDAVIT OF BRAD J. FORTSON**

STATE OF MISSOURI	)	
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COUNTY OF COLE	)	

**COMES NOW BRAD J. FORTSON** and on his oath declares that he is of sound mind and lawful age; that he contributed to the foregoing *Staff Recommendation*; and that the same is true and correct according to his best knowledge and belief.

Further the Affiant sayeth not.

BRAD J. FORTSON

#### JURAT

Subscribed and sworn before me, a duly constituted and authorized Notary Public, in and for the County of Cole, State of Missouri, at my office in Jefferson City, on this 27% day of January, 2023.

DIANNA L VAUGHT Notary Public - Notary Seal STATE OF MISSOURI Cole County My Commission Expires: July 18, 2023 Commission #: 15207377

Dianna L. Vaught Notary Public