# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro's Request for Authority to Implement a General Rate Increase for Electric Service	) ) )	File No. ER-2022-0129 Tracking Nos. YE-2023-0103 and YE-2023-0104
In the Matter of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West's Request for Authority to Implement a General Rate Increase for Electric Service	) )	File No. ER-2022-0130 Tracking No. YE-2023-0105

# ORDER FOR RESPONSES

Issue Date: December 28, 2022 Effective Date: December 28, 2022

On November 21, 2022,<sup>1</sup> the Commission issued its Report and Order (November 21 Order) in Evergy's general rate cases, File No. ER-2022-0129 for Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro (EMM) and File No. ER-2022-0130 for Evergy Missouri West, Inc. (EMW). EMM and EMW submitted compliance tariffs on December 2. EMM submitted tariffs assigned Tracking Nos. YE-2023-0103 and YE-2023-0104. EMW submitted tariff sheets assigned Tracking No. YE-2023-0105. All tariff sheets had a proposed effective date of January 1, 2023.

The Commission's Amended Report and Order, issued on December 8 (Amended Order) supplanted the November 21 Order.<sup>2</sup> Subsequently, EMM and EMW filed various substitute tariff sheets on December 15, December 18, December 20, December 21,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All dates refer to 2022 unless otherwise noted.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The Office of the Public Counsel's Motion for Reconsideration or in the Alternative, Application for Rehearing, filed on December 16, is still under consideration.

December 22, December 23, and December 27. EMM and EMW voluntarily extended the proposed effective date of the tariffs to January 10, 2023.

On December 27, the Staff of the Commission (Staff) submitted a positive recommendation for the tariff sheets. Staff stated that its review confirms the tariff sheets are in compliance with the Commission's Amended Report and Order, as well as with the four previously approved stipulations and agreements.

Given the numerous issues involved in the resolution of this case, and the recent substitutions of the submitted compliance tariffs, the Commission finds it appropriate to allow parties time to review and submit responses. As the proposed effective date of Tracking Nos. YE-2023-0103, YE-2023-0104, and YE-2023-0105 has been updated to January 10, 2023, the Commission will shorten the time for responses.

# THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. No party is directed to file a response to the submitted compliance tariffs, but if any party wishes to respond, such response must be submitted on or before December 29.
  - 2. This order shall be effective when issued.

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BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, On the 28<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2022.

# 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 28<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2022.

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## File/Case No. ER-2022-0129 and ER-2022-0130

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

Sincerely.

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