BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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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-2022-0200 and YE-2022-0201

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO INTERVENE

Issue Date: February 4, 2022

Effective Date: February 4, 2022

Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro submitted tariff sheets on January 7, 2022, to produce a net increase in its electric base rates. The Commission provided notice of Evergy Missouri Metro's application and set a deadline for applications to intervene.

On January 24, 2022, Sierra Club timely filed an application to intervene. Sierra Club stated that it is a nonprofit organization that exists for the purpose of preserving and protecting environmental values. Sierra Club stated that granting its intervention request would serve the public interest. Sierra Club stated that it has not yet taken a position on Evergy Missouri Metro's application.

More than ten days have passed since the filing of Sierra Club's application to intervene and no one has responded.¹ After considering the unopposed application to intervene, the Commission finds that Sierra Club has interests which are different from that of the general public and allowing them to intervene will serve the public interest. Therefore, in accordance with Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.075(3), the Commission will grant the application to intervene.

¹ Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.080(13).

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The application to intervene of Sierra Club is granted.
- 2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

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 4th day of February, 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 4th day of February, 2022.



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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION February 4, 2022

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Sincerely,

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