BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Spire)
Missouri, Inc. for a Certificate of)
Convenience and Necessity to Construct,)
Install, Own, Operate, Maintain, and)
Otherwise Control and Manage a Natural) File No. GA-2023-0374
Gas Distribution System to Provide Gas)
Service in Johnson County, Missouri as an)
Expansion of its Existing Certificated)
Areas)

ORDER GRANTING ADDITIONAL EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: July 14, 2023 Effective Date: July 14, 2023

On April 27, 2023,¹ Spire Missouri Inc. (Spire) filed an application that seeks a certificate of convenience and necessity for a natural gas distribution system in Johnson County, Missouri.

On April 28, the Commission issued an order that, among other things, directed the Staff of the Commission (Staff) to file a recommendation regarding Spire's application by June 12, or to file a request for an extension of time. On June 7, Staff filed a timely request for an extension of time to file its recommendation, and the Commission extended the deadline to July 12.

On July 10, Staff filed its *Motion for Additional Extension of Time to File Staff Recommendation*. In its motion, Staff requested an extension of time to August 14 to file its recommendation due to recent additional data requests and the need for time to analyze the responses to those data requests.

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¹ Unless otherwise noted, all dates refer to 2023.

The Commission finds the motion reasonable and will grant it.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Staff's Motion for Additional Extension of Time to File Staff Recommendation is granted.
 - 2. Staff shall file its recommendation on or before August 14, 2023.
 - 3. This order shall be effective when issued.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Nancy Dippell Secretary

Kenneth J. Seyer, Regulatory Law Judge, By delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo (2016).

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri on the 14th day of July, 2023.

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 14th day of July, 2023.

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Nancy Dippell Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION July 14, 2023

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

Sincerely,

Secretary

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