

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission,	)	
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Complainant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No. GC-2006-0378
	)	
Missouri Pipeline Company, LLC; Missouri Gas Company, LLC; Mogas Energy, LLC; United Pipeline Systems, Inc.; and Gateway Pipeline Company, LLC.	)	
	)	
Respondents.	)	

**STAFF’S PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

COMES NOW Staff of the Public Service Commission of Missouri, and for its proposed procedural schedule in this matter states:

1. Staff filed this complaint on March 31, 2006, after conducting an investigation as directed by the Commission. Staff’s complaint included a suggested procedural schedule.
2. Staff has also attempted to conduct discovery by deposition, but Respondents have suggested that they are not available until mid-July. Respondents have suggested at the prehearing conference scheduled by the Commission on June 6, 2006, that they would produce documents, seriatim, within 45 to 90 days.
3. Staff and Respondents have not been able to agree on a procedural schedule for this case. Therefore, Staff recommends that the Commission adopt the following procedural schedule:

October 24, 2006	Staff files Direct Testimony and Schedules
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December 1, 2006	Respondents and Intervenors file Rebuttal Testimony and Schedules
January 11, 2007	Staff files Surrebuttal Testimony and Schedules; Respondents and Intervenors file Cross-surrebuttal Testimony and Schedules
February 9, 2007	Staff files List of Issues, Order of Issues, Order of Witnesses, and Order of Cross-examination
February 16, 2007	Parties Submit Prehearing Briefs
February 26, through March 9, 2007	Evidentiary Hearing

4. Counsel for the Office of the Public Counsel, AmerenUE, and the Municipal Gas Commission of Missouri have authorized Staff to represent that they do not oppose Staff's proposed schedule.

WHEREFORE, Staff asks the Commission to enter the procedural schedule proposed above.

Respectfully submitted,

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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 counsel of record this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June, 2006.

/s/ Lera L. Shemwell\_\_\_\_\_