

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

In the Matter of the Application of	)	
Evergy Missouri Metro, Inc. d/b/a	)	
Evergy Missouri Metro For Approval	)	File No. EO-2023-0022
of a Special High Load Factor Market	)	
Rate Tariff	)	

**APPLICATION TO INTERVENE OF VELVET TECH SERVICES, LLC**

COMES NOW Velvet Tech Services, LLC (“Velvet Tech Services”), pursuant to 20 CSR 4240-2.075 of the Missouri Public Service Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure and this Commission’s November 15, 2022 *Order Directing Notice and Establishing Time to Intervene*, and for its Application to Intervene respectfully states as follows:

1. Velvet Tech Services, LLC (“Velvet”) is planning to site a new hyperscale enterprise data center near Kansas City, Missouri.
2. On November 10, 2022, Evergy Missouri Metro (“Evergy”) filed an application for approval of a special high load factor market rate.
3. In EO-2022-0061, Velvet sought and obtained approval of a special high load factor market rate tariff in Evergy Missouri West. *See* Evergy’s Application in this case. (“A substantially similar tariff was proposed for the Evergy Missouri West (“EMW”) jurisdiction in Case No. EO-2022-0061 and was approved on March 24, 2022.”).
4. As Velvet is a customer that desires to take service under Schedule MKT in Evergy Missouri West and file a Market Rate Contract for approval with the Commission, Velvet's interests are different than that of the general public.

5. The Commission previously granted Google's Application to Intervene in Case No. EO-2022-0061 wherein Google asserted it intended to take service under a similar tariff as Velvet.

4. Velvet does not yet have a position on the issues in this case and reserves the right to take positions on specific issues as this case proceeds.

5. Velvet's intervention will serve the public interest by assisting the record for the Commission's decision in this case.

6. Correspondence or communications regarding this application, including service of all notices and orders of this Commission, should be addressed to:

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WHEREFORE, Velvet respectfully requests that the Commission issue its order granting its Application for Intervention and that it be made a party hereto with all rights to participate in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served upon all of the parties of record or their counsel, pursuant to the Service List maintained by the Data Center of the Missouri Public Service Commission on November 29, 2022.

*/s/ Stephanie S. Bell*  
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