BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Spire Missouri Inc. d/b/a Spire, for Permission and Approval and a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to Construct, Install, Own, Operate, Maintain, and Otherwise Control and Manage a Natural Gas Distribution System to Provide Gas Service in Platte County, Missouri as an Expansion of its Existing Certificated Areas

File No. GA-2023-0441

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: August 14, 2023

Effective Date: August 14, 2023

On June 28, 2023, Spire Missouri Inc. d/b/a Spire filed an application for a certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) to construct, install, own, operate, maintain, and otherwise control and manage a natural gas distribution system to provide natural gas service in Platte County, Missouri, as a further expansion of Spire's existing certificated area.

On June 30, 2023, 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 August 14, 2023, or to file a request for an extension of time.

On August 11, 2023, Staff filed a *Motion for Extension of Time to File Staff Recommendation* that requested an additional 45 days in which to file its recommendation. Staff cited the need for time to complete its investigation and stated that the other parties in this matter do not object to its motion.

The Commission finds the motion reasonable and will grant it.

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THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Staff's Motion for Extension of Time to File Staff Recommendation is

granted.

- 2. Staff shall file its recommendation on or before September 28, 2023.
- 3. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Nancy Dippell

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 August, 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 August, 2023.



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Nancy Dippell Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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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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