

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Spire )  
Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Spire to Change its ) **File No. GO-2020-0229**  
Infrastructure System Replacement ) Tracking No. YG-2020-0139  
Surcharge in its Spire Missouri East Service )  
Territory )

In the Matter of the Application of Spire )  
Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Spire to Change its ) **File No. GO-2020-0230**  
Infrastructure System Replacement ) Tracking No. YG-2020-0140  
Surcharge in its Spire Missouri West Service )  
Territory )

## ORDER REQUIRING FILING

Issue Date: March 19, 2020

Effective Date: March 19, 2020

On February 3, 2020,<sup>1</sup> Spire Missouri Inc. (Spire Missouri), on behalf of its operating units, Spire Missouri East and Spire Missouri West, filed a request for waiver of the 60-day notice provisions of Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-4.017(1)<sup>2</sup> and tendered a Verified Application and Petition of Spire Missouri, Inc. to Change its Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge for Spire Missouri East and Spire Missouri West. On February 13, Spire Missouri filed a Corrected – Verified Application and Petition of Spire Missouri Inc. to Change Its Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge for Its Spire Missouri West [and East] Territory. On February 14, the deadline for responses, the Commission Staff filed a response stating it had no objection to the requested waiver. No other party responded. On February 18, the Commission issued

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<sup>1</sup> All date references will be to 2020 unless otherwise indicated.

<sup>2</sup> Spire Missouri cites to 4 CSR 240-4.017. The Commission will cite the applicable rules per the current numbering system.

its Order Directing Notice, Setting Intervention Deadline, Directing Filing and Suspending Tariff Sheets.

Although the parties' recommendations are not due per the February 18 order until April 3, because of the coronavirus and logistical problems it may create for arranging for an evidentiary hearing, the Commission will go ahead now and order the parties to confer together and file a proposed procedural schedule.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. No later than March 26, 2020, the parties shall file a proposed procedural schedule setting out proposed date(s) for an evidentiary hearing; deadlines for all filings, including testimony, exhibits, issues statements, position statements, and briefs; and addressing all other procedural concerns as deemed necessary by the parties.
2. All prior Orders shall remain in full force and effect.
3. This Order shall be effective when issued.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris Woodruff  
Secretary

Paul T. Graham, Regulatory Law  
Judge, by delegation of authority  
under Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2020.