

**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 Approval to)	<u>File No. GO-2021-0126</u>
Establish an On-Bill Financing Program and)	Tariff Nos. YG-2021-0112
Cost Recovery Mechanism)	and YG-2021-0113

**ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, SETTING DATE FOR INTERVENTION,
SETTING DATE FOR OBJECTIONS, AND DIRECTING
THE FILING OF A STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

Issue Date: November 2, 2020

Effective Date: November 2, 2020

On October 30, 2020, Spire Missouri, Inc. filed an application seeking approval of an on-bill financing program and an associated cost recovery mechanism for the recovery of the program investments. Spire Missouri indicated that the investments are aimed at expanding opportunities for customers to benefit from cost-effective energy efficiency measures. Spire Missouri filed proposed tariff sheets designed to implement its program and cost recovery mechanism. The tariff sheets bear a November 29, 2020, effective date. Spire Missouri also requested a waiver of the 60-day notice provision of Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-4.017(1).

The Commission will provide notice of the application to the general public and set a deadline for intervention requests. The Commission will also direct its Staff to file a recommendation or response to the application and set a time for objections to the tariff sheets. Because of the fast-approaching tariff effective date, the Commission will expedite these filing deadlines. If no one objects to the tariffs or requests a hearing, the

Commission may determine that a hearing is not necessary for a determination of the application.¹

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Data Center shall serve a copy of this order on the county commission for each county in the service territory of Spire Missouri and on the Board of Alderman of the City of St. Louis.

2. The Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department shall make notice of this order available to the members of the Missouri General Assembly whose districts include the City of St. Louis and any county in the service territory of Spire Missouri, and to media serving those areas.

3. Any application for intervention shall be filed no later than November 12, 2020. Any such filing shall be delivered to:

Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
Post Office Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

or transmitted through the Commission's Electronic Filing and Information System (EFIS).

4. The Commission's Staff shall file a recommendation or a response to the application no later than November 13, 2020.

5. Any objections to the application and tariffs or requests for hearing shall be filed no later than November 13, 2020.

6. This order shall be effective when issued.

¹ *State ex rel. Deffenderfer v. Public Service Commission*, 776 S.W.2d 494, 496 (Mo. App. 1989).



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Nancy Dippell, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 2nd day of November, 2020.