BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Spire Missouri Inc.'s Verified)
Application for Approval of Financing Authority) Case No. GF-2020-0334

RESPONSE OF SPIRE MISSOURI TO ORDER DIRECTING FILING

COMES NOW Spire Missouri Inc. ("Spire Missouri" or "Company"), and in response to the Commission's July 20, 2020 *Order Directing Expedited Responses to Suggested Language*, states as follows:

- 1. On April 21, 2020, Spire Missouri filed its Verified Application for Approval of Financing Authority and Request for Waiver from 60-Day Notice Rule.
- 2. On July 9, 2020, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff") filed its Recommendation with conditions. The Office of the Public Counsel ("OPC") submitted its Response to Staff's Recommendation on July 17, 2020 in which OPC agreed with Staff's Recommendation but also recommended additional language be included in the conditions recommended by Staff.
- 3. Spire Missouri has reviewed the language and conditions proposed by Staff and OPC. Spire Missouri does not object.

WHEREFORE, Spire Missouri, respectfully requests that the Commission accept its Response.

Respectfully submitted,

SPIRE MISSOURI INC.

By: <u>/s/ Goldie T. Bockstruck</u>

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Certificate of Service

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Response was served on the General Counsel of the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and the Office of the Public Counsel on this 21st day of July 2020 by hand-delivery, e-mail, fax, or by placing a copy of such document, postage prepaid, in the United States mail.

<u>/s/ Goldie T. Bockstruck</u>