

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

In the Matter of Atmos Energy Corporation's)	
Motion for Expedited Approval of a Tariff)	
Authorizing an Experimental Pilot Estimated)	Case No. GT-2006-0462
Meter Reading Program.)	

**STAFF RESPONSE TO ORDER DIRECTING RESPONSE
TO MOTION FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT**

COMES Now the Staff of the Commission and in Response to the Commission's June 7, 2006 Order Directing Response to Motion for Expedited Treatment in Atmos Energy's tariff filing authorizing an experimental pilot estimated meter reading program and states:

1. Staff agrees with Atmos' request for expedited treatment of this tariff filing.
2. Staff will file its Staff Recommendation no later than June 14, 2006.

WHEREFORE Staff requests the Commission accept this pleading in response to its Order Directing Filing.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or emailed to all counsel of record this 9th day of June 2006.

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