STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 4th day of December, 2013.

In the Matter of PGA/ACA Filing of Atmos Energy Corporation for the West Area (Old Butler), West Area (Old Greeley), Southeastern Area (Old SEMO), Southeastern Area (Old Neelyville), Kirksville Area, and in the Northeastern Area

File No. GR-2008-0364

ORDER APPROVING UNANIMOUS STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT

Issue Date: December 4, 2013

Effective Date: December 14, 2013

On October 11, 2013, the Missouri Supreme Court issued its mandate in *Office of the Public Counsel v. Missouri Public Service Commission and Atmos Energy Corporation*, No. SC92964, reversing the Commission's report and order in this proceeding and remanding this matter to the Commission for further proceedings in conformity with the opinion of the Court.

On November 21, 2013, Atmos Energy Corporation, the Commission's Staff, and the Office of the Public Counsel, filed a unanimous stipulation and agreement that would, if approved by the Commission, resolve and dispose of all issues in this proceeding. The stipulation and agreement provides that upon approval by the Commission, Atmos Energy Corporation shall make a cash contribution of \$85,775 to the North East Community Action Corporation for the specific purpose of assisting Liberty Utilities' low income natural gas customers in the northeast Missouri service territory who have difficulty paying their gas bills.

After reviewing the unanimous stipulation and agreement, the Commission independently finds and concludes that it is reasonable, in the public interest, and should be approved. Since this is a unanimous stipulation and agreement, the Commission will make this order effective in ten days.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement filed on November 21, 2013, is approved. The signatory parties are ordered to comply with the terms of that stipulation and agreement. A copy of the stipulation and agreement is attached to this order and is incorporated fully herein.

2. This order shall become effective on December 14, 2013.



BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

R. Kenney, Chm., Stoll and W. Kenney, CC., concur.

Bushmann, Regulatory Law Judge