

## BEFORE THE MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of ITC Midwest LLC's	)	
Vegetation Management Standards	)	Case No. EO-2021-
Guidelines and Procedures Pursuant to	)	
20 CSR 4240-23.030(6)(C)	)	

### ANNUAL COMPLIANCE FILING

ITC Midwest LLC ("ITCMW") here files its annual report on vegetation management standards guidelines for 2021 in compliance with the above-referenced rule.

#### 1. Information required under 20 CSR 4240-23.030(6)(B):

- Identification of each circuit and substation where vegetation management was performed;
  - Vegetation management was performed on ITCMW's Carbide-Palmyra 161 kV.
- The type of vegetation management performed including removal, trimming and spraying and methods used;
  - Vegetation management was performed in accordance to the attached ITC Holdings Vegetation Management Policy.
- The crew size and supervisor's name;
  - Crew size ranged from 2-6 persons over the work completion period. Supervisor was Matt Pregon.
- The date of activity;
  - The work on the Carbide-Palmyra circuit occurred August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020 and finished that same day.
- Any safety hazards encountered; and
  - ITCMW's personnel did not encounter any safety hazards beyond those typical of line clearance tasks.
- Any unexpected occurrence or accident resulting in death, life-threatening or serious injury to a person assigned to perform vegetation management activities or the public.
  - There were no such occurrences or accidents.

2. **Information required under 20 CSR 240-23.030(6)(C):**

- Expenditures for vegetation management in the preceding year;
  - ITCMW expended \$698.11 for vegetation management on its Missouri facilities during 2020.
- Vegetation management budget for the current year;
  - The vegetation management budget for ITCMW's two Missouri circuits for 2021 is:
    - Carbide – Viele #1 = \$0.00
    - Carbide – Palmyra = \$0.00
- Circuits, completion dates and miles trimmed in the preceding year;
  - ITC completed trimming on the 1 span on the Carbide – Palmyra circuit on August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020.
- Circuits, completion dates and miles scheduled for the current year; and
  - There is no planned trimming for any ITCMW facilities in Missouri for the current year.
- Total distribution miles for the system and corresponding classification between rural and urban.
  - ITCMW owns no distribution facilities in Missouri.

WHEREFORE ITCMW submits the attached documents as required by 20 CSR 4240-23.030.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

A true and correct copy of the foregoing document was either mailed, faxed, or emailed this 22nd day of March 2021, to the persons listed below service list.

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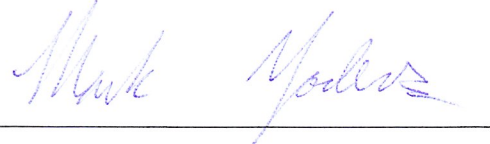
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**VERIFICATION**

STATE OF MICHIGAN     )  
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Mark Yoders, first being duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that he is Vegetation Management Specialist of ITC Midwest LLC, a Missouri corporation; that he is the individual who sponsors the attached reports filed in accordance with 20 CSR 4240-23.020; that said reports were prepared under his direction and supervision; that if inquiries are made as to the facts, he would respond as therein set forth; and that the aforesaid is true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief.

Pursuant to the March 24, 2020 guidance letter issued by the Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission, in lieu of notarization of this document, under penalty of perjury, I declare that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

  
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Mark Yoders