

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

Clearwater Enterprises, L.L.C.,

Complainant,

v.

File No. GC-2021-0353

Spire Missouri, Inc. and its operating unit  
Spire Missouri West,

Respondents.

**MOTION TO APPEAR AND PARTICIPATE *PRO HAC VICE***

James M. Reed and Lauren M. Marciano, pursuant to 20 CSR 4240-2.040(3)(C) and Missouri Supreme Court Rules 6.01(m) and 9.03, hereby petition the Missouri Public Service Commission (the “Commission”) for leave to be permitted to appear and participate in the above-captioned proceeding. In support of this Motion to Appear and Participate *Pro Hac Vice*, Mr. Reed and Ms. Marciano respectfully state as follows:

1. Mr. Reed and Ms. Marciano are attorneys with the firm of Hall, Estill, Hardwick, Gable, Golden, & Nelson, P.C. (“Hall Estill”), located at 320 S. Boston Ave., Ste. 200, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74103. Mr. Reed and Ms. Marciano wish to represent Clearwater Enterprises, L.L.C. *pro hac vice* in this matter.

2. James M. Reed is not admitted to practice in Missouri, but is a member in good standing of the Oklahoma State Bar. Mr. Reed is also admitted to practice before the United States Supreme Court, the United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit, and the United States District Court for the Northern, Eastern, and Western Districts of Oklahoma, Southern District of New York, Southern District of Indiana, Eastern District of Wisconsin, Eastern District of Michigan, and District of Kansas. Mr. Reed is also currently admitted before the United States

District Court for the Western District of Missouri, *pro hac vice*. Mr. Reed has never been subject to disciplinary proceedings of any kind.

3. Lauren M. Marciano is not admitted to practice in Missouri, but is a member in good standing of the Oklahoma State Bar. Ms. Marciano is also admitted to practice before the States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit and the United States District Court for the Northern, Eastern, and Western Districts of Oklahoma. Ms. Marciano is also currently admitted before the United States District Court for the Western District of Missouri, *pro hac vice*. Ms. Marciano has never been subject to disciplinary proceedings of any kind.

4. Neither Mr. Reed nor Ms. Marciano, nor any member of Hall Estill, is under suspension or disbarment, nor is any member of Hall Estill disqualified to appear before the Missouri Public Service Commission or any other court.

5. Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 6.01(m), a fee of \$820 has been paid to the Clerk of the Missouri Supreme Court, and the certificate attached as Exhibit A hereto was issued on June 10, 2021 by the Clerk of the Supreme Court.

6. Mr. Reed and Ms. Marciano are associated in this matter with Stephanie S. Bell, with the law firm of Ellinger & Associates, LLC, 308 East High Street, Suite 300, Jefferson City, MO 65101. Ms. Bell is a member in good standing of the Missouri Bar and is qualified to practice before this Commission pursuant to 20 CSR 4240-2.040(3)(A). Mr. Reed and Ms. Marciano respectfully designate Ms. Bell as associate counsel. Ms. Bell has entered her appearance on behalf of Clearwater Enterprises, L.L.C.

7. If this application to appear *pro hac vice* is granted, Mr. Reed and Ms. Marciano agree to abide by the Rules of the Commission, including all disciplinary rules, and notify the Commission immediately of any matter affecting their standing at the bar of any court.

WHEREFORE, James M. Reed and Lauren M. Marciano respectfully request that this motion for admission *pro hac vice* be granted.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Lauren M. Marciano

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served upon all of the parties of record or their counsel, pursuant to the Service List maintained by the Data Center of the Missouri Public Service Commission on June 11, 2021.

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*This will hereby acknowledge receipt of \$820.00 as required by Rule 6.01(n) for James Reed and Lauren Marciano, appearing in Clearwater Enterprises, L.L.C. v. Spire Missouri, Inc. and its operating unit, Spire Missouri West, Case No. GC-2021-0353, before the Public Service Commission, State of Missouri.*

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Betsy AuBuchon".

Betsy AuBuchon, Clerk