

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

In the Matter of the Application of Ameren Transmission)
Company of Illinois for a Certificate of Public)
Convenience and Necessity Authorizing it to Construct,)
Install, Own, Operate, Maintain and Otherwise Control) **File No. EA-2017-0345**
and Manage a 345-kV Electric Transmission Line from)
Palmyra, Missouri to the Iowa Border and an Associated)
Substation Near Kirksville, Missouri)

ORDER AND NOTICE

Issue Date: September 18, 2017

Effective Date: September 18, 2017

On September 15, 2017, Ameren Transmission Company of Illinois (“ATXI”) asked the Commission to grant ATXI a certificate of convenience and necessity to build the above-referenced project.¹

The Commission finds that notice of the application should be given to the general public and interested parties and a date for intervention of proper parties should be set. The Commission’s Data Center shall mail a copy of this notice to the County Commissions of Marion, Lewis, Knox, Adair and Schuyler. In addition, the Commission’s public information officer shall make notice of this order available to the media serving those counties and to the members of the General Assembly representing those counties.

The requirement of a hearing has been fulfilled when all those having a desire to be heard are offered an opportunity to be heard. If no proper party or governmental entity is granted intervention, and neither the Commission’s Staff nor the Office of the Public

¹ ATXI also filed a motion for expedited treatment. Although the Commission will attempt to accommodate ATXI, such an aggressive procedural schedule may not be feasible for the parties or the Commission.

Counsel requests a hearing, the Commission may determine that a hearing is not necessary for a determination on the application.²

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Missouri Public Service Commission's Data Center is ordered to serve notice as described in the body of this order.

2. The Missouri Public Service Commission's public information officer is ordered to serve notice as described in the body of this order.

3. Any proper person wishing to intervene in this matter shall file an application no later than October 6, 2017. Such applications shall be filed with:

Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
P.O. Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

4. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Ronald D. Pridgin, Deputy Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
under Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 18th day of September, 2017.

² *State ex rel. Deffenderfer v. Public Service Commission*, 776 S.W.2d 494, 496 (Mo App. 1989).

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission,
at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 18th day of September 2017.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

September 18, 2017

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,



**Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary**

Recipients listed above with a valid e-mail address will receive electronic service. Recipients without a valid e-mail address will receive paper service.