

*Exhibit No.:*  
*Issue(s):* *Weather Normalization,  
Load Requirement at  
Transmission*  
*Witness:* *Michael L. Stahlman*  
*Sponsoring Party:* *MoPSC Staff*  
*Type of Exhibit:* *Direct Testimony*  
*Case Nos.:* *ER-2022-0129 and  
ER-2022-0130*  
*Date Testimony Prepared:* *June 8, 2022*

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**  
**INDUSTRY ANALYSIS DIVISION**  
**TARIFF/RATE DESIGN DEPARTMENT**

**DIRECT TESTIMONY**  
**OF**  
**MICHAEL L. STAHLMAN**

**Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro**  
**Case No. ER-2022-0129**

**Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West**  
**Case No. ER-2022-0130**

*Jefferson City, Missouri*  
*2022*

1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
6  
7  
8  
9  
10  
11

**TABLE OF CONTENTS OF  
DIRECT TESTIMONY OF  
MICHAEL L. STAHLMAN**

**Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro  
Case No. ER-2022-0129**

**Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West  
Case No. ER-2022-0130**

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY .....1**

**Weather Normalization ..... 2**

**365-Days Adjustment to Usage ..... 6**

**Load Requirement at Transmission ..... 8**

1 **DIRECT TESTIMONY**

2 **OF**

3 **MICHAEL L. STAHLMAN**

4 **Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro**

5 **Case No. ER-2022-0129**

6 **Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West**

7 **Case No. ER-2022-0130**

8 Q. Please state your name and business address.

9 A. My name is Michael L. Stahlman, and my business address is Missouri Public  
10 Service Commission, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri, 65102.

11 Q. By whom are you employed and in what capacity?

12 A. I am employed by the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”)  
13 as a Regulatory Economist in the Tariff/Rate Design Department in the Industrial  
14 Analysis Division.

15 Q. Please describe your educational and work background.

16 A. Please see Schedule MLS-1.

17 Q. Are you the same Michael L. Stahlman that previously provided testimony in this  
18 case during the discovery conference held on May 5, 2022?

19 A. Yes I am.

20 **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

21 Q. What is the purpose of your testimony?

22 A. The purpose of my direct testimony is present the results of Staff’s  
23 weather normalization analysis for Evergy Missouri Metro (“EMM”) and Evergy Missouri  
24 West (“EMW”).

1 Q. Please summarize your testimony.

2 A. I calculated the Staff's Weather Normalization and 365 Day Adjustments. These  
3 calculations relied on the weather data provided by Staff witness Mr. Poudel, loss data from  
4 Staff and data provided by the company through data requests. The results were given to Staff  
5 witness Kim Cox for use in her revenue calculation.

6 I also calculated the Load Requirement at Transmission. This calculation relied on loss  
7 factors provided by Staff witness Alan Bax, weather data provided by Staff witness Mr. Poudel,  
8 data provided by the company through data requests and 3.190 reports, and normalized sales  
9 provided by Staff witness Kim Cox. The results were provided to Staff witnesses Shawn Lange  
10 and Charles Poston for use in the fuel model.

11 **Weather Normalization**

12 Q. What is weather normalization?

13 A. In many of the classes of service, electricity consumption is highly responsive  
14 to the weather, specifically temperature. As the temperature reaches higher levels, the demand  
15 for cooling, air conditioning and fans increases the customers' consumption of electricity. As  
16 the weather becomes colder, the demand for additional heating, via electric space heating, also  
17 forces an increase in electricity consumption. Electric air conditioning and space heating is  
18 prevalent in EMM and EMW's service territory; therefore, it follows that the respective electric  
19 loads of EMM and EMW are linked with and responsive to temperature. Weather  
20 normalization is the process of measuring the impact of weather on energy consumption and  
21 removing abnormal weather influence from the test period in order to provide a more accurate  
22 representation of "normal" electric usage.

23 Q. Where did the weather data come from for this analysis?

1           A.     Weather data was provided by Staff witness Hari Poudel. Mr. Poudel further  
2 describes the weather data in his testimony, including a description of “normal” weather.

3           Q.     What time period did Staff weather normalize?

4           A.     Staff weather normalized the update period for this case, the twelve months  
5 ending December 31, 2021.

6           Q.     Why did Staff weather normalize for the update period, when EMM and  
7 EMW weather normalized for the test year?

8           A.     The Commission ordered that there be an update period for this case for  
9 the 12 months ending December 31, 2021.<sup>1</sup> In an attempt to capture a more likely forward-  
10 looking indicator of non-weather electricity usage per customer, Staff weather normalized the  
11 update period as it includes the most current information available for analysis and will more  
12 closely align to revenue estimates and costs as an outcome of this rate case.

13          Q.     Briefly describe the weather normalization process.

14          A.     Staff used MetrixND to run regression analysis to determine a class’s response  
15 to weather and other variables. The method and model used by Staff is similar to those used  
16 by EMM and EMW. Staff’s model and method contained elements important in the class-level  
17 weather normalization process: use of daily load research data to determine non-linear,  
18 class-specific responses to changes in temperature with the incorporation of different base usage  
19 parameters to account for different days of the week, months of the year and holidays. Staff  
20 then used the model to simulate energy consumption by substituting normal daily weather data  
21 with the actual daily weather data. The results of Staff’s analysis were provided to Staff witness  
22 Kim Cox to be used in the normalization of revenues for weather sensitive classes,

---

<sup>1</sup> Commission’s Order Establishing Test Year issued on 3/3/2022

1 Residential (“RES”), Small General Service (“SGS”), Medium General Service (“MGS”,  
2 EMM only), and Large General Service (“LGS”), and to Staff witness Alan Bax for the Sale  
3 for Resale (“SFR”).

4 Q. Did Staff weather normalize Large Power?

5 A. No. Staff reviewed the data for individual large power customers and found that  
6 only a minority of the customers had a usage pattern consistent with being weather sensitive.  
7 A larger portion appeared seasonal, and others were weather insensitive.

8 Q. How did Staff obtain usage data for the update period for each customer class?

9 A. Staff submitted several data requests.

10 Q. Were the initial responses to these data requests responsive?

11 A. No. Staff first asked Evergy on Feb 8, 2022 in Staff Data Requests 0230 (EMM)  
12 and 0228 (EMW) to:

13 “Please provide updates to Evergy witness Al Bass’ workpapers for Evergy Missouri  
14 West and Evergy Missouri Metro with data through December 31, 2021 and update  
15 through June 30, 2022 as soon as the information is available.” (emphasis added)

16 Additionally, Staff Data Requests 0250 (Metro) and 0247 (West), issued February 16,  
17 2022, asked:

18 Please hourly load information for each of the following customer classifications, and  
19 indicate the voltage at which the loads are provided, for the period Jan 1, 2020 – Dec  
20 31, 2021: (1) Residential (2) Residential TOU (3) Residential NM (4) SGS Primary (5)  
21 SGS Secondary (6) LGS Primary (7) LGS Secondary (8) LPS Primary (9) LPS  
22 Secondary (10) LPS Substation (11) LPS Transmission (12) Thermal Service (13)  
23 SIL/Nucor (14) Lighting (15) CCN Please indicate the source of such data, such as  
24 whether it is calculated based on load research or if it is the summation of AMI meter  
25 reads. (emphasis added)  
26

1 None of the responses to those data requests provided load data through Dec. 31, 2021.

2 In fact, the response to 247 was explicit, “In the attached file  
3 ‘Q0247\_MPSC\_20220216\_Q0247\_West’ the hourly loads are provided for the period of  
4 January 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021...” (emphasis added)

5 Q. Did Staff follow-up with Evergy to try and obtain the necessary data?

6 A. Yes. First, Staff issued two more data requests to specifically address what  
7 information was sought on 3/15/2022 for DR 285 (Metro) and 3/14/2022 for DR 291:

8 Please update workpapers found in the following folders of Mr. Bass’s direct  
9 workpapers through the revenue month of December 2021: 1. Billed calibration data 2.  
10 Google Mobility data 3. Load and Precision 4. NDModels.

11 Secondly, on March 22, 2022, Staff had a discussion with Evergy on the responses to  
12 DRs 228, 230, 247, and 250. This discussion also mentioned DRs 285 and 291 above. At the  
13 conclusion of the conversation, Evergy agreed to provide an update to DRs 247 and 250.

14 Q. Did the amended responses provide Staff with the necessary data?

15 A. No. Evergy amended its responses on April 4, 2022 to respond to DRs 250 and  
16 247 stating:

17 Question 0250A [0247A] addresses the above data request and additionally NSI,  
18 Google Mobility, Meter Read Schedule and MEEIA as discussed with MPSC staff on  
19 March 22, 2022...Hourly loads are attached in the Access database  
20 “GMO\_loadresearch” for Residential, Small General Service (SGS), Large General  
21 Service (LGS), Large Power (LP) and Sales for Resale (SFR) for the time-period of Jan  
22 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021. The hourly loads are based on the summation of  
23 the AMI meter reads. The Metrix ND weather normalization models link directly to this  
24 Access database.” (emphasis added)

25 However, Staff noticed that the hourly loads used in Evergy’s direct filing were not the  
26 same as the loads in the amended responses for the overlapping time periods.

27 Q. Did Staff again follow-up with Evergy to try and obtain the necessary data?

28 A. Yes. Staff issued DRs 250.2 (Metro) and 247.2 (West) on 4/11/2022, asking,  
29 among other questions:

30 Please explain, in detail, why there is a difference between the data provided the  
31 Company’s response to DR 250 and the data provided in the “LoadData” Data Tables  
32 in the MetrixND files from Mr. Bass’s direct workpapers for the same class on the same  
33 hour in the same day. Include an explanation for each difference and the impact on the  
34 data provided...Please provide the hourly load data for each class consistent with the  
35 “LoadData” Data Tables in the MetrixND files.provided as direct workpapers of Mr.  
36 Bass for the period of 1/1/2019 through 12/31/2021.

37 Evergy response on 5/2/2022:

1        The MetrixND files MPSC Staff is requesting are not updated through 12/31/21. The  
2        company does not weather normalize for a different period outside the test year. If  
3        MPSC Staff is wanting to weather normalize for a different time-period other than the  
4        test year, MPSC Staff will need to do the following steps to make the AMI data provided  
5        in DR 250 equal to the AMI data in the table “LoadData”. (emphasis added)

6        Q.     Was Staff given sufficient data to transform the AMI data into the equivalent  
7        “LoadData” table?

8        A.     Not initially. Among the steps listed was to, “Update the BilledNDCalib.xls  
9        spreadsheet”. That spreadsheet, which was provided in direct, says, “Calibration  
10       numbers...come from BilledCal\_LR.xls spreadsheet (calibration between Load Research and  
11       Billed Data from Regulatory).” Staff was not provided this data until 5/5/2022, just prior to the  
12       discovery conference on that date.

13       Q.     Has Staff incorporated the adjusted data to the current weather normalization  
14       models?

15       A.     No. Due to the need to provide the adjustments to other Staff members, Staff  
16       used the unadjusted AMI data. Staff will continue to adjust the AMI data, and should any  
17       significant issues arise, Staff will address these issues in rebuttal.

18        **365-Days Adjustment to Usage**

19        Q.     Why does Staff make a 365-day adjustment?

20        A.     Calendar months and revenue months differ from one another because of the  
21        periods they cover and the differing beginning and ending times. Calendar months coincide  
22        with the calendar, beginning on the first day of the month and ending on the last day of the  
23        month. EMM’s and EMW’s respective customers’ usage is measured and rate revenues are  
24        collected over a period known as a revenue month, which is the interval over which EMM and  
25        EMW read customers’ meters and issues bills. A bill rendered for a given revenue month may



1 charge for usage in parts of two calendar months. Revenue months usually take their names  
2 from the calendar month in which the customer's bill is rendered. For example, assume a  
3 customer's meter was read and usage determined on June 8 and then again on July 8 and that  
4 the bill was sent to the customer on July 15. The revenue month for this bill is July even  
5 though 22 days of the usage measured for this bill occurred from June 9 through June 30 and it  
6 contained only eight days of usage in July.

7         The length of a revenue month is dependent upon the interval between meter readings  
8 and does not necessarily have the same number of days that occur in a given calendar month of  
9 the same name; that is, a revenue month may have more than or less than the number of days  
10 for the same-named calendar month. For the example given above, the usage is for 30 days  
11 (June 9 through July 8), even though the revenue month is July, which has 31 days. When  
12 revenue month usage is totaled over the year, the resulting revenue year will include usage from  
13 the immediately prior calendar year and assign usage to the next calendar year, meaning a  
14 revenue year may contain more than or less than 365 days' usage. Therefore, since the costs and  
15 expenses are accounted over a calendar year, Staff calculates an annualization adjustment to  
16 bring the revenue year kWh into a 365-days interval. This adjustment is stated in kWh and is  
17 referred to as the 365-Days Adjustment. Staff calculated the 365-Days Adjustment by adjusting  
18 individual bill cycles that had more than or less than 365 days' usage from the first date in that  
19 cycle's revenue test year to the last meter read date in that cycle's revenue test year. The overall  
20 average usage per day of that cycle was then multiplied by the days over/under 365 days to  
21 determine the kWh adjustment.

1           The 365-Days Adjustment for RES, SGS, MGS (EMM only), and LGS were provided  
2 to Staff witness Kim Cox, who used the 365-Days Adjustment to adjust the revenues of the  
3 weather-normalized class revenues months to the twelve months ended April 30, 2021.

4           **Load Requirement at Transmission**

5           Q.     What is the load requirement at transmission?

6           A.     Hourly load requirement at transmission is the hourly electric supply necessary  
7 to meet the energy demands of both the company's customers and the company's own needs.  
8 This is calculated at the transmission level to account for losses in the transmission and  
9 distribution system.

10          Q.     Where did Staff obtain the load and weather data?

11          A.     The hourly loads used in the analysis of the period of January 2021, through  
12 December 2021, were obtained from EMM's and EMW's data provided in accordance  
13 with 20 CSR 4240-3.190 (1)(C). Staff witness Hari Poudel provided actual and normal daily  
14 temperatures used in this analysis.

15          Q.     Why does Staff weather normalize the load requirement at transmission?

16          A.     Due to the high saturation of air conditioning, and the presence of significant  
17 electric space heating in EMM's and EMW's service territory, the magnitude and shape of  
18 EMM's and EMW's load requirement are directly related to daily temperatures. The actual  
19 daily temperatures for the update period differed from normal conditions. Therefore, to reflect  
20 normal weather, daily peak and average load requirement are adjusted independently, but using  
21 the same method.

22          Q.     Why does Staff weather normalize the average load separately from the  
23 peak load?

1           A.     Independent adjustments are necessary because average loads and peak loads  
2 respond differently to weather. Daily average load is calculated as the daily energy divided by  
3 twenty-four hours and the daily peak is the maximum hourly load for the day. Separate  
4 regression models estimate both a base component, which is allowed to fluctuate across time,  
5 and a weather sensitive component, which measures the response to daily fluctuations in  
6 weather for daily average loads and peak loads. The regression parameters, along with the  
7 difference between normal and actual cooling and heating measures, are used to calculate  
8 weather adjustments to both the average and peak loads for each day. The adjustments for each  
9 day are added respectively to the actual average and peak loads for each day.

10           Q.     How does Staff calculate the load requirement at transmission?

11           The starting point for allocating both the weather-normalized daily peak and the  
12 weather-normalized average loads to the hours is the actual hourly loads. A unitized load curve  
13 is calculated for each day as a function of the actual peak and average loads for that day.  
14 The corresponding weather-normalized daily peak and average loads, along with the unitized  
15 load curves, are used to calculate weather-normalized hourly loads.

16           Once Staff's normalized, annualized test year usage for EMM's and EMW's retail  
17 customer classes is completed, weather-normalized wholesale usage is added. Then, the  
18 non-sale for resale classes annual usage was increased by the average annual loss factor  
19 supplied by Staff witness Alan J. Bax. A weather normalized SFR class' annualized usage was  
20 added to the non-transmission-level classes annual usage to produce an annual sum of the  
21 hourly load requirement that equals the adjusted test year usage and is consistent with Staff's  
22 normalized revenues.

1           A factor was applied to each hour of the weather-normalized loads to produce an annual  
2 sum of the hourly load requirement that equals the adjusted test year usage, plus losses, and is  
3 consistent with normalized revenues. Once completed, the test-year hourly normalized system  
4 loads were given to Staff witnesses Shawn E. Lange and Charles T. Poston to be used in  
5 developing the test year fuel and purchased-power expense.

6           Q.       Please summarize your testimony.

7           A.       I calculated Staff's weather normalization adjustment, 365-day adjustment,  
8 and load requirement at transmission using inputs from other Staff witnesses and Evergy's  
9 responses to data requests and reports. The results of my calculations were then provided to  
10 other Staff witnesses.

11          Q.       Does this conclude your testimony?

12          A.       Yes it does.

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy )  
Missouri Metro's Request for Authority to ) Case No. ER-2022-0129  
Implement a General Rate Increase for Electric )  
Service )

In the Matter of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. )  
d/b/a Evergy Missouri West's Request for ) Case No. ER-2022-0130  
Authority to Implement a General Rate )  
Increase for Electric Service )

**AFFIDAVIT OF MICHAEL L. STAHLMAN**

STATE OF MISSOURI )  
 ) ss.  
COUNTY OF COLE )

COMES NOW MICHAEL L. STAHLMAN and on his oath declares that he is of sound mind and lawful age; that he contributed to the foregoing *Direct Testimony of Michael L. Stahlman*; and that the same is true and correct according to his best knowledge and belief.

Further the Affiant sayeth not.



\_\_\_\_\_  
MICHAEL L. STAHLMAN

**JURAT**

Subscribed and sworn before me, a duly constituted and authorized Notary Public, in and for the County of Cole, State of Missouri, at my office in Jefferson City, on this 6<sup>th</sup> day of June 2022.

D. SUZIE MANKIN  
Notary Public - Notary Seal  
State of Missouri  
Commissioned for Cole County  
My Commission Expires: April 04, 2025  
Commission Number: 12412070

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

## Michael L. Stahlman

### Education

- 2009 M. S., Agricultural Economics, University of Missouri, Columbia.  
2007 B.A., Economics, Summa Cum Laude, Westminster College, Fulton, MO.

### Professional Experience

- 2010 - Regulatory Economist, Missouri Public Service Commission  
2007 – 2009 Graduate Research Assistant, University of Missouri  
2008 Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Missouri  
2007 American Institute for Economic Research (AIER) Summer Fellowship Program  
2006 Price Analysis Intern, Food and Agricultural Policy Research Institute (FAPRI), Columbia, MO  
2006 Legislative Intern for State Representative Munzlinger  
2005 – 2006 Certified Tutor in Macroeconomics, Westminster College, Fulton, MO  
1998 – 2004 Engineering Watch Supervisor, United States Navy

### Expert Witness Testimony

- Union Electric Company d/b/a AmerenUE GR-2010-0363  
In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a AmerenUE for Authority to File Tariffs Increasing Rates for Natural Gas Service Provided to Customers in the Company's Missouri Service Area
- Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri GT-2011-0410  
In the Matter of the Union Electric Company's (d/b/a Ameren Missouri) Gas Service Tariffs Removing Certain Provisions for Rebates from Its Missouri Energy Efficient Natural Gas Equipment and Building Shell Measure Rebate Program
- KCP&L Great Missouri Operations Company EO-2012-0009  
In the Matter of KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company's Notice of Intent to File an Application for Authority to Establish a Demand-Side Programs Investment Mechanism
- Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri EO-2012-0142  
In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Filing to Implement Regulatory Changes Furtherance of Energy Efficiency as Allowed by MEEIA
- Kansas City Power & Light Company EO-2012-0323  
In the Matter of the Resource Plan of Kansas City Power & Light Company
- KCP&L Great Missouri Operations Company EO-2012-0324  
In the Matter of the Resource Plan of KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company
- Kansas City Power & Light Company, KCP&L Great Missouri Operations Company, and Transource Missouri EA-2013-0098  
EO-2012-0367  
In the Matter of the Application of Transource Missouri, LLC for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity Authorizing it to Construct, Finance, Own, Operate, and Maintain the Iatan-Nashua and Sibley-Nebraska City Electric Transmission Projects

**cont'd Expert Witness Testimony**  
**Michael L. Stahlman**

---

Kansas City Power & Light Company	EO-2012-0135
KCP&L Great Missouri Operations Company	EO-2012-0136
In the Matter of the Application of Kansas City Power & Light Company [KCP&L Great Missouri Operations Company] for Authority to Extend the Transfer of Functional Control of Certain Transmission Assets to the Southwest Power Pool, Inc.	
Kansas City Power & Light Company	EU-2014-0077
KCP&L Great Missouri Operations Company	
In the Matter of the Application of Kansas City Power & Light Company and KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company for the Issuance of an Accounting Authority Order relating to their Electrical Operations and for a Contingent Waiver of the Notice Requirement of 4 CSR 240-4.020(2)	
Kansas City Power & Light Company	EO-2014-0095
In the Matter of Kansas City Power & Light Company's Notice of Intent to File an Application for Authority To Establish a Demand-Side Programs Investment Mechanism	
Veolia Energy Kansas City, Inc	HR-2014-0066
In the Matter of Veolia Energy Kansas City, Inc for Authority to File Tariffs to Increase Rates	
Grain Belt Express Clean Line, LLC	EA-2014-0207
In the Matter of the Application of Grain Belt Express Clean Line LLC for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity Authorizing It to Construct, Own, Operate, Control, Manage, and Maintain a High Voltage, Direct Current Transmission Line and an Associated Converter Station Providing an Interconnection on the Maywood - Montgomery 345 kV Transmission Line	
Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri	ER-2014-0258
In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Tariff to Increase Its Revenues for Electric Service	
Empire District Electric Company	ER-2014-0351
In the Matter of The Empire District Electric Company for Authority to File Tariffs Increasing Rates for Electric Service Provided to Customers in the Company's Missouri Service Area	
Kansas City Power & Light Company	ER-2014-0370
In the Matter of Kansas City Power & Light Company's Request for Authority to Implement a General Rate Increase for Electric Service	
Kansas City Power & Light Company	EO-2014-0240
In the Matter of Kansas City Power & Light Company's Filing for Approval of Demand-Side Programs and for Authority to Establish a Demand-Side Programs Investment Mechanism	
KCP&L Great Missouri Operations Company	EO-2014-0241
In the Matter of KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company's Filing for Approval of Demand-Side Programs and for Authority to Establish a Demand-Side Programs Investment Mechanism	

**cont'd Expert Witness Testimony**  
**Michael L. Stahlman**

---

- Ameren Transmission Company of Illinois EA-2015-0146  
In the Matter of the Application of Ameren Transmission Company of Illinois for Other Relief or, in the Alternative, a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity Authorizing it to Construct, Install, Own, Operate, Maintain and Otherwise Control and Manage a 345,000-volt Electric Transmission Line from Palmyra, Missouri to the Iowa Border and an Associated Substation Near Kirksville, Missouri
- Empire District Electric Company ER-2016-0023  
In the Matter of The Empire District Electric Company's Request for Authority to Implement a General Rate Increase for Electric Service
- KCP&L Great Missouri Operations Company ER-2016-0156  
In the Matter of KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company's Request for Authority to Implement a General Rate Increase for Electric Service
- Kansas City Power & Light Company ER-2016-0285  
In the Matter of Kansas City Power & Light Company's Request for Authority to Implement A General Rate Increase for Electric Service
- Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri ER-2016-0179  
In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Tariff to Increase Its Revenues for Electric Service
- Grain Belt Express Clean Line, LLC EA-2016-0358  
In the Matter of the Application of Grain Belt Express Clean Line LLC for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity Authorizing it to Construct, Own, Operate, Control, Manage and Maintain a High Voltage, Direct Current Transmission Line and an Associated Converter Station Providing an Interconnection on the Maywood-Montgomery 345kV transmission line.
- Spire Missouri, Inc. GR-2017-0215 and GR-2017-0216  
In the Matter of Spire Missouri, Inc.'s Request to Increase Its Revenues for Gas Service
- Liberty Utilities GR-2018-0013  
In the Matter of Liberty Utilities (Midstates Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities' Tariff Revisions Designed to Implement a General Rate Increase for Natural Gas Service in the Missouri Service Areas of the Company
- Spire Missouri, Inc. GO-2019-0058 and GO-2019-0059  
In the Matter of Spire Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Spire's Request to Decrease [Increase] WNAR
- Grain Belt Express Clean Line LLC EM-2019-0150  
Invenergy Transmission LLC  
Invenergy Investment Company LLC  
In the Matter of the Joint Application of Invenergy Transmission LLC, Invenergy Investment Company LLC, Grain Belt Express Clean Line LLC and Grain Belt Express Holding LLC for an Order Approving the Acquisition by Invenergy Transmission LLC of Grain Belt Express Clean Line LLC



**cont'd Expert Witness Testimony**  
**Michael L. Stahlman**

---

Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Tariffs to Increase its Revenues for Natural Gas Service	GR-2019-0077
Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Tariffs to Decrease Its Revenues for Electric Service	ER-2019-0335
Empire District Electric Company In the Matter of The Empire District Electric Company's Request for Authority to File Tariffs Increasing Rates for Electric Service Provided to Customers in its Missouri Service Area	ER-2019-0374
Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri In the Matter of the Application of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri for Permission and Approval and a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity Under 20 CSR 4240-3.105	EA-2020-0371
Spire Missouri, Inc. In the Matter of Spire Missouri Inc.'s d/b/a Spire Request for Authority to Implement a General Rate Increase for Natural Gas Service Provided in the Company's Missouri Service Areas	GR-2021-0108
Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Tariffs to Adjust Its Revenues for Electric Service	ER-2021-0240
Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Tariffs to Adjust Its Revenues for Natural Gas Service	GR-2021-0241
The Empire District Electric Company In the Matter of the Request of The Empire District Electric Company d/b/a Liberty for Authority to File Tariffs Increasing Rates for Electric Service Provided to Customers in its Missouri Service Area	ER-2021-0312
The Empire District Gas Company In the Matter of The Empire District Gas Company's d/b/a Liberty Request to File Tariffs to Change its Rates for Natural Gas Service	GR-2021-0320
Ameren Transmission Company of Illinois In the Matter of the Application of Ameren Transmission Company of Illinois for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity Under Section 393.170.1, RSMo. Relating to Transmission Investments in Southeast Missouri	EA-2022-0099
Evergy Metro, Inc d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro In the Matter of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro's Request for Authority to Implement A General Rate Increase for Electric Service	ER-2022-0129
Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West In the Matter of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West's Request for Authority to Implement A General Rate Increase for Electric Service	ER-2022-0130

**cont'd Expert Witness Testimony**  
**Michael L. Stahlman**

---

**Selected Manuscripts**

Stahlman, Michael and Laura M.J. McCann. "Technology Characteristics, Choice Architecture and Farmer Knowledge: The Case of Phytase." *Agriculture and Human Values* (2012) 29: 371-379.

Stahlman, Michael. "The Amoral of Signals." Awarded in top 50 authors for SEVEN Fund essay competition, "The Morality of Profit."

**Selected Posters**

Stahlman, Michael, Laura M.J. McCann, and Haluk Gedikoglou. "Adoption of Phytase by Livestock Farmers." Selected poster at the American Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL, July 27-29, 2008. Also presented at the USDA/CSREES Annual Meeting in St. Louis, MO in February 2009.

McCann, Laura, Haluk Gedikoglu, Bob Broz, John Lory, Ray Massey, and Michael Stahlman. "Farm Size and Adoption of BMPs by AFOs." Selected poster at the 5<sup>th</sup> National Small Farm Conference in Springfield, IL in September 2009.