

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

In the Matter of Spire Missouri Inc.’s ) Case No. GO-2019-0058  
d/b/a Spire’s Request to Decrease WNAR ) Tracking No. YG-2019-0039

In the Matter of Spire Missouri Inc.’s d/b/a ) Case No. GO-2019-0059  
Spire’s Request to Increase its WNAR ) Tracking No. YG-2019-0040

**PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

COMES NOW Spire Missouri Inc, d/b/a Spire (“Spire” or “Company”), on behalf of its operating units, Spire East and Spire West, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”) and the Office of the Public Counsel (“OPC”) (collectively “the Parties”) and for their proposed procedural schedule in the above captioned cases, state as follows:

1. By Order dated October 2, 2018, the Commission directed the Parties to file a proposed procedural schedule in the above captioned proceedings by no later than October 16, 2018. Pursuant to that directive, the Parties recommend that the following procedural schedule be adopted by the Commission.

November 16, 2018	Parties file direct testimony
December 20, 2018	Parties file rebuttal testimony
December 27, 2018	Last day to submit discovery
January 7, 2019	Parties file List of Issues, Identification of Witnesses, Order of Cross Examination
January 11, 2019	Parties file Statements of Position
January 15-16, 2019	Evidentiary Hearing
January 25, 2019	Briefs

2. The Parties believe that the schedule set forth herein, including its provision for only two rounds of testimony and one round of briefs is sufficient given the relatively limited

nature of the matters at issue. For those same reasons, the Parties do not believe that there is a need to accelerate discovery other than for the period subsequent to the filing of direct testimony. After that date, objections to discovery requests shall be made within 5 business days and responses shall be provided within 10 business days.

3. The schedule being proposed herein has been structured to hopefully provide the Commission with sufficient time to decide the limited issues in this proceeding and issue its Order so that the results of the Commission decisions can be reflected in the next set of WNAR filings made by the Company, which are currently scheduled to be filed on March 1, 2019.

**WHEREFORE**, for the foregoing reasons, the undersigned parties respectfully request that the Commission approve the procedural schedule proposed herein.

Respectfully submitted,

SPIRE MISSOURI INC.

**/s/ Michael C. Pendergast**

Michael C. Pendergast, #31763

Of Counsel

Fischer & Dority, P.C.

Telephone: (314) 288-8723

Email: [mcp2015law@icloud.com](mailto:mcp2015law@icloud.com)

**/s/ Rick Zucker**

Rick Zucker, #49211

Zucker Law LLC

Telephone: (314) 575-5557

14412 White Pine Ridge

Chesterfield, MO

E-mail: [zuckerlaw21@gmail.com](mailto:zuckerlaw21@gmail.com)

**/s/ Jeffrey A. Keevil**

Jeffrey A. Keevil  
Missouri Bar No. 33825  
P. O. Box 360  
Jefferson City, MO 65102  
(573) 526-4887 (Telephone)  
(573) 751-9285 (Fax)  
Email: [jeff.keevil@psc.mo.gov](mailto:jeff.keevil@psc.mo.gov)

Attorney for the STAFF OF THE MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**/s/ Lera L. Shemwell**

Lera Shemwell, Mo. Bar No. 43792  
Senior Counsel  
PO Box 2230  
Jefferson City, MO 65102  
P: (573) 751-5565  
F: (573) 751-5562  
E-mail: [lera.shemwell@ded.mo.gov](mailto:lera.shemwell@ded.mo.gov)

Attorney for OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC  
COUNSEL

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing pleading was served on Staff and the Office of the Public Counsel, on this 16th day of October 2018 by hand-delivery, fax, electronic mail or by regular mail, postage prepaid.

**/s/ Rick Zucker**

---