

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office
in Jefferson City on the 7th day
of November, 2018.

In the Matter of Spire Missouri, Inc.)	<u>File No. GR-2019-0120</u>
d/b/a Spire West Annual PGA Filing)	Tracking No. YG-2019-0071

ORDER APPROVING PGA TARIFF

Issue Date: November 7, 2018

Effective Date: November 15, 2018

On October 31, 2018, Spire Missouri, Inc., d/b/a Spire West (the “Company”) filed proposed tariff sheets, Tariff YG-2019-0071, reflecting changes in the Company’s Purchased Gas Adjustment (PGA) as a result of estimated changes in the cost of natural gas. The proposed tariff sheets have a November 15, 2018 effective date. For the Company’s service areas, the tariff filing will decrease the PGA factor from \$0.51977 per hundred cubic feet (Ccf) to \$0.48438 per Ccf for general service customers.

On October 31, the Commission ordered Staff to file its recommendations with respect to the Company’s proposed tariff sheets¹ and allowed any other entity time to respond to the proposed tariff sheets. Staff filed its recommendation on November 6. Staff recommended approving the tariff on an interim basis, subject to refund, pending final decision with regard to the Actual Cost Adjustment (ACA) account balance in Case Nos GR-2019-0120, GR-2017-0300, and GR-2016-0225. Staff also recommended that the Commission order Staff’s Procurement Analysis Department (PAD) to file the results of its

¹ The Commission’s October 31, 2018 Order referenced Tariff Tracking No. YG-2019-0068; however, the Tariff Tracking No. assigned to this filing is YG-2019-0071, as stated in EFIS Item No. 1 and in Staff’s Recommendation, EFIS Item No. 3.

review of the ACA factors represented in this filing no later than December 17, 2019. No other entity filed a response to the proposed tariff sheets.

The Commission has reviewed the proposed tariff sheets and Staff's recommendation. Based on the verified filings, the Commission independently finds that the proposed tariff sheets conform to the Company's Commission-approved PGA Clause. In addition, because the Company's PGA clause allows for PGA change filings to take effect on ten-days' notice, good cause has been shown pursuant to Section 393.140(11), RSMO 2016, to permit the tariff sheets and this order to become effective on less than 30-days' notice. The Commission concludes the proposed tariff sheets should be approved to become effective on November 15, on an interim basis, subject to refund, pending a final Commission decision in this file.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Tariff assigned Tracking No. YG-2019-0071 is approved on an interim basis and subject to refund, to become effective on November 15, 2018.
2. Staff's Procurement Analysis Department shall file the results of its review of the ACA factors represented in this filing no later than December 17, 2019.
3. This order shall become effective on November 15, 2018.



BY THE COMMISSION

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

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Silvey, Chm., Kenney, Hall, Rupp, and
Coleman, CC., concur.

Graham, Regulatory Law Judge