

September 15, 2020

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Mr. Morris Woodruff, Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, MO 65102

RE: The Empire District Electric Company Case No. ET-2020-0259

Dear Judge Woodruff:

On April 17, 2020, The Empire District Electric Company ("Liberty") filed an application for approval of a Community Solar Pilot Program, along with proposed tariff sheets. Those tariff sheets (Tracking No. YE-2020-0182) were filed as part of PSC MO No. 5. Through voluntary extensions, those tariff sheets now bear a proposed effective date of October 15, 2020.

Since the initial filing of the Community Solar Pilot Program application and tariff sheets, Liberty continued to work with Staff on program design and costs. Also, in the interim, the complete tariff book was replaced to reflect the addition of the fictitious name "Liberty" for The Empire District Electric Company (moving from PSC MO No. 5 to PSC MO No. 6).

Given the foregoing, the Community Solar Pilot Program tariff sheets filed on April 17, 2020, are being withdrawn, and new Community Solar Pilot Program tariff sheets are being submitted herewith. These new tariff sheets bear an issue date of September 15, 2020, and an effective date of October 15, 2020. A redlined version showing all changes from the original submission is being provided to Staff and OPC.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns regarding Liberty's Community Solar Pilot Program, and please bring these tariff actions to the attention of the Commissioners and the appropriate Commission personnel.

Sincerely,

Diana Carter