### STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February, 2022.

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

In the Matter of the Application of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri for Approval to Expand Its Community Solar Pilot Program and Associated Tariff File No. EA-2020-0371 Tariff No. JE-2022-0214

File No. ET-2020-0022 Tariff No. JE-2022-0214

# NOTICE THAT TARIFF WILL BE ALLOWED TO GO INTO EFFECT

Issue Date: February 23, 2022

On January 28, 2022, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri, the Staff of the Commission, Renew Missouri Advocates d/b/a Renew Missouri, and the Office of the Public Counsel (collectively the "Signatories") filed a *Joint Motion to Approve Revised Tariff Sheet* in both of the above-captioned files. The Signatories requested the Commission allow a modification of Ameren Missouri's community solar tariff, Tariff No. JE-2022-0214, to become effective on February 27, 2022.

The revision to the tariff will extend the deadline for refunds of Ameren Missouri's Community Solar Participation Fees from March 31, 2022 to June 30, 2022. The Signatories explained that manufacturer delays as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic delayed the Montgomery County Community Solar Energy Center coming into service. The Signatories also explained that the purpose of the tariff provision directing refunds of participation fees was to ensure that, if enrollments languished and Ameren Missouri had not completed either its first or second community solar projects, there was a date certain when customer enrollment fees would be returned. However, due to COVID-19, unexpected manufacturer delays caused a vendor for racking components to be unable to comply with the original schedule. These delays, in turn, caused the in-service date of the Montgomery County Community Solar Energy Center to be delayed. Thus, the Signatories request that the Commission allow Ameren Missouri to modify the tariff provision to extend the date for required refunds by three months.

The Commission set a time for responses to the motion and proposed tariff sheet and none were received. The Commission has reviewed the unopposed tariff modification and will allow the tariff sheet to become effective by operation of law on February 27, 2022.



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Silvey, Chm., Rupp, Coleman, Holsman, and Kolkmeyer CC., concur.

Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge

## 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 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February, 2022.



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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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### February 23, 2022

#### File/Case No. EA-2020-0371 and ET-2020-0022

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