STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 15th day of November, 2018.

| In the Matter of Summit Natural Gas of) | |
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| Missouri, Inc., Changes to Company's | File No. GR-2019-0125 |
| Purchased Gas Adjustment "PGA" Clause) | Tariff No. YG-2019-0077 |

ORDER APPROVING PGA TARIFF

Issue Date: November 15, 2018 Effective Date: November 19, 2018

Summit Natural Gas Company of Missouri, Inc., ("Summit") filed proposed tariff sheets, Tariff No. YG-2019-0077, reflecting changes in its Purchased Gas Adjustment ("PGA"). Those changes are a result of estimated changes in the cost of natural gas and as a result of changes in its Actual Cost Adjustment ("ACA") factors. The proposed tariff sheets have a November 19, 2018 effective date.

The changes applicable to the Gallatin Division will decrease the firm sales customers' Total PGA from \$0.4507 per hundred cubic feet ("Ccf") to \$0.4280 per Ccf. The proposed change represents a \$0.0227 per Ccf decrease. The changes applicable to the Warsaw and Lake of the Ozarks Divisions will decrease the firm sales customers' Total PGA from \$0.4336 per Ccf to \$0.3903 per Ccf. The proposed change represents a \$0.0433 per Ccf decrease. The changes applicable to the Company's Rogersville and Branson Divisions will decrease the firm sales customers' Total PGA from \$0.5122 per Ccf to \$0.4599 per Ccf. The proposed change represents a \$0.0523 per Ccf decrease.

The Staff of the Commission ("Staff") filed its verified recommendation on November 9, 2018. Staff recommended approving the tariff on an interim basis, subject to refund, pending final decisions with regard to the Actual Cost Adjustment (ACA) account balance in this file and in the 2016-2017 ACA file, GR-2018-0106. The

Procurement Analysis Department of Staff stated it will review Summit's ACA filing and requests permission to submit its results and recommendations on or before December 17, 2019.

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 Summit's Commission-approved PGA Clause. In addition, because Summit'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 19, 2018, on an interim basis, subject to refund, pending final Commission decision in this file and File No. GR-2018-0106.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The tariff assigned Tracking No. YG-2019-0077 is approved, on an interim basis and subject to refund, to become effective on November 19, 2018.
- 2. Staff shall submit its results and recommendations regarding the information included in this ACA filing on or before December 17, 2019.
 - 3. This order shall become effective on November 19, 2018.

BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff

Secretary

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

Pridgin, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge