

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

In the Matter of the Application of Evergy)
Metro Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro for)
Authority to Issue Debt Securities)

File No. EF-2020-0301

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

COMES NOW the Staff ("Staff") of the Missouri Public Service Commission, by and through counsel, and for its *Motion for Extension*, states as follows:

1. Evergy Metro Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro filed its *Application to Issue Debt Securities, Request for Waiver of 60-day Notice, and Motion for Expedited Treatment* on April 10, 2020.

2. Thereafter the Commission ordered Staff to file a recommendation on Evergy Missouri Metro's application no later than April 23, 2020.

3. Staff sent out data requests on April 13, 2020. Staff has not received all of the responses to data requests necessary to complete its investigation. In particular, it would be helpful for Staff to review certain first quarter 2020 financial information for Evergy prior to making its recommendation in this case. Staff expects such information will be available from Evergy shortly.

4. For these reasons, Staff requests an additional 8 days to file its recommendation, until May 1, 2020. An additional extension request may be necessary in the event there are delays in receipt of the outstanding data request responses from Evergy.

WHEREFORE, Staff prays that the Commission will grant it an additional 8 days until May 1, 2020 within which to complete its investigation and file its report; and such other and further relief as the Commission deems just in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that true and correct copies of the foregoing were served electronically to all counsel of record this 23rd day of April, 2020.

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