# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of a Workshop Case to )
Explore the Ratemaking Process )

File No. AW-2019-0127

# ORDER OPENING A WORKING CASE TO CONSIDER THE RATEMAKING PROCESS

Issue Date: November 6, 2018 Effective Date: November 6, 2018

The Commission is opening this case at the request of its Staff to assist Staff in its review and consideration of the Commission's ratemaking procedure. As part of that review, Staff has scheduled a workshop to be held in Room 470 of the Governor Office Building from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on November 29, 2018.

This file shall serve as a repository for documents and comments. Using this file, anyone with an interest in this matter may view documents and may submit any pertinent responsive comments or documents. As this is not a contested case, anyone may file a comment without counsel and without *ex parte* constraints (arising from this matter). Intervention requests are not necessary to submit comments or view documents.

The public is welcome to submit comments by forwarding electronic communications through the Commission's electronic filing and information system (EFIS) or by mailing written comments. You may submit electronic comments at the Commission's website at <a href="http://www.psc.mo.gov">http://www.psc.mo.gov</a>. (Click on Access EFIS link on the right side of the page. Scroll down and click on the public comment link. Please refer to File No. AW-2019-0127). Written comments in hard copy should be addressed to the Commission at P.O. Box 360, Jefferson

City, Missouri 65102 and should also reference File No. AW-2019-0127. The public can view the contents of the file by following the link at <a href="http://www.psc.mo.gov">http://www.psc.mo.gov</a>.

### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. This case is established as a repository for documents and comments regarding Staff's review and consideration of the Commission's ratemaking procedure.
- 2. The Commission's data center shall mail a copy of this order to all Missouri electrical corporations, gas corporations, heating companies, water corporations with more than 8,000 customers, and sewer corporations with more than 8,000 customers, to the Office of the Public Counsel, and to all intervening parties in the most recent rate cases for each natural gas corporation, electrical corporation, heating company, water corporation with more than 8,000 customers, and sewer corporation with more than 8,000 customers.<sup>1</sup>
  - 3. This order shall be effective when issued.

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BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Those rate cases are as follows: Ameren Missouri (Electric) – ER-2016-0179; Kansas City Power & Light – ER-2018-0145; KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company – ER-2018-0146; The Empire District Electric Company – ER-2016-0023; Ameren Missouri (Gas) – GR-2010-0363; Summit Natural Gas – GR-2014-0086; Spire (East) – GR-2017-0215; Spire (West) – GR-2017-0216; Missouri-American Water Company – WR-2017-0285; The Empire District Gas Company – (No such rate case); Liberty Utilities – GR-2018-0013; KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company (Steam) – HR-2009-0092; Veolia Energy Kansas City – HR-2018-0341

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 6<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2018.

### 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 7<sup>th</sup> day of November 2018.

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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### November 7, 2018

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Sincerely,

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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Distributed to all Missouri Electrical Corporations, Gas Corporations, Heating Companies, Water Corporations with more than 8,000 customers, and Sewer Corporations with more than 8,000 customers, to the Office of the Public Counsel, and to all intervening parties in the most recent rate cases for each Natural Gas Corporation, Electrical Corporation, Heating Company, Water Corporation with more than 8,000 customers, and Sewer Corporation with more than 8,000 customers.

Recipients listed above with a valid e-mail address will receive electronic service. Recipients without a valid e-mail address will receive paper service.