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 April, 2009.

Effective Date: April 15, 2009

In the Matter of the Application of Nancy and)
Ron Gilkey, Jr. for a Change of Electrical Supplier)

File No. EO-2009-0315

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO ADD PARTIES

Issue Date April 15, 2009

On March 5, 2009,¹ Nancy and Ron Gilkey asked the Commission to allow them to change their electrical supplier from the City of Rich Hill, Missouri (hereafter "Rich Hill") to Osage Valley Electric Cooperative (hereafter "Osage Valley"). On March 25, Staff filed Staff's Motion to Add Parties.

Staff explains that it desires that Rich Hill and Osage Valley to be made parties, so that any Commission order would be binding upon them, and so Staff can submit data requests regarding the Gilkeys' safety and service concerns. Staff served a copy of its motion on Rich Hill and Osage Valley on March 25.

Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(15) allows ten days for response to pleadings. The Commission received no response from Rich Hill or from Osage Valley. As such, the Commission will take up Staff's motion unopposed.

The Commission finds Staff's request reasonable, and will grant it.

¹ All calendar references are to 2009 unless otherwise stated.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Staff's Motion to Add Parties is granted.
- 2. The City of Rich Hill, Missouri and Osage Valley Electric Cooperative are parties to this case.
 - 3. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Clayton, Chm., Davis, and Gunn, CC., concur. Murray, C., dissents.

Jarrett, C. dissents; separate dissenting opinion may follow.

Pridgin, Senior Regulatory Law Judge