

# **Agenda**

## **Missouri Public Service Commission**

### **Rate Design Modification Workshop**

Room 450 (Ballroom) Governor Office Building  
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### **Wednesday, June 29, 2011 – 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM**

- 10:00 AM – 10:30 AM      Welcome, Introductions, Objectives and Housekeeping Discussion
- 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM      Discussion of Meaning of Statutory Language
  - ✓ What is meant by “rate design modification”?
  - ✓ What is decoupling?
  - ✓ Is decoupling a rate design modification?
  - ✓ Is decoupling lawful in Missouri?
  - ✓ What is meant by “cost recovery”?
  - ✓ What is meant by “study the effects”? What are we to study the effects on? Rates, utility earnings, customer savings etc.?
  - ✓ Other issues related to statutory language
- 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM      Lunch (on your own)
- 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM      Discussion of How to Fulfill Legislative Directive
  - ✓ What is the relationship of a rate design modification to the MEEIA rules?
  - ✓ How does this process start: Does the statutory language mean that we first need a specific proposal to study?
  - ✓ Other issues related to how to fulfill legislative directive
- 2:30 PM – 3:00 PM      Summary, Next Steps and Closing
  - ✓ What should come out of this workshop? Report to Commission, assigned work group(s), plan to draft rules, etc.?
  - ✓ Any preference regarding timeline and/or frequency of future workshops?
  - ✓ Other issues related to next steps

