# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

| In the Matter of the Application of Evergy | ) |                           |
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| Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri  | ) | File No. EO-2022-0061     |
| West for Approval of a Wholesale Energy    | ) | Tracking No. YE-2023-0024 |
| Market Rate for a Data Center Facility in  | ) | -                         |
| Kansas City, Missouri                      | ) |                           |

### STAFF RECOMMENDATION TO APPROVE COMPLIANCE TARIFF SHEETS

**COMES NOW** Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and files its Staff Recommendation to Approve Compliance Tariff Sheets, and in support thereof states as follows:

- 1. On July 29, 2022, Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West ("EMW" or "Company") filed tariff sheets in this proceeding purporting to be in compliance with the Commission's *Second Amended Report and Order* ("Order") issued herein on May 18, 2022. The submitted tariff sheets contain a proposed effective date of August 28, 2022, and were assigned Tariff Tracking No. YE-2023-0024.
- 2. In its Order Directing Expedited Responses to Compliance Tariff, issued herein on July 29, 2022, the Commission directed Staff to file a recommendation, on or before August 11, 2022, as to whether the submitted tariff sheets comply with the Commission's Order.
- 3. Staff has reviewed the tariff sheets filed in Tariff Tracking No. YE-2023-0024, and recommends the Commission approve them as being in compliance with the Order, with an effective date of August 28, 2022, as requested by EMW.
- 4. This pleading is verified by the affidavit of J Luebbert, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

**WHEREFORE**, Staff recommends the Commission issue an order approving the following compliance tariff sheets filed in this matter and assigned Tariff Tracking No. YE-2023-0024, with an effective date of August 28, 2022, as requested by EMW:

## Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West P.S.C. MO. No. 1

Original Sheet No. 158 Original Sheet No. 158.1 Original Sheet No. 158.2 Original Sheet No. 158.3 Original Sheet No. 158.4 Original Sheet No. 158.5

Respectfully submitted,

#### /s/ Jeffrey A. Keevil

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, or transmitted by facsimile or electronic mail to counsel of record as reflected on the certified service list maintained by the Commission in its Electronic Filing Information System this 11<sup>th</sup> day of August 2022.

/s/ Jeffrey A. Keevil

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| AFFIDAVIT OF J LUEBBERT  |
| STATE OF MISSOURI ) ) ss. COUNTY OF COLE )   |
| COMES NOW J LUEBBERT and on his oath declares that he is of sound mind and lawfu age; that she contributed to the foregoing Staff Recommendation to Approve Compliance Tariff Sheets; and that the same is true and correct according to his best knowledge and belief.  Further the Affiant sayeth not.  J LUEBBERT |
| JURAT  |
| Subscribed and sworn before me, a duly constituted and authorized Notary Public, in and fo the County of Cole, State of Missouri, at my office in Jefferson City, on this day of August, 2022.   |
| DIANNA L VAUGHT  Notary Public - Notary Seal  STATE OF MISSOURI  Cole County  My Commission Expires: July 18, 2023  Commission #: 15207377   |