

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Evergy)
Missouri West, Inc., d/b/a Evergy Missouri West)
and the City of Higginsville for Approval of a) **File No. EO-2021-0388**
Written Territorial Agreement Designating the) Tracking No.: YE-2022-0038
Boundaries of each Electric Service Supplier in) YE-2022-0039
Portions of Lafayette County, Missouri.)

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: August 24, 2021

Effective Date: August 24, 2021

On August 4, 2021,¹ The Commission issued its Report and Order Approving Territorial Agreement. The Report and Order required Evergy Missouri West, Inc., d/b/a Evergy West (Evergy) to file compliance tariff sheets describing the modification of its service territory which include a metes and bounds legal description of the affected parcels no later than October 3.

On August 18, Evergy filed a compliance tariff revision pursuant to the Commission's Report and Order with an effective date of September 3. The tracking number is YE-2022-0038. On August 18, the Commission ordered the Commission Staff (Staff) to file a recommendation no later than August 23 on the compliance tariff and set that date as the deadline for objections or comments. On August 23, the Staff filed its Recommendation to Approve Tariff Sheets. No objections or comments were filed. Staff recommended approval of tariff sheets YE-2022-0038, except that Staff did so on the express stated assumption that substitute sheets would be filed removing owners' names.

On August 23, Evergy filed Tariff Revision tracking number YE-2022-0039, with an effective date of September 22. Evergy did not, however, withdraw YE-2022-0038, and,

¹ All date references will be to 2021 unless otherwise indicated.

thus, two tariffs now stand issued with two pending effective dates. Until this error is corrected and only one tariff is the subject of a Staff recommendation and submitted for approval, the Commission cannot consider approving a tariff. The Commission will order Evergy to file whatever corrective pleadings it deems appropriate.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. No later than noon on August 27, 2021, Evergy shall file such corrective pleadings as it deems appropriate in order to address the errors identified in the body of this order.
2. No later than noon on August 30, 2021, the Commission Staff shall file a recommendation.
3. Any party wishing to comment or object to any pleading Evergy files responsive to this order shall do so no later than noon on August 30, 2021.
4. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Paul T. Graham, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 24th day of August, 2021.


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 24th day of August, 2021.





Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

August 24, 2021

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,



Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

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