BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the First Prudence Review of the Missouri Energy Efficiency Investment Act (MEEIA) Cycle 3 Energy Efficiency Programs and Cycle 2 Long-Lead Projects of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West)) File No. EO-2021-0416)
In the Matter of the First Prudence Review of the Missouri Energy Efficiency Investment Act (MEEIA) Cycle 3 Energy Efficiency Programs and Cycle 2 Long-Lead Projects of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro)) <u>File No. EO-2021-0417</u>)

ORDER GRANTING SECOND EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE A SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT OR STATUS REPORT

Issue Date: May 3, 2022 Effective Date: May 3, 2022

On March 7, 2022, the Commission issued an order suspending the procedural schedule in these cases, directing Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro and Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West (collectively "Evergy") to file a status report no later than April 1, 2022 apprising the Commission whether settlement discussions are likely to produce a settlement agreement. Evergy filed a timely status report in response to that order and on April 1, 2022, the Commission issued an order granting an extension of time and directing the parties to file a settlement agreement or a status report advising the Commission whether it believed that ongoing settlement discussions will result in settlement by May 2, 2022. On May 2, 2022, Evergy filed a status report explaining that the parties have been conducting settlement discussions and requesting an extension of time to file a settlement agreement or another status report. Evergy requests until May 23, 2022 to do so.

The Commission finds Evergy's request reasonable and will order Evergy to file a settlement agreement or another status report no later than May 23, 2022.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Evergy Missouri Metro and Evergy Missouri West shall file either a settlement agreement, or another status report apprising the Commission whether settlement discussions are likely to produce a settlement agreement, no later than May 23, 2022.
 - 2. This Order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Ross Keeling, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 3rd day of May, 2022.

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 3rd day of May, 2022.

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Morris L. Woodruff

Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION May 3, 2022

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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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