# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of The	)
Empire District Electric Company d/b/a	)
Liberty and White River Valley Electric	)
Cooperative for Approval of the Second	) File No. EO-2022-0132
Amendment to their Sixth Territorial	)
Agreement, as amended, Designating the	)
Boundaries of Exclusive Service Areas of	)
Each Applicant Within the Rainbow Shoals	)
Subdivision in Taney County, Missouri	)

#### **NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY**

Issue Date: November 12, 2021

On November 10, 2021, The Empire District Electric Company d/b/a Liberty (Liberty) and White River Valley Electric Cooperative (White River) filed a Joint Application for approval of the Second Amendment to their Sixth Territorial Agreement, dated October 14, 2008 and approved by the Commission by order dated June 10, 2009 in Case No. EO-2009-0284. Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-4.017 requires that an applicant file a notice at least 60 days before filing their application. That requirement can be waived by the Commission for good cause. Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-4.017(D) provides that good cause for a waiver of the 60-day notice requirement may include "a verified declaration from the filing party that is has had no communication with the office of the commission within the prior one hundred fifty (150) days regarding any substantive issue likely to be in the case or that circumstances prevented filing the required notice and delaying the filing for sixty (60) days would cause harm.

The Commission will not take action on Liberty's and White River's joint motion for approval of amendment to their Territorial Agreement until this deficiency is corrected.



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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2021.

BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff

Secretary

### 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 12<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2021.

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

## MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION November 12, 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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