# STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2022.

In the Matter of the Fourth Prudence Review of Costs Subject to the Commission-Approved Fuel Adjustment Clause of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro	) ) ) )	File No. EO-2022-0064
In the Matter of the Tenth Prudence Review of Costs Subject to the Commission-Approved Fuel Adjustment Clause of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West	) ) )	<u>File No. EO-2022-0065</u>

#### ORDER SETTING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Issue Date: April 13, 2022 Effective Date: April 13, 2022

On February 28, 2022, the Staff of the Commission (Staff) filed its recommendations following its Fourth and Tenth FAC prudence reviews for Evergy Metro, Inc. (EMM) and Evergy Missouri West, Inc. (EMW). On March 7, 2022, EMM and EMW requested a hearing.

The Commission directed the parties to produce a proposed procedural schedule. On April 7, 2022, on behalf of EMM, EMW, the Office of the Public Counsel (OPC), and itself, Staff submitted a joint proposed procedural schedule. The Commission finds the joint proposed procedural schedule as applied to each file to be reasonable, and will adopt it as set forth by the parties, but with a modification to the make the Statements of Position

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Corrected Joint Proposed Procedural Schedule, filed April 7, 2022.

due two days earlier so that the Commissioners have the statements at least one week in advance of the hearing.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The following procedural schedule is established:

May 6, 2022 Direct Testimony

June 6, 2022 Rebuttal Testimony

June 21, 2022 Settlement Conference

July 6, 2022 Surrebuttal Testimony

July 15, 2022 List of Issues, Witnesses, and Exhibits

July 19, 2022 Statements of Position

July 27-28, 2022 Evidentiary Hearing

- 2. The Commission shall hold an evidentiary hearing on July 27 and 28, 2022, beginning at 8:30 a.m. each day. The combined hearing for EO-2022-0064 and EO-2022-0065 shall be held at the Commission's office at the Governor Office Building, Room 310, 200 Madison Street, Jefferson City, Missouri. This building meets accessibility standards required by the Americans with Disabilities Act. If you need additional accommodations to participate in this hearing, please call the Public Service Commission's Hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 before the hearing.
  - 3. The parties shall comply with the following procedures:
    - (a) All parties must comply with the requirements of Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.130 for prepared testimony, including the requirement that testimony be filed on line-numbered pages.

- (b) Although not all parties may agree upon how each issue should be described or on whether a listed issue is in fact a proper issue in this case, the parties shall agree upon and file a list of the issues to be heard, the witnesses to appear on each day of the hearing, the order in which they will be called, and the order of cross-examination for each witness. The list of issues should be detailed enough to inform the Commission of each issue that must be resolved. The Commission will view any issue not contained in this list of issues as not requiring resolution by the Commission.
- (c) Each party shall file a simple and concise statement summarizing its position on each disputed issue, including citations to pre-filed testimony supporting its position.
- (d) All pleadings, briefs, and amendments shall be filed in accordance with Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.080. Briefs shall follow the same list of issues as filed in the case and must set forth and cite the proper portions of the record concerning the remaining unresolved issues that are to be decided by the Commission.
- (e) If testimony or documents are prefiled and served upon the parties before a hearing, a party need only provide a copy of the testimony or document to the court reporter for marking as an exhibit. If not prefiled and served upon the parties, then a party who has a document marked for use at the hearing shall have sufficient copies of the document to

provide a copy not only to the court reporter, but also to each of the Commissioners, the presiding officer, and counsel for each other party.

4. Exhibit numbers are assigned as follows:

1-99	EMM
100-199	EMW
200-299	Staff
300-399	OPC
400-449	Midwest Energy Consumers Group
450-499	Missouri Joint Municipal Electric Utility Commission
500-549	Renew Missouri
550-599	Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers
600-649	Advanced Energy Management Alliance
650-699	Missouri Division of Energy
700-749	Dogwood Energy

If any party requires additional exhibit numbers, it may add 1000 to its assigned number list and start over. For example, if Renew Missouri has exhibits in addition to exhibit number 549, its next exhibit numbers would be 1500, 1501, 1502, etc.

5. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Silvey, Chm., Rupp, Coleman, Holsman, and Kolkmeyer CC., concur.

Hatcher, Regulatory Law Judge

### 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 13<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2022.

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

# MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION April 13, 2022

#### File/Case No. EO-2022-0064 and EO-2022-0065

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

Sincerely,

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