## STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2022.

In the Matter of the Application of Evergy	)	
Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro	)	File No. EO-2022-0205
Containing Its Semi-Annual Fuel	)	
Adjustment Clause True-Up	)	

# ORDER APPROVING EVERGY MISSOURI METRO'S TRUE-UP AMOUNT

Issue Date: March 24, 2022 Effective Date: April 3, 2022

On January 31, 2022, Evergy Missouri Metro, Inc. (Evergy Metro) submitted direct testimony and a tariff designed to implement an adjustment to its Fuel and Purchased Power Adjustment Clause (FAC) in File No. ER-2022-0206. In this file, Evergy Metro requests approval of its true-up amount to be included in that FAC adjustment for Reporting Period 10 (RP10), which began October 1, 2020 and ended September 30, 2021. The true-up amount identified in this filing is the result of Evergy Metro's under-collection of \$203,285 from its customers during RP10. That under-collected amount was offset by a correction for costs from the February 2021 cold weather event known as Winter Storm Uri. The correction amount of (\$2,428,136)¹ and added interest of (\$11,011) result in a total proposed true-up adjustment of (\$2,235,862). That true-up amount for RP10 is included in the calculation of the Fuel and Purchased Power amount for File No. ER-2022-0206. This correction results in an over-collection of \$2,224,850.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Parentheses designate a negative amount.

The Commission's Staff (Staff) examined the direct testimony of Lisa A. Starkebaum, the supporting schedules Evergy Metro provided, and the monthly information Evergy Metro has submitted to the Commission. Staff has verified that Evergy Metro has filed its 2020 annual report and is current on its assessments. Evergy Metro is also current on the filing of its surveillance monitoring reports and its monthly reports as required by Commission rule. Staff is not aware of any other matter before the Commission that affects or is affected by this filing. Staff recommends the Commission approve Evergy Metro's RP10 true-up filing, during which Evergy Metro over-collected \$2,224,850 from its customers.

Based on the Commission's review of the verified and uncontested filings, the Commission finds that it is appropriate to approve Evergy Metro's true-up amount for inclusion in its next FAC Accumulation Period.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The true-up amount for RP10 is established for Evergy Metro as an over-collection of \$ \$2,224,850 from its customers.
  - 2. This order shall become effective on April 3, 2022.

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BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff

Secretary

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

Clark, Senior 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 24<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2022.

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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

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