BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of The Empire District Electric Company's Application for Approval of a Transportation Electrification Portfolio for Electric Customers in its Missouri Service Area

File No. ET-2020-0390

SECOND ORDER MODIFYING THE PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Issue Date: April 22, 2021

Effective Date: April 22, 2021

On April 20, 2021, The Empire District Electric Company (Empire) filed a motion to modify the procedural schedule to hold an additional technical conference with the goal of reaching a settlement. Empire represented that it was requesting the modification with the consent of all parties. The proposed modifications move the dates for the evidentiary hearing from Jun 22, 2021, and June 23, 2021, to mid-August. The Commission will grant Empire's request, but will alter the date rebuttal testimony is due, because July 5, 2021, is a state holiday and some rebuttal testimony will be filed by the Commission's Staff.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The remaining procedural schedule is modified to provide as follows:

Supplemental/Amended Direct Testimony	May 21, 2021
Rebuttal Testimony	July 6, 2021
Surrebuttal Testimony	July 26, 2021
Last Day to Request Discovery	July 28, 2021
List of Issues, List of Witnesses, and Order of Cross-Examination Due	July 28, 2021
Position Statements	August 2, 2021
Evidentiary Hearing	August 19-20, 2021

2. The additional procedural requirements contained in the Commission's March 3, 2021, Order Establishing Procedural Schedule and Other Procedural Requirements, not specifically modified by this order, remain effective.

3. The evidentiary hearing set for June 22, 2021, and June 23, 2021, is cancelled.

4. This order is effective when issued.



John T. Clark, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 22nd day of April, 2021.

BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary