BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Union) Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri for) Approval of Efficient Electrification Program)

File No. ET-2021-0020 Tariff No. YE-2021-0103

ORDER SETTING AN INTERVENTION DEADLINE, DIRECTING A STAFF RECOMMENDATION, AND SETTING A TIME FOR RESPONSES

Issue Date: October 28, 2020

Effective Date: October 28, 2020

On October 27, 2020, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri filed its Application, Request for Variances, and Request for Accounting Authority along with two tariff sheets designed to implement an electrification pilot program. The tariff sheets bear an effective date of November 30, 2020, but they may be suspended to allow time for full consideration by the Commission. Ameren Missouri requests variances from parts of Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-14 concerning promotional practices so that in may provide incentives for its pilot program. In support of its proposed pilot program and variance request, Ameren Missouri offers that electrification provides environmental benefits, societal benefits, and contributes to the overall affordability of basic electric service. Ameren Missouri additionally requests an accounting authority order to defer the program costs to a regulatory asset for inclusion in Ameren Missouri's next rate case.

The Commission will set a deadline for intervention requests. The Commission will also direct its Staff to file a recommendation on its review of Ameren Missouri's application and tariff sheets, and will set a time for responses.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Any person or entity wishing to intervene shall file an application to intervene no later than November 16, 2020.

2. The Commission's Staff shall file a pleading no later than November 19, 2020, explaining when it will be able to file its recommendation about Ameren Missouri's application, accounting authority request, and tariff sheets, and shall recommend whether, and for how long, Ameren Missouri's tariff sheets should be suspended.

3. This order is effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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 28th day of October, 2020.