

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Evergy)
Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro)
and Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a) **File No. ET-2021-0151**
Evergy Missouri West for Approval of a)
Transportation Electrification Portfolio)

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: April 27, 2021

Effective Date: April 27, 2021

On February 24, 2021, Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro and Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West (collectively “Evergy”) filed its application requesting the Commission approve transportation electrification pilot programs, pursuant to Section 393.1610, RSMo (Cum. Supp. 2020). In addition, Evergy filed associated tariff sheets.¹ Evergy’s application also requests variance of Commission rules prohibiting certain promotional practices and authority to defer costs associated with the pilot programs as a regulatory asset for consideration in future rate cases. Finally, Evergy requests the Commission find that the proposed “Clean Charge Network” expansion plan is “prudent from a decisional perspective.”²

On April 15, 2021, the Commission directed the parties to consult with the Staff of the Commission to develop a procedural schedule and directed Staff to file a joint proposed procedural schedule or status report no later than April 26, 2021. On

¹ The tariffs proposed effective dates of March 26, 2021. On March 17, 2021, the Commission issued orders in File Nos. ET-2021-0151 and ET-2021-0269 to suspend the tariff sheets until July 24, 2021. The cases were consolidated as File No. ET-2021-0151 on April 15, 2021.

² *Application of Evergy Missouri Metro and Evergy Missouri West for an Order Related to Approval of a Transportation Electrification Portfolio*, ¶ 19 (Feb. 24, 2021).

April 26, 2021, Staff filed a status report and indicated it anticipates filing a joint proposed procedural schedule no later than May 10, 2021.

The Commission will direct filing of a proposed procedural schedule consistent with Staff's status report.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Staff shall file a proposed procedural schedule no later than May 10, 2021.
2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Jana C. Jacobs, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo (2016).

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 27th day of April, 2021.