BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Application of Spire Missouri, Inc. for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to Construct, Install, Own, Operate, Maintain, and Otherwise Control and Manage a Natural Gas Distribution System in Cass County, Missouri as an Expansion of its Existing Certificated Areas

File No. GA-2024-0100

ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, SETTING DEADLINE FOR INTERVENTION REQUESTS, AND DIRECTING FILING OF STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: September 22, 2023

Effective Date: September 22, 2023

On September 22, 2023, Spire Missouri Inc. (Spire) filed an application that seeks a certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) to construct, install, own, operate, maintain, and otherwise control and manage a natural gas distribution system to provide natural gas service in Cass County, Missouri, as a further expansion of Spire's existing certificated area. Spire also requests waiver of the Commission's rule requiring 60 days' notice prior to filing an application.

The Commission will direct notice of the application be given to the Cass County Commission and local newspapers. The Commission will set a deadline for interested parties to intervene. The Commission will direct its Staff to file a recommendation with regard to the application.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Data Center shall provide a copy of this order and the Application to the County Commission of Cass County, Missouri.

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2. Any person wishing to intervene in this matter shall file an application to intervene no later than October 23, 2023. The application shall be filed in the Commission's Electronic Filing and Information System (EFIS) or with the Secretary of the Commission. Comments on Spire's application may also be made in EFIS.

3. No later than November 8, 2023, Staff shall file a recommendation regarding Spire's application or a request for an extension of time.

4. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

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Nancy Dippell Secretary

Kenneth J. Seyer, Regulatory Law Judge, By delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo (2016).

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, On the 22nd day of September, 2023. 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 22nd day of September, 2023.



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Nancy Dippell Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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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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Nancy Dippell Secretary

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