

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of The Empire District)
Electric Company's Application for) **File No. ET-2020-0259**
Approval of a Community Solar) Tariff No. YE-2020-0182
Program for Electric Customers in)
the Missouri Service Area)

ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION

Issue Date: May 4, 2020

Effective Date: May 4, 2020

On April 17, 2020, The Empire District Electric Company, a Liberty Utilities company (Empire-Liberty) filed an application for approval of a Community Solar Pilot Program. The Commission directed notice of the application, and the Commission received an application to intervene from Renew Missouri on April 22, 2020.

Parties have ten days to respond to pleadings unless the Commission orders otherwise.¹ The Commission issued no order to the contrary, more than ten days have elapsed since Renew Missouri filed its application, and no party has objected. Thus, the Commission will take up the application to intervene unopposed.

The Commission finds that the interests of Renew Missouri differ from those of the general public and may be adversely affected by a final order arising from this case. Furthermore, the Commission finds that allowing Renew Missouri to intervene will serve the public interest. Therefore, the Commission will grant the application to intervene.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The application to intervene filed by Renew Missouri is granted.
2. This order shall be effective when issued.

¹ Commission Rule 20-4240.080(13).



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff

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Secretary

Ronald D. Pridgin, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 4th day of May, 2020.