

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of an Investigation into Spire)
Missouri Inc. d/b/a Spire’s Compliance with)
The Commission’s Rules Regarding Natural) Case No. GS-2022-0047
Gas Safety Found at 20 CSR 4240-40.030)

REQUEST FOR SETTING DATE TO RESPOND

COMES NOW Spire Missouri Inc. (“Spire Missouri” or the “Company”) and submits this request to the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”) to set the date for the Company to respond to Staff’s report in the above-captioned docket, stating the following:

1. On August 24, 2021, Staff of the Commission (“Staff”) filed a motion to open a case to investigate Spire’s compliance the Commission’s rules regarding natural gas safety found at 20 CSR 4240-40.030.
2. On September 1, 2021, the Commission issued its order directing Staff to undertake its investigation and file a progress report on the status of its investigation no later than February 28, 2022.
3. Staff filed its first progress report on February 28, 2022. Since then, Staff has filed additional progress reports updating the Commission on the status of its investigation and requesting further time to complete its investigation, which has included performing inspections and issuing data requests.
4. On October 26, 2023, Staff filed its final progress report, stating that it would file its report regarding its investigation no later than November 15, 2023.
5. On November 15, 2023, Staff filed its report, which included the results of its investigation and a series of recommendations for the Company.

6. Spire Missouri is reviewing Staff's report and recommendations and will file a response. Due to the length of the report and the number of recommendations, the Company requests until January 19, 2024, to file its response.

7. The Company conferred with Staff regarding this request, and Staff does not object to Spire Missouri filing its response by January 19, 2024.

WHEREFORE, Spire Missouri respectfully requests that the Commission direct Spire Missouri to respond to Staff's report by January 19, 2024, and order any other relief as is just and reasonable.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ J. Antonio Arias

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been sent by electronic mail to all counsel of record on this 21st day of November, 2023.

/s/ J. Antonio Arias
