

**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 ) **File No. GS-2022-0261**  
Gas Safety Found at 20 CSR 4240-40.030 )  
)

**PROGRESS REPORT**

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, by and through counsel, and for its *Progress Report* states:

1. On September 25, 2023, Staff filed a progress report stating that Spire Missouri has updated responses and responded to new data requests, and Staff will review the responses and update the data analysis prior to finalizing its report. Staff requested additional time to review Spire Missouri’s responses, complete a draft report, submit its report to internal review, and receive and review Spire Missouri’s identification of confidential information and feedback on the report’s facts section. Staff requested a due date of no later than November 30, 2023, to file a report regarding its investigation, or a report on the progress of Staff’s investigation.

2. On September 26, 2023, the Commission ordered Staff to file either a final report, or a further progress report regarding its investigation, no later than November 30, 2023.

3. Since Staff’s September 25, 2023 progress report, Spire Missouri has updated some of its previous responses to Staff data requests. Staff has also continued to conduct discovery by submitting additional data requests. Staff will review Spire’s updates to previous data requests and its responses to new Staff data requests in order to update Staff’s analysis prior to finalizing its report.

4. Staff requires additional time to review and analyze recent data provided by Spire before finalizing its investigation report. Staff will use this time to review Spire Missouri's responses, complete a draft report, submit its report to internal review, and receive and review Spire Missouri's identification of confidential information and feedback on the report's facts section. Staff requests a due date of no later than January 31, 2024, to file a report regarding its investigation, or a report on the progress of Staff's investigation.

**WHEREFORE**, for the above-stated reasons, Staff respectfully requests the Commission order Staff to file a report regarding its investigation, or a report on the progress of Staff's investigation, no later than January 31, 2024.

Respectfully submitted,

**/s/ J. Scott Stacey**

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been transmitted by electronic mail to counsel of record this 27<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2023.

**/s/ J. Scott Stacey**