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

In the Matter of the Application of Heidi	)	
Orton for Change of Electric Supplier from	)	
Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy	)	File No. EO-2024-0142
Missouri West to Platte-Clay Electric	)	
Cooperative, Inc.	)	

## STAFF'S STATUS REPORT

Comes now the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and makes the following status report:

On October 26, 2023,<sup>1</sup> Heidi Orton filed an application with the Commission requesting a change of electric supplier from Every Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West to Platte-Clay Electric Cooperative, Inc. On October 27, the Commission ordered Staff to file either a recommendation or a report stating when it expected to file a recommendation no later than December 11. Staff reports that discovery is ongoing. Staff received responses to data requests on December 7. Following up on those responses and on Staff's communications with Ms. Orton conducted to clarify Staff's understanding of the issues, Staff promulgated further data requests of December 7, 8 and 9. Staff anticipates that the completion of its investigation, report and recommendation will require forty-five days.

Staff, accordingly, advises the Commission that it expects to be able to file a report and recommendation no later than January 25, 2024.

**WHEREFORE**, Staff respectfully requests that the Commission will accept this status report in compliance with the Commission's orders.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All date references will be to 2023 unless otherwise indicated.

## Respectfully Submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned by his signature below certifies that the foregoing pleading was served upon all counsel of record on this December 11, 2023, by electronic filing in EFIS, electronic mail, hand-delivery, or U.S. postage prepaid.

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