BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Application of Evergy West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West for Authority to Implement Rate Adjustments Required by 20 CSR 4240-20.090(8) and the Company's Approved Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Mechanism

File No. ER-2023-0444

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO SUSPEND PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE AND DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: December 13, 2023 Effective Date: December 13, 2023

On December 12, 2023, the Evergy West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West filed a motion to suspend the procedural schedule. The motion stated that the parties are engaged in ongoing settlement negotiations. The motion further stated that all parties were apprised of the motion and none objected.

The Commission finds the request reasonable and will grant the motion to suspend the procedural schedule. The Commission will cancel the currently set evidentiary hearing and order a status report.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The motion to suspend the procedural schedule is granted.

2. The evidentiary hearing scheduled for January 16, 2024, is canceled. Likewise, all due dates for testimony and other filings set forth in the Commission's *Order Setting Procedural Schedule*, issued September 28, 2023, are canceled.

3. The parties shall file a copy of any agreement reached or a status report on this matter no later than January 26, 2024.

4. This order is effective when issued.

BY THE COMMISSION



Nancy Dippell

Nancy Dippell Secretary

Charles Hatcher, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 13th day of December, 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 13th day of December 2023.



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Nancy Dippell Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

December 13, 2023

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

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