BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West for an Operating Certificate of Convenience and Necessity related to the))	Case No. EA-2023-0291
Dogwood Natural Gas Combined-Cycle Electric)	0450 110. E11 2025 0291
Generating Facility in Cass County, Missouri)	

APPLICATION TO INTERVENE OUT OF TIME OF THE KANSAS MUNICIPAL ENERGY AGENCY

COMES NOW the Kansas Municipal Energy Agency ("KMEA"), by and through its undersigned counsel, pursuant to Commission Rule 4 CSR 4240-2.075, and respectfully files its Application to Intervene in this matter. In support of this Application, KMEA states as follows:

- 1. On November 8, 2023, Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West filed with the Public Service Commission its Application for an Operating Certificate of Convenience and Necessity ("CCN") related to its agreement to purchase a 22.2% interest in the Dogwood Natural Gas Combined-Cycle Electric Generating Facility from Dogwood Energy, LLC. The Commission subsequently ordered that applications to intervene were to be filed no later than November 29, 2023. KMEA wishes to intervene.
- 2. KMEA is a municipal energy agency created pursuant to Kansas law (K.S.A. 12-855 *et. seq.*) and authorized by Kansas law to plan, finance and construct projects for the purchase, sale, generation and transmission of electricity for the purpose of securing an adequate, economical, and reliable supply of energy for its 88 municipal members. Its business address is 6300 West 95th Street, Overland Park, KS 66212.

3. Correspondence, communications, orders, and the decision in this matter should be addressed to:

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- 4. KMEA seeks permission to intervene in this matter pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.075. Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.075(10) the Commission is authorized to grant this Application to Intervene after the November 29, 2023, intervention date, "upon a showing of good cause."
- 5. KMEA currently owns an undivided ten and one tenth percent (10.1%), ownership interest in all the assets, properties, and rights of the Dogwood Natural Gas Combined-Cycle Electric Generating Facility.
- 6. KMEA has an interest that is different from that of the general public in that it is a partial owner of the Dogwood Natural Gas Combined-Cycle Electric Generating Facility. KMEA and its members, as partial owners of the facility, have a direct interest in who other potential

owners may be, and have immediate interests in this proceeding that are not currently represented in this matter.

- 7. Granting intervention to KMEA would serve the public interest by allowing KMEA's experience, interests, and insight to be a part of the CCN process.
- 8. KMEA hereby affirmatively accepts the record established in this case, including the requirements of any orders of the Commission, as of the date this Application to Intervene is filed.
- 9. No party will be prejudiced by the Commission granting this Application to Intervene. KMEA only recently became aware of this docket and wishes to participate so that it is not prejudiced by any ruling of the Commission.
- 10. KMEA does not have a position at this time in this case to the proposed CCN but reserves the right to take positions on specific issues as this case proceeds.

WHEREFORE, KMEA respectfully requests that the Commission grant its Application to Intervene on its behalf and on behalf of its members, entitling it to fully participate in this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: December 14, 2023

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, emailed or hand-delivered to all parties on the official service list for this case on this 14th day of December, 2023.

/s/ Terry M. Jarrett
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