

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

In the Matter of the Application of)	
Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro)	File No. EF-2024-0192
For Authority to Issue Debt Securities.)	

**JOINT REQUEST OF EVERGY MISSOURI METRO AND STAFF FOR EXTENSION
OF TIME**

COME NOW Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro (“Evergy Missouri Metro” or “Applicant” or “Company”) and the Commission Staff (“Staff”) and jointly request an extension of time for Staff to file its Staff Recommendation or provide a Status Report from February 26, 2024 to no later than March 4, 2024. In support of this motion, Evergy Missouri Metro and Staff state:

1. On February 15, 2024, Evergy Missouri Metro filed an application requesting financing authorization in the amount of \$300 million through December 31, 2024, subject to all of the terms and conditions approved by the Commission. Evergy Missouri Metro also requested an expedited treatment such that the Commission issues a final order in this matter effective no later than March 15, 2024.
2. On February 16, 2024, the Commission issued its Order Directing Staff to File Recommendation which ordered that Staff file its Staff Recommendation or alternative pleading regarding Company’s Application no later than February 26, 2024.
3. In order to allow Staff additional time to exchange information with the Company and complete its review of the Application, Staff and Company jointly request that the deadline for filing a Staff Recommendation or status report be extended from February 26 to March 4, 2024. The Company continues to request that the Commission address this matter at its March 6, 2024 Agenda Meeting, if practicable.

WHEREFORE, Evergy Missouri Metro and Staff respectfully request that the deadline for the Staff Recommendation or Status Report in this matter be extended from February 26 to March 4, 2024.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and copy of the foregoing application was emailed on this 21st day of February 2024, to the Office of the General Counsel and the Office of the Public Counsel.

/s/ Roger W. Steiner

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