

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

In the Matter of Spire Missouri Inc.                     )  
d/b/a Spire and Gateway                                     )  
Infrastructure, LLC Concerning a                         )  
Natural Gas Incident at Millers Ct. in                    )  
O'Fallon, Missouri   )

**File No. GS-2023-0372**

**STAFF'S STATUS REPORT**

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, by and through counsel, and in response to the Commission's March 15, 2024 *Order Directing Filing* states:

1. On April 26, 2023, Staff filed a motion requesting the Commission open a case to investigate Spire Missouri Inc. d/b/a Spire's ("Spire") and Gateway Infrastructure, LLC's ("Gateway") compliance with Sections 386.310 and 386.572, of the Revised Statutes of Missouri ("RSMo") and the Commission's natural gas safety rules located in 20 CSR 4240-40.030, 20 CSR 4240-28.014(2), and 20 CSR 4240-18.010. Furthermore, on April 26, 2023, Staff also filed its Staff Incident Report with its Motion to Open the Case, which contained three recommendations to Spire.

2. On May 3, 2023, the Commission accepted Staff's initial report and opened this case for the receipt of additional reports and responses. The Commission further ordered Spire to respond to Staff's initial report no later than May 30, 2023, and for responses from others no later than the same date.

3. On May 30, 2023, Spire filed a response addressing Staff's recommendations and subsequently provided a status update on February 2, 2024.

4. On March 14, 2024, the Commission ordered Staff to state whether Spire has complied with all of Staff's recommendations, and whether Staff believes the Commission should order Spire to address anything further.

5. Based on Staff's investigation, Spire's responses and Spire's status updates, Staff submits the attached Staff Memorandum, incorporated by reference herein, as Ordered by the Commission.

6. Staff's Memorandum identifies the recommendations as set out in its initial report, along with Spire's responses and status updates. The Memorandum also sets out further recommendations for Spire to address, which are set forth in detail in the attached Memorandum.

**WHEREFORE**, Staff respectfully submits and requests the Commission accept the attached Staff Memorandum pursuant to the Commission's Order issued on March 15, 2024, order Spire to adhere to the recommendations set forth in the Memorandum, and grant such other and further relief as the Commission deems just in the circumstances.

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 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, 2024.

**/s/ J. Scott Stacey**