# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West's Submission of Its 2024 Renewable Energy Standard Compliance Plan	) File No. EO-2024-0298 )
In the Matter of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro's Submission of Its 2024 Renewable Energy Standard Compliance Plan	) File No. EO-2024-0299 )
In the Matter of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West's Submission of Its 2023 Renewable Energy Standard Compliance Report	) File No. EO-2024-0300 )
In the Matter of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro's Submission of Its 2023 Renewable Energy Standard Compliance Report	) ) <u>File No. EO-2024-0301</u> )

#### ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE OF FILING

Issue Date: April 17, 2024 Effective Date: April 17, 2024

On April 16, 2024, Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West and Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro (collectively, Evergy) filed their 2023 Renewable Energy Standard (RES) Compliance Reports (Reports) and its 2024 Annual RES Standard Compliance Plans (Plans), as required by Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8). Additionally, Evergy requested a variance from 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(A)1.I(V) regarding the provision of meter readings used in the calculation of payments for renewable energy credits to various renewable energy resource vendors.

Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(D) requires the Staff of the Commission (Staff) to review RES compliance reports and plans and file a report of its review with the

Commission within 45 days of the date of filing.<sup>1</sup> The rule also allows the Office of the Public Counsel and other interested persons or entities to file comments within the same 45-day period.<sup>2</sup> Comments on Evergy's Reports and Plans are due no later than May 31, 2024. Any objection to the requests for a variance shall also be filed by the same date.

The Commission will direct that notice of this filing be given to potentially interested persons, as required by Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(C).

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The Commission's Data Center shall provide notice of this order to each party to Evergy Missouri West's current general rate case, File No. ER-2024-0189.
- 2. The Commission's Data Center shall provide notice of this order to each party to Evergy Missouri Metro's most recent general rate case, File No. ER-2022-0129.
- 3. The Commission's Data Center shall provide notice of this order to the county commission of each county within Evergy's service area.
- 4. The Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department shall make notice of this order available to the news media serving residents of the counties within Evergy's service area.
- 5. Staff shall review the RES compliance reports and plans and file a report no later than May 31, 2024.
- 6. Any comments on the RES compliance reports and plans shall be filed no later than May 31, 2024.
  - 7. Any objection to the requests for a variance shall be filed no later than

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(D)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(E).

May 31, 2024.

8. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Nancy Dippell

Nancy Dippell Secretary

Kenneth J. Seyer, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2024.

#### 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 17<sup>th</sup> day of April 2024.

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Nancy Dippell Secretary

## MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION April 17, 2024

#### File/Case No. EO-2024-0298, EO-2024-0299, EO-2024-0300 and EO-2024-0301

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

Sincerely,

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