

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

In the Matter of Spire Missouri, Inc. d/b/a)
Spire (West) Purchased Gas Adjustment) **Case No. GR-2022-0136**
(PGA) Tariff Filing)

MOTION TO SUSPEND PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE AND HEARING

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission in the above-captioned matter and hereby submits its *Motion to Suspend the Procedural Schedule and Hearing* in the above matter, and further states as follows:

1. On April 1, 2024, the Commission issued its *Order Amending Procedural Schedule* in this matter; wherein, it changed the originally ordered hearing dates to May 7, 9, and 10, 2024. The Order further set out dates of April 29, 2024, and May 1, 2024, for when the Joint List of Issues and Position Statements, respectively, were to be filed.

2. Staff and Spire Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Spire (West) (“Spire”) have been in settlement negotiations and have come to an agreement in principal on all issues in this matter. Office of Public Counsel (“OPC”) have been a part of the negotiations and does not object to settlement of the matter.

3. Staff and Spire need additional time to draft and finalize the settlement agreement, and request the Commission suspend the ordered procedural schedule and hearing in this matter to allow the parties time to finalize the agreement.

4. OPC was contacted in reference to this Motion and it indicated it does not oppose the Motion.

WHEREFORE, Staff submits its *Motion to Suspend the Procedural Schedule and Hearing* in this matter and respectfully requests the Commission grant said motion; 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 19th day of April, 2024.

/s/ J. Scott Stacey