

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

Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission,)	
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Complainant,)	
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v.)	File No. GC-2024-0305
)	
Spire Missouri Inc. d/b/a Spire,)	
)	
Respondent)	

**SPIRE MISSOURI’S REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL TIME
TO FILE AN ANSWER OR STATUS UPDATE**

COMES NOW Spire Missouri Inc. (“Spire Missouri” or the “Company”) and respectfully submits this *Request for Additional Time to File an Answer or Status Update* to the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”), stating the following:

1. On April 16, 2024, Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”) filed a Formal Complaint as a follow-up to its investigation in Docket No. GS-2022-0261.
2. On April 23, 2024, the Commission directed Spire Missouri to file an answer to the Formal Complaint no later than May 23, 2024.
3. Staff provided recommendations in its investigation report in Docket GS-2022-0261 and the same recommendations are included with this Formal Complaint. As noted in Spire’s response to Staff’s investigation report in Docket GS-2022-0261, Spire and Staff are in agreement on many of Staff’s recommendations. As such, the Company believes further discussions would be beneficial to reaching a resolution of this Complaint.
4. To allow Staff and the Company to hold such discussions, Spire Missouri requests that the Commission grant additional time, until June 24, 2024, to either file an answer or a status update. Staff has been notified of the request and does not object.

WHEREFORE, Respondent respectfully requests that the Commission grant Spire Missouri's request, order the Company to file its Answer or a status update no later than June 24, 2024, and order any other relief as is just and reasonable.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ J. Antonio Arias

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been sent either by mail or electronic mail to all parties of record on this 13th day of May, 2024.

/s/ J. Antonio Arias

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