

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

In the Matter of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a)
Evergy Missouri Metro’s Notice of Intent to) File No. EO-2023-0369
File an Application for Authority to Establish a)
Demand-side Programs Investment Mechanism)

In the Matter of Evergy West, Inc. d/b/a)
Evergy Missouri West’s Notice of Intent to) File No. EO-2023-0370
File an Application for Authority to Establish a)
Demand-side Programs Investment Mechanism)

**APPLICATION TO INTERVENE OF
MIDWEST ENERGY CONSUMERS GROUP**

COMES NOW, the Midwest Energy Consumers Group, (“MECG”) and pursuant to 20 CSR 4240-2.075, applies to intervene in the above case. For its Application, MECG states:

1. Midwest Energy Consumers Group (“MECG”) is an incorporated entity representing the interests of large commercial and industrial users of electricity, water, and natural gas throughout the State of Missouri including in the areas served by Evergy Missouri.
2. On May 28th, the Commission issued an order directing notice and setting an intervention deadline in this case. The matters to be considered in this docket and the Commission’s determinations thereon, if any, could have a direct and significant impact on the cost of service and availability of programs for commercial and industrial customers. Based upon the publicly available information, MECG’s interests in this case relate to program design for commercial and industrial programs, including but not limited to the availability and incentive levels for its business demand response program. In addition, MECG’s interest extends to the development and proposed implementation of the cost-recovery, throughput disincentive, and earnings opportunity resulting from any approved MEEIA program.

3. As a representative of large user customers of Evergy Missouri MECG has a direct and immediate interest in these proceedings that is different from that of the general public. Many of the relevant documents to determining specific positions in this docket are designated confidential and so MECG does not at this time have sufficient information to assert a position on all issues in this case, it reserves the right to assert positions after they have had an adequate opportunity to examine the whole record, and any documentation of other parties filed herein. MECG anticipates being able to assert formal position on the issues identified above in its position statements to be filed in this case.

4. Pleadings, notices and other correspondence in this case should be directed to undersigned counsel.

WHEREFORE, MECG respectfully requests that the Commission issue its order granting its Application to Intervene and that it be made a party hereto with all rights to participate in this matter.

Respectfully,

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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, emailed or hand-delivered to all counsel of record this 11th day of June 2024:

/s/ Tim Opitz