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July 26, 2024

Ms. Nancy Dippell Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge Missouri Public Service Commission 200 Madison Street, Suite 100 Jefferson City, MO 65102

Re: Substitute Tariff Schedule to Adjust FAC Rate of Evergy Missouri West – Case No. ER-2024-0382 and EO-2024-0381

Dear Ms. Dippell:

On June 28, 2024, Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West or the "Company" filed proposed rate schedules to adjust charges related to the Company's approved Fuel Adjustment Clause ("FAC"), Case No. ER-2024-0382 for the 34<sup>th</sup> accumulation period ("AP"). The Company also submitted an application containing its true-up for the 31<sup>st</sup> AP, Case No. EO-2024-0381.

Through inquiries during MPSC Staff's review, and following discussions with both MPSC Staff and the Office of Public Counsel on July 23, 2024, the Company is making this substitute filing to remove an adjustment related to Winter Storm Uri of \$117,070 originally included for recovery. The revised proposed FAC charge for residential customers is a charge of \$0.00567 per kWh. Based on usage of 1,000 kWh per month, the customer will see a monthly charge of \$5.67. This represents a decrease of \$7.17 to an Evergy Missouri West residential customer's monthly bill compared to the current monthly FAC charge of \$12.84. The proposed rate schedule bears an issue date of June 28, 2024, and an effective date of September 1, 2024.

This letter and supporting schedules are being submitted with this substitute filing in support of the changes described above.

Copies of the proposed FAC-related rate schedules and all supporting materials described in this letter will be served electronically, this date, on the Commission's General Counsel, the Office of Staff Counsel, the Office of Public Counsel, and each party to Case No. ER-2022-0130.

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Please provide a copy of all correspondence, notices, orders, and other communications that relate to this filing to the following as well as undersigned counsel:

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Respectfully submitted,

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June 28, 2024

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Re: Tariff Schedule to Adjust FAC Rate of Evergy Missouri West

Dear Ms. Dippell:

Pursuant to 20 C.S.R. 4240-20.090(8) of the regulations of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission"), Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West or the "Company" hereby submits proposed rate schedules to adjust charges related to the Company's approved Fuel Adjustment Clause ("FAC"). The proposed rate schedule bears an issue date of June 28, 2024, and an effective date of September 1, 2024.

For the 34th accumulation period covering the period of December 2023 through May 2024, Evergy Missouri West's actual FAC includable costs were below the base energy costs included in base rates by approximately \$6.6 million. In accordance with the Commission's rule and the Company's approved FAC, Evergy Missouri West has calculated the FAC tariff that provides for a change in rates to return to customers 95% of those cost changes, or approximately \$6.3 million, plus interest. These amounts are before true-up or any other adjustments.

In addition, a true-up filing is being made concurrent with this filing covering the 31st accumulation period of June 2022 through November 2022 and its corresponding recovery period of March 2023 through February 2024. The proposed true-up amount consists of an over-recovery of \$3,554,389 plus a transmission adjustment of \$2,141 offset by an FAC balance adjustment of \$117,070 which amounts to a total over-recovery of \$3,439,460 to be returned to customers. In summary, all of these amounts combined including interest amounting to \$2.8 million result in a proposed 34th accumulation period FPA of \$6.8 million to be returned to customers.

The proposed FAC charge for residential customers is a charge of \$0.00568 per kWh. Based on usage of 1,000 kWh per month, the customer will see a monthly charge of \$5.68. This represents a decrease of \$7.16 to an Evergy Missouri West residential customer's monthly bill compared to the current monthly FAC charge of \$12.84.

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Direct Testimony and supporting schedules of Lisa A. Starkebaum are submitted concurrently herewith along with schedules containing the information required by 20 C.S.R. 4240-20.090(8), including all workpapers that support the proposed rate schedules.

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