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

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In the Matter of the Application of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro and Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West for an Accounting Authority Order Allowing the Companies to Record and Preserve Costs Related to COVID-19 Expenses

File No. EU-2020-0350

## **ORDER GRANTING APPLICATIONS TO INTERVENE**

Issue Date: June 12, 2020

Effective Date: June 12, 2020

On May 6, 2020, Evergy Metro Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro and Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West (collectively "Evergy") applied for an accounting authority order to govern costs and financial impacts associated with the COVID-19 pandemic.

Applications to intervene in this case were filed on June 1, 2020, by Sierra Club; Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri; Spire Missouri Inc.; Missouri-American Water Company; and Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers (MIEC). As regulated utilities, Ameren Missouri, Spire and Missouri-American assert they have a special interest in issues in this case. Ameren Missouri, Missouri-American and MIEC also assert their interests are different from the interests of the general public. All applicants contend allowing intervention will serve the public interest.

More than 10 days have passed since the applicants named above applied to intervene; no party has objected to any application.

The Commission will grant the applications to intervene based on a determination that intervention will serve the public interest, as provided by Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.075(3).

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Applications to intervene filed by Sierra Club, Ameren Missouri, Spire, Missouri-American and MIEC are granted.

2. This order shall be effective when issued.



## BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Jana C. Jacobs, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo (2016).

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 12th day of June 2020.