BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West Containing its Semi-Annual Fuel Adjustment Clause True-Up))	File No. EO-2020-0188
In the Matter of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West's Tariff Revision to Implement Rate Adjustments Required by 20 CSR 4240-20.090(8) and the Company's Approved Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Mechanism))))	File No. ER-2020-0189 Tariff No. JE-2020-0109

ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, SETTING INTERVENTION DEADLINE, AND DIRECTING STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: January 2, 2020 Effective Date: January 2, 2020

On December 31, 2019, Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West ("Evergy West") submitted an application in File Number EO-2020-0188 containing its true-up filing for its Fuel Adjustment Clause ("FAC") to remedy an under-collection of \$128,984. Evergy West also requests that the Commission approve an implementation tariff in File Number ER-2020-0189. The tariff bears an effective date of March 1, 2020.

Pursuant to Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.090(9), the Commission's Staff shall submit a recommendation regarding the proposed true-up not later than 30 days after its filing. Within 60 days after receiving the proposed true-up, the Commission must: (1) issue an order approving the true-up; or (2) reject the proposed tariff sheet containing the true-up amount and suspend the timeline of the true-up to receive additional evidence or hold a hearing, if required. Consequently, the Commission will issue notice, set an intervention deadline, and direct its Staff to file a recommendation.

Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.090(17) provides that parties to the rate case in which the Commission established or continued Evergy West's fuel adjustment clause are automatically parties to this tariff case, without the necessity of having to apply for intervention. Therefore, the Commission acknowledges that the parties to File No. ER-2018-0146 (the file in which Evergy West's FAC was most recently continued) are parties to this case, and will direct its Data Center to add those parties to the service list.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The Commission's Data Center shall serve a copy of this order upon the parties to File No. ER-2018-0146.
- 2. The Commission's Data Center shall add all parties to File No. ER-2018-0146 to the service list for these cases.
- 3. Any person or entity wishing to intervene shall file an application to intervene no later than January 16, 2020.
- 4. The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file a recommendation regarding its examination and analysis of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West's application no later than January 30, 2020.
- 5. The Commission's Data Center shall serve a copy of this order upon the county commission of each county in the service territory of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West.
- 6. The Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department shall make notice of this order available to the members of the Missouri General Assembly representing the residents of the service area of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West and to the news media serving the residents of the service territory of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West.

7. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff

Secretary

Charles Hatcher, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 2nd day of January, 2020.