## STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its Office in Jefferson City on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2024.

In the Matter of the Application of Spire )
Missouri Inc. d/b/a Spire to Revise )
Transportation Service Tariffs

File No. GR-2025-0026 Tracking No. JG-2025-0059

# ORDER APPROVING MOTION FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT AND APPROVING REVISED TARIFF SHEET

Issue Date: November 6, 2024 Effective Date: November 16, 2024

On October 30, 2024, Spire Missouri Inc. d/b/a Spire filed the above-referenced tariff sheet which bears a November 29, 2024, effective date. Contemporaneously therewith, Spire filed a *Motion for Expedited Treatment*, in which it asked the Commission to approve the tariff sheet to become effective on November 9, 2024. Spire filed the tariff sheet in response to an October 30, 2024, *Order Approving Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge* (Order).

The Commission directed that a Staff recommendation and any responses to Spire's tariff sheet and motion for expedited treatment be filed no later than November 4, 2024. The Commission's Staff filed its Recommendation on November 4, 2024. Staff states that the tariff sheet complies with the Commission's Order and, thus, the Commission should approve it. Staff requests that the order approving the tariff have at least a ten-day effective date after its issue date. The Commission received no other responses.

Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.080 (14) (B) requires that a motion for expedited treatment set out the "harm that will be avoided, or the benefit that will accrue," and include "a statement of the negative effect, or that there will be no negative effect on the party's customers or the general public" if the Commission acts as requested. Spire submits that the benefit that will accrue by expedited approval is that the Company will be able to timely recover the investments that it has made into maintaining its safe and reliable system for its customers. The harm that will be avoided is delayed recovery of these prudent infrastructure investments. At the same time, there will be no negative impact on the Company's customers or the general public if the Commission grants such relief.

The Commission finds the tariff sheet complies with its Order. Thus, the Commission will approve it. The Commission further finds Spire has articulated good cause in accordance with Section 393.140(11) for granting expedited treatment. Thus, the Commission will grant the *Motion for Expedited Treatment*. As good cause has been found to grant expedited treatment, and no party has opposed the tariff sheet going into effect on November 9, 2024, the Commission finds it reasonable to make this order effective in less than 30 days.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Spire's *Motion for Expedited Treatment* is granted.
- 2. The following tariff sheet filed on October 30, 2024, and assigned Tracking No. JG-2025-0059, is approved and shall be effective on November 16, 2024:

#### P.S.C. MO. No. 9

Seventh Revised Sheet No. 12, Cancelling Sixth Revised Sheet No. 12

- 3. This order shall be effective on November 16, 2024.
- 4. This file shall close on November 17, 2024.



BY THE COMMISSION

Nancy Dippell

Nancy Dippell Secretary

Hahn, Ch., Coleman, Holsman Kolkmeyer, and Mitchell CC., concur.

Fewell, Regulatory Law Judge

#### STATE OF MISSOURI

#### OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of November 2024.

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Nancy Dippell Secretary

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

Secretary

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