

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Evergy Missouri West, )  
Inc.'s d/b/a Evergy Missouri Wests Tariffs ) **File No. HT-2024-0296**  
Changing the Steam QCA for Service ) Tracking No. JH-2025-0054  
Provided to Customers in its Service )  
Territory )

## ORDER APPROVING QUARTERLY COST ADJUSTMENT TARIFF

Issue Date: November 13, 2024

Effective Date: December 1, 2024

On October 15, 2024, Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West (EMW) filed a tariff sheet providing its current Quarterly Cost Adjustment (QCA). On November 7, 2024, the Staff of the Commission (Staff) filed a Recommendation, stating that the Commission should approve the tariff.

In its verified recommendation, Staff states that it has reviewed the tariff sheet and the mathematical calculations provided by EMW. Staff is of the opinion that EMW has calculated the QCA for the second quarter of 2024 in accordance with the standards set forth in EMW's Tariff Sheet Nos. 6.6 through 6.10. Staff recommends the Commission approve the proposed tariff sheet.

Parties were given until November 12, 2024, to respond to Staff's recommendation. No party has objected or filed any response to either Staff's recommendation or EMW's pending tariff sheet.

EMW proposes a QCA Rate of \$0.1089 per Million British Thermal Unit (MMBtu), which is a decrease over the currently effective QCA Rate of \$0.2651 per MMBtu. This proposed QCA Rate will apply during the third quarter of 2024, which is EMW's billing

period of December 1, 2024 through February 28, 2025. The previous three QCA Rates and Reconciliation Rates (R Factors), added to this proposed QCA Rate and R Factor, will result in an increase of a steam customer's bill of \$64.66 for every thousand MMBtu used during the second quarter of the 2024 billing period, compared to the first quarter of the 2024 billing period.

The Commission has reviewed EMW's tariff sheet and Staff's verified recommendation. Based on these filings, the Commission finds that the tariff sheet is in compliance with the Commission's previous orders and EMW's current tariff provisions.

The Commission approves the tariff sheet as ordered below. As the application and recommendation are unopposed, and so that this tariff may go into effect expeditiously on the requested effective date, the Commission will make this order effective in less than thirty days.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. Tariff No. JH-2025-0054, submitted on October 15, 2024, is approved to become effective on December 1, 2024. The tariff sheet approved is:

**P.S.C. MO. No. 1**

62<sup>nd</sup> Revised Sheet No. 6.10, Canceling 61<sup>st</sup> Revised Sheet No. 6.10

2. This order shall become effective on December 1, 2024.
3. This file shall close on December 2, 2024.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

*Nancy Dippell*

Nancy Dippell  
Secretary

Ronald D. Pridgin, Deputy Chief  
Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation  
of authority pursuant to  
Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 14<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2024.

**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 13<sup>th</sup> day of November 2024.



*Nancy Dippell*  
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Nancy Dippell  
Secretary

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**November 13, 2024**

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

**Sincerely,**



**Nancy Dippell  
Secretary**

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