

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

In the Matter of Union Electric Company)	
d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Tariffs to Decrease)	<u>File No. ER-2019-0335</u>
Its Revenues for Electric Service)	Tracking No. JE-2025-0061

STAFF RECOMMENDATION TO APPROVE TARIFF SHEET

COMES NOW Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and for its Staff Recommendation respectfully states as follows:

1. On November 1, 2024, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri ("Ameren Missouri") filed a letter and one (1) revised tariff sheet to extend its Voluntary Green/Pure Power pilot program through June 30, 2026. The submitted tariff bore a requested effective date of December 1, 2024, and was filed under Tariff Tracking No. JE-2025-0061.

2. On November 25, 2024, the Commission issued an *Order Directing Staff Recommendation* ("Order") which ordered, among other things, that Staff file a recommendation regarding the proposed tariff revision (Tracking No. JE-2025-0061) no later than November 27, 2024, at 11:00 a.m.

3. On November 27, 2024, Staff filed a recommendation to suspend the tariff sheet to allow time for Staff to collect and review additional information from Ameren Missouri. The same date, the Commission issued its order suspending the tariff sheet for 30 days, from December 1, 2024, to December 31, 2024, pending Staff's final review and ordered Staff to file a further recommendation or status report regarding the tariff no later than December 16, 2024.

4. As reflected in the attached Staff Recommendation Memorandum which is incorporated herein by this reference, after collecting and reviewing additional information

from Ameren Missouri, Staff has reviewed the revised tariff sheet as submitted on November 1, 2024, and for the reasons set forth in the attached Staff Recommendation Memorandum recommends the Commission (1) issue an order **approving** the following tariff sheet or allowing it to go into effect at the end of the suspension period **subject to the requirement** (2) that any Renewable Energy Credit (“REC”) purchased and/or retired pursuant to the Voluntary Green/Pure Power pilot program will not be used for Ameren Missouri’s benefit:

MO.P.S.C. SCHEDULE NO. 6

10th Revised Sheet No. 163.1, cancelling 9th Revised Sheet No. 163.1

WHEREFORE, Staff submits its Staff Recommendation as set forth hereinabove and in the Staff Recommendation Memorandum which is attached hereto and prays the Commission issue an order accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, or transmitted by facsimile or electronic mail to counsel of record as reflected on the certified service list maintained by the Commission in its Electronic Filing Information System this 16th day of December 2024.

/s/ Jeffrey A. Keevil

MEMORANDUM

TO: Missouri Public Service Commission Official Case File
Case No. ER-2019-0335 and Tariff Tracking No. JE-2025-0061

FROM: Randall Jennings, Data Analyst
Tariff/Rate Design Department

/s/ Randall Jennings 12/16/24
Data Analyst / Date

SUBJECT: Staff Recommendation to Approve Union Electric Company, d/b/a/
Ameren Missouri Proposed Tariff Sheet to extend the Voluntary
Green/Pure Power pilot program

DATE: December 16, 2024

BACKGROUND

On November 1, 2024, Union Electric Company, d/b/a/ Ameren Missouri (“Ameren Missouri”), filed with the Commission a letter and one (1) revised tariff sheet¹ bearing an issue date of November 1, 2024, and a requested effective date of December 1, 2024, proposing to extend the Voluntary Green/Pure Power pilot program through June 30, 2026. Pilot Program customers that choose to transition will be given priority for Rider CSP enrollment or on any waitlist and will be considered to have been enrolled in Rider CSP from the date of their Pilot Program enrollment.

Ameren Missouri stated that the timing of the revision listed above is consistent with the Stipulation and Agreement approved in its 2019 rate case, ER-2019-0335, which contemplates Pure Power continuing to be available until customers have been given an opportunity to convert to service under the Company’s Solar rider. Ameren Missouri stated the New Florence solar facility, for which the Commission recently granted a CCN in EA-2024-0212 (effective November 1, 2024), will support Community Solar and is expected to be placed into service sometime during the first half of 2026.

The Commission issued its Order Directing Staff Recommendation on November 25, 2024,

¹ MO.P.S.C. Schedule No. 6, 10th Revised Sheet No. 163.1, cancelling 9th Revised Sheet No. 163.1.

which directed Staff to file its recommendation no later than November 27, 2024, by 11:00 a.m.

On November 27, 2024 Staff filed a recommendation to suspend the tariff sheet to allow time for Staff to collect and review additional information from Ameren Missouri. The same date, the Commission issued its order suspending the tariff sheet for 30 days, from December 1, 2024, to December 31, 2024, pending Staff's final review and ordered Staff to file a further recommendation or status report regarding the tariff no later than December 16, 2024.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff has reviewed the proposed revised tariff sheet as submitted on November 1, 2024. After collecting and reviewing additional information from Ameren Missouri, Staff recommends the Commission issue an order approving the following tariff sheet, or allow it to go into effect at the end of the suspension period, subject to a requirement that any Renewable Energy Credit ("REC") purchased and/or retired pursuant to the Voluntary Green/Pure Power pilot program will not be used for Ameren Missouri's benefit:

MO.P.S.C. Schedule No. 6

10th Revised Sheet No. 163.1, canceling 9th Revised Sheet No. 163.1

Staff has verified that Ameren Missouri is not delinquent on any assessment and has filed its Annual Report. Ameren Missouri is current on its submission of its Quarterly Surveillance Monitoring reports as required in 20 CSR 240-20.090(10). Staff is not aware of any matter before the Commission that affects or is affected by this filing

