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

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In the Matter of the Application of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West Containing Its Semi-Annual Fuel Adjustment Clause True-Up

In the Matter of the Application of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West for Authority To Implement Rate Adjustments Required by 20 CSR 4240-20.090(8) and the Company's Approved Fuel and Purchased Power Recovery Mechanism File No. EO-2025-0193

File No. ER-2025-0194 Tariff No. JE-2025-0099

# ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE AND SETTING DEADLINES FOR INTERVENTION APPLICATIONS AND STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: December 31, 2024

Effective Date: December 31, 2024

On December 31, 2024,<sup>1</sup> Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West submitted direct testimony and a revised tariff sheet proposing a revised fuel adjustment rate and bearing an effective date of March 1, 2025. Also on December 31, Evergy Missouri West initiated a rate adjustment true-up, to be included in the proposed fuel adjustment rate.

Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.090 provides a 60-day timeline for resolution of these rate adjustment mechanism proceedings. The Commission will direct notice be given and set a deadline for intervention applications. The Commission will also direct Staff to file recommendations in both cases, as required by 20 CSR 4240-20.090.

Parties to Evergy Missouri West's most recent general rate proceeding in which the Commission established, continued, or modified the electric utility's rate adjustment

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All dates refer to 2024 unless otherwise indicated.

mechanism are automatically parties to these proceedings without application for intervention, pursuant to 20 CSR 4240-20.090(17). Thus, the parties to File No. ER-2024-0189 are parties to these cases.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Data Center shall add the parties from File No. ER-2024-0189 to the service list for these cases, and shall provide a copy of this order to those parties.

2. The Commission's Data Center shall provide notice of this order to the county commissions for each county in Evergy Missouri West's service territory.

3. The Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department shall provide notice of this order to news media serving residents in Evergy Missouri West's service territory

4. Applications for intervention shall be filed no later than January 14, 2025.

5. No later than January 28, 2025, the Staff of the Commission shall file recommendations reporting Staff's examination and analysis of Evergy Missouri West's application and tariff sheet in these two cases, as provided by 20 CSR 4240-20.090(8) and (9).

6. Any response to Evergy Missouri West's proposed fuel adjustment rate and/or proposed true-up amount from the Office of the Public Counsel and other parties shall be filed no later than February 7, 2025, as provided by 20 CSR 4240-20.090(8) and (9).

7. This order shall be effective when issued.

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### BY THE COMMISSION



Riley G. Fewell, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 31<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2024.

Nancy Dippell

Nancy Dippell Secretary

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 31<sup>st</sup> day of December 2024.



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Nancy Dippell Secretary

#### MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

#### December 31, 2024

#### File/Case No. EO-2025-0193 and ER-2025-0194

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

Sincerely,

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Secretary

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