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Ms. Nancy Dippell
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge
Missouri Public Service Commission
200 Madison Street, Suite 100
Jefferson City, MO 65102

**Re: Substitute Filing – Case No. EO-2025-0173
Tariff Schedule to Adjust Demand Side Investment Mechanism
Rider Rate of Evergy Missouri Metro**

Dear Ms. Dippell:

On December 2, 2024, pursuant to 20 CSR 4240-20.093(4) of the regulations of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission” or “MPSC”), Evergy Missouri Metro, Inc. or the “Company” submitted a proposed rate schedule to adjust charges related to the Company’s approved Demand Side Investment Mechanism (“DSIM”) Rider.

As explained in the Direct Testimony and supporting schedules of Linda J. Nunn, the overall DSIM rate reflects progress towards achievement of energy and demand savings originally established in the Missouri Energy Efficiency Investment Act (“MEEIA”) filing made in File No. EO-2014-0095 and updated in File Nos. EO-2015-0240, EO-2019-0132 and EO-2023-0369.

On December 11, 2024, the MEEIA Cycle 4 Commission Order was issued, approving the compliance tariff substitutes filed on November 25, 2024 in Evergy’s MEEIA Cycle 4 case, Case No. EO-2023-0369. These compliance tariffs bear an effective date of January 1, 2025. Due to the overlap in the finalization of the MEEIA Cycle 4 case and the rider rate updates required to be made semi-annually with rates effective February 1 and August 1, Evergy originally made this tariff rate filing utilizing the current effective rate sheet, Sheet No. 49Y. The Company is now substituting proposed rate schedule Sheet No. 49.8, bearing an issue date of December 2, 2024 and an effective date of February 1, 2025.

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Please provide a copy of all correspondence, notices, orders, and other communications that relate to this filing to the following as well as undersigned counsel:

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Copies of the proposed DSIM rate schedule described in this letter will be served electronically, this date, on the Commission's General Counsel, Staff Counsel, the Office of Public Counsel, and each party to File No. EO-2015-0240, EO-2019-0132 and EO-2023-0369.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Roger W. Steiner

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cc: Office of the General Counsel
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