BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

<u>File No. EO-2020-0220</u>
))) <u>File No. ER-2020-0221</u>) Tariff No. JE-2020-0122)

ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, SETTING INTERVENTION DEADLINE AND DIRECTING STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: January 31, 2020 Effective Date: January 31, 2020

On January 31, 2020, Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro (Evergy MO Metro) submitted an application in File Number EO-2020-0220 containing its true-up filing for its Fuel Adjustment Clause (FAC) to remedy an over-collection of \$398,042. Evergy MO Metro also requests that the Commission approve an implementation tariff in File Number ER-2020-0221. The tariff bears an effective date of April 1, 2020.

Pursuant to Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.090(9), the Commission's Staff shall submit a recommendation regarding the proposed true-up not later than 30 days after its filing. Within 60 days after receiving the proposed true-up, the Commission must: (1) issue an order approving the true-up; or (2) reject the proposed tariff sheet containing the true-up amount and suspend the timeline of the true-up to receive additional evidence or hold a hearing, if required. Consequently, the Commission will issue notice, set an intervention deadline, and direct its Staff to file a recommendation.

Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.090(17) provides that parties to the rate case in which the Commission established or continued Evergy MO Metro's fuel adjustment clause are automatically parties to this tariff case, without the necessity of having to apply for intervention. Therefore, the Commission acknowledges that the parties to File No. ER-2018-0145 (the file in which Evergy MO Metro's FAC was most recently continued) are parties to this case, and will direct its Data Center to add those parties to the service list.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The Commission's Data Center shall serve a copy of this order upon the parties to File No. ER-2018-0145.
- 2. The Commission's Data Center shall add all parties to File No. ER-2018-0145 to the service list for these cases.
- 3. Any person or entity wishing to intervene shall file an application to intervene no later than February 14, 2020.
- 4. The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file a recommendation regarding its examination and analysis of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro's application and proposed implementation tariff no later than March 1, 2020.
- 5. The Commission's Data Center shall serve a copy of this order upon the county commission of each county in the service territory of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro.
- 6. The Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department shall make notice of this order available to the members of the Missouri General Assembly representing the residents of the service area of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro and to the news media serving the residents of the service territory of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro.

7. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Charles Hatcher, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 31st day of January, 2020.

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 31st day of January 2020.

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

January 31, 2020

File/Case No. EO-2020-0220 and ER-2020-0221

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

Sincerely,

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Recipients listed above with a valid e-mail address will receive electronic service. Recipients without a valid e-mail address will receive paper service.