BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Evergy)	
Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro and)	File No. EO-2025-0154
Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri)	
West for Approval of New and Modified Tariffs for)	
Service to Large Load Customers	

APPLICATION TO INTERVENE OF VELVET TECH SERVICES, LLC

Velvet Tech Services, LLC, pursuant to 20 CSR 4240-2.075 of the Missouri Public Service Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure and this Commission's February 19, 2025, *Order Directing Notice and Establishing Time for Responses*, and for its Application to Intervene respectfully states as follow:

- 1. Velvet Tech Services, LLC ("Velvet") is siting a new hyperscale enterprise data center near Kansas City, Missouri.
- 2. On February 14, 2025, Evergy Missouri West ("Evergy") filed for approval for a Large Load Power Service Rate plan and associated tariffs.
- 3. In EO-2022-0061, Velvet sought and obtained approval of a special high load factor market rate tariff in Evergy Missouri West.
- 4. Velvet seeks to intervene because the Commission's actions herein could affect the Velvet's interests.
- 5. Velvet has the potential to be one of Evergy's largest customers, such that it has an interest in this proceeding different from that of the general public. Velvet's interest will not and cannot be adequately represented by any other party.
 - 6. Velvet does not yet have a position on the issues in this case and

reserves the right to take positions on specific issues as this case proceeds.

- 7. Velvet's intervention will serve the public interest by assisting the development of the record for the Commission's decision in this case.
- 8. Correspondence or communications regarding this application, including service of all notices and orders of this Commission, should be addressed to:

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WHEREFORE, Velvet Tech Services, LLC respectfully requests that the Commission issue an order granting its Application to Intervene and that it be made a party hereto with all rights to participate in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served upon all of the parties of record or their counsel, pursuant to the Service List maintained by the Data Center of the Missouri Public Service Commission on March 5, 2025.

/s/ Stephanie S. Bell