# OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Evergy	)
Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro	)
and Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a	File No. EO-2025-0040
Evergy Missouri West for the Issuance of a	)
Depreciation Authority Order Relating to	)
their Electrical Operations	)

## ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE CORRECTED DEPRECIATION RATE SCHEDULES AND DIRECTING RESPONSE

Issue Date: March 14, 2025 Effective Date: March 14, 2025

On February 11, 2025, the Commission's Staff (Staff) filed a recommendation on Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro and Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West's (collectively "Evergy") request for a Depreciation Authority Order. Staff recommended, that instead of granting a Depreciation Authority Order, the Commission order new depreciation rates as attached to Staff's recommendation and accompanying memorandum.

The Office of the Public Counsel (Public Counsel) filed a response to Staff's recommendation and a memorandum opposing some of the proposed depreciation rates.

On February 27, 2025, Staff filed a motion for leave to file corrected depreciation rates.

The Commission will grant Staff's motion to file corrected depreciation rates and direct Evergy to respond to Staff's recommendation, the corrected depreciation rate schedules, and Public Counsel's response to Staff's recommendation.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Staff Request for Leave to File Corrected Depreciation Rate Schedules is granted.

- 2. No later than March 21, 2025, Evergy shall respond to Staff's recommendation, corrected depreciation rate schedules, and Public Counsel's response to Staff's recommendation.
- 3. Any response to Evergy's response shall be filed no later than March 27, 2025.
  - 4. This order is effective when issued.

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John T. Clark, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 14<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025.

#### 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 14<sup>th</sup> day of March 2025.

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Nancy Dippell Secretary

# MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION March 14, 2025

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

Sincerely.

Nancy Dippell Secretary

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