BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Application of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro and Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West for an Accounting Authority Order Allowing the Companies to Record and Preserve Costs Related to COVID-19 Expenses

File No. EU-2020-0350

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATIONS TO INTERVENE

Issue Date: May 27, 2020

Effective Date: May 27, 2020

On May 6, 2020, Evergy Metro Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro and Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West (collectively "Evergy") applied for an accounting authority order to govern costs and financial impacts associated with the COVID-19 pandemic.

On May 11, 2020, Midwest Energy Consumer's Group (MECG) filed an application to intervene. MECG opposes Evergy's request for an accounting authority order; MECG's application contends allowing MECG to intervene will serve the public interest by assisting the record for the Commission's decision in this case.

On May 15, 2020, Renew Missouri Advocates d/b/a Renew Missouri filed an application to intervene. Renew Missouri's application contends allowing Renew Missouri to intervene will serve the public interest by assisting the record for decision in this case.

More than 10 days have passed since MECG and Renew Missouri applied to intervene; no party has objected to either application.

The Commission will grant the applications to intervene based on a determination

that intervention will serve the public interest.¹

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. MECG's and Renew Missouri's applications to intervene are granted.
- 2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Jana C. Jacobs, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo (2016).

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 27th day of May, 2020.

¹ Basis for granting intervention include a finding intervention will serve the public interest. 20 CSR 4240-2.075(3).