

**STATE OF MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025.

In the Matter of the Sixth Prudence Review of )  
Costs Subject to the Commission-Approved ) **File No. EO-2025-0073**  
Fuel Adjustment Clause of Evergy Metro, Inc. )  
d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro )

**ORDER APPROVING STAFF’S PRUDENCE AUDIT REPORT**

Issue Date: March 19, 2025

Effective Date: April 18, 2025

This case was opened on September 3, 2024, to consider the sixth fuel adjustment clause prudence review of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro (Evergy Metro). On February 28, 2025, the Commission’s Staff filed a report regarding its review in which it found no incidence or evidence of imprudence by Evergy Metro for the period of January 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024. Ten days have passed since the filing of Staff’s report and no requests for hearing were filed.

In its prudence review, Staff analyzed items affecting Evergy Metro’s fuel costs; purchased power costs; net emission allowance costs; transmission costs; off-system sales revenues; and renewable energy credit revenues for the sixteenth, seventeenth and eighteenth accumulation periods of Evergy Metro’s fuel adjustment clause (FAC).

The Commission has considered Staff’s unopposed report and recommendation. In evaluating prudence, Staff reviewed whether a reasonable person would find that both the information Evergy Metro relied on, and the process Evergy Metro employed when

making the decision under review, were reasonable based on the circumstances at the time the decision was made, without the benefit of hindsight. During its review, Staff found no evidence of imprudence by Evergy Metro.

The Commission finds Staff's report and recommendation regarding its prudence review of Evergy Metro's fuel and purchased power costs and off-system sales revenue associated with its fuel adjustment clause to be reasonable, and will approve it.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The Staff Report for the sixth prudence review of costs related to the fuel adjustment clause for the electric operations of Evergy Metro is approved.
2. This order shall become effective on April 18, 2025.
3. This file shall be closed on April 19, 2025.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Nancy Dippell".

Nancy Dippell  
Secretary

Hahn, Ch., Coleman, Kolkmeier,  
and Mitchell CC., concur.

Pridgin, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge

**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 19<sup>th</sup> day of March 2025.**



*Nancy Dippell*  
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**Nancy Dippell**  
**Secretary**

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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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