

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a )  
Evergy Missouri Metro's Submission of Its ) **File No. EO-2025-0282**  
2024 Renewable Energy Standard )  
Compliance Report )

In the Matter of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. )  
d/b/a Evergy Missouri West's Submission of ) **File No. EO-2025-0283**  
Its 2024 Renewable Energy Standard )  
Compliance Report )

In the Matter of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a )  
Evergy Missouri Metro's Submission of Its ) **File No. EO-2025-0284**  
2025 Renewable Energy Standard )  
Compliance Plan )

In the Matter of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. )  
d/b/a Evergy Missouri West's Submission of ) **File No. EO-2025-0285**  
Its 2025 Renewable Energy Standard )  
Compliance Plan )

## NOTICE REGARDING 2024 RES COMPLIANCE REPORTS AND 2025 RES COMPLIANCE PLANS AND ORDER GRANTING VARIANCE

Issue Date: June 10, 2025

Effective date: July 10, 2025

On April 15, 2025,<sup>1</sup> Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West and Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro (collectively, "Evergy") filed their Renewable Energy Standard (RES) Compliance Reports (Reports) for 2024, as required by Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(A) and their RES Compliance Plans (Plans) for 2025, as required by Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(B).

Along with its Reports, Evergy requested a variance from Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(A)1.I.(V), which requires meter readings used for calculation of the payments for Renewable Energy Credits (RECs) by the electric utility to renewable

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<sup>1</sup> Unless otherwise noted, all dates refer to the year 2025.

energy resources not owned by the electric utility. Evergy explained in its Reports that certain meter reading information is not provided by the vendors from whom Evergy purchases RECs, but that substitute invoice information was submitted to the Staff of the Commission (Staff). Evergy and its predecessor have been granted similar waivers in past compliance years.

Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8) requires Staff to review the utilities' compliance Reports and Plans and to file a report about its review within 45 days of the filing of the Reports and Plans. The Office of the Public Counsel (OPC) and any other interested parties have the same 45-day period in which to file comments.<sup>2</sup>

On May 30, Staff filed a report on its review of the Reports and Plans. Staff reported that Evergy's 2025 Plans meet the minimum requirements of Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(B). Staff also reported that Evergy complied with RES requirements for its Reports for the 2024 compliance year.

Staff's May 30<sup>th</sup> report recommends the Commission grant Evergy the requested variance from Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(A)1.I.(V) because meter reading information is not provided by the vendors from which Evergy purchases RECs. The Commission finds the variance request reasonable and will grant it.

The Commission's rule concerning RES Compliance Reports and Plans does not identify a required action the Commission is to take, except to allow the Commission to direct the utility to provide additional information or to address any concerns or deficiencies identified in the comments.<sup>3</sup> Consequently, no further action by the Commission is required.

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<sup>2</sup> Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(D).

<sup>3</sup> 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(F).

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. Everygy Missouri Metro is granted a limited variance from the requirement of Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(A)1.I.(V) that meter readings be used for calculation of the payments for RECs by the electric utility to renewable energy resources not owned by the electric utility. Everygy Missouri Metro may substitute invoices or another reasonable substitute when meter readings are not available for energy purchases from Spearville 3, Cimarron, Slate Creek, Osborn, Waverly, Prairie Queen, Ponderosa, Rock Creek, and Pratt wind farms.

2. Everygy Missouri West is granted a limited variance from the requirement of Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(A)1.I.(V) that meter readings be used for calculation of the payments for RECs by the electric utility to renewable energy resources not owned by the electric utility. Everygy Missouri West may substitute invoices or another reasonable substitute when meter readings are not available for energy purchases from Gray County, Ensign, Osborn, Prairie Queen, Pratt, Rock Creek, and Cimarron Bend III wind farms.

3. The Commission makes no ratemaking determination in this order.

4. This order shall be effective on July 10, 2025.

5. This file shall be closed on July 11, 2025.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Nancy Dippell".

Nancy Dippell  
Secretary

Nancy Dippell, Chief Regulatory  
Law Judge, by delegation of authority  
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
On the 10<sup>th</sup> day of June, 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 10<sup>th</sup> day of June 2025.**



*Nancy Dippell*

**Nancy Dippell**  
**Secretary**

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**June 10, 2025**

**File/Case No. EO-2025-0282, EO-2025-0283, EO-2025-0284 and EO-2025-0285**

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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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