

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Debbie Feken)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	<u>File No. EC-2020-0183</u>
)	
The Empire District Electric Company)	
)	
Respondent.)	

PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE ORDER

Issue Date: May 18, 2020

Effective Date: May 18, 2020

On April 27, 2020,¹ the Commission ordered the parties to confer and file a proposed procedural schedule no later than May 12. The parties complied. The Commission will adopt the following procedural schedule and requirements.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The following procedural deadlines and hearing date are established:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Date</u>
Rebuttal Testimony (By Respondent)	May 26, 2020
Optional Surrebuttal Testimony (By Complainant and/or Staff)	June 17, 2020
Issues List	July 1, 2020
Hearing	July 8, 2020

2. By agreement of the parties, Complainant's (Ms. Feken) Complaint shall be received as her prefiled Direct Testimony. Nothing in this order shall limit Ms. Feken's

¹ All date references hereinafter will be to 2020 unless otherwise indicated.

right to develop and explain in her live testimony at the hearing any matter addressed directly or indirectly by her Complaint or to address any matter raised in Respondent's rebuttal or Staff's surrebuttal. Likewise, nothing in this order shall limit Respondent's right to respond and address any matter which Ms. Feken may raise at the hearing.

3. Unless conducted by videoconferencing (Zoom or Webex) because of the COVID 19 pandemic, the evidentiary hearing shall occur on July 8, 2020, commencing at 9:00 a.m. at the Commission's office at the Governor Office Building, 200 Madison Street, Jefferson City, Missouri, Room 310. This building meets accessibility standards required by the Americans with Disabilities Act. If additional accommodations to participate in this hearing are needed, any party or witness may call the Public Service Commission's Hotline at 1-800- 392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 before the conference.

4. The Commission may issue further orders as required to address the COVID 19 pandemic.

5. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Paul T. Graham, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority
under Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 18th day of May, 2020.

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 18th day of May 2020.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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

Sincerely,



**Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary**

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