BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION 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 Evergy) Missouri West for Permission and Approval of) a Certificate of Public Convenience and) Necessity Authorizing It to Construct, Install,) Own, Operate, Maintain and Otherwise Control) and Manage Solar Generation Facilities in) Kansas City, Missouri.)

Case No. EA-2022-0043

RESPONSE TO ORDER APPROVING STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT

COMES NOW, Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro ("Evergy Missouri Metro") and Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West ("Evergy Missouri West") (collectively, "Evergy" or the "Company") and pursuant to the Missouri Public Service Commission's ("Commission") *Order Approving Stipulation and Agreement* issued on May 12, 2022 ("Order"), states as follows:

BACKGROUND

1. On May 4, 2022, the Company, Staff ("Staff") for the Commission, Renew Missouri Advocates d/b/a Renew Missouri ("Renew Missouri") and the Office of the Public Counsel ("OPC") (collectively the "Signatories") filed the *Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement* ("Stipulation), which was approved by the Commission's Order.¹

2. The Stipulation, as approved by the Order, contained the following condition:

<u>Staff Proposed Condition 2</u>. Staff recommends that the Commission order Evergy to file its overview of plans for restoration of safe and adequate service in this case with consideration of the existing Hawthorn site facilities prior to Evergy exercising the authority sought.

¹ See, Order, p. 3, Ordering ¶2, dated May 12, 2022.

3. Attached as **CONFIDENTIAL Exhibit A**, please find the Company's Overview of Plans for Restoration of Safe and Adequate Service After Significant, Unplanned/Forced Outages of an Asset.

WHEREFORE, the Company submits the attached pursuant to the Stipulation and Staff Condition 2 discussed above and herein.

Respectfully submitted,

s Roger W. Steiner

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that true and correct copies of the foregoing have been e-mailed

to counsel of record for all parties this 17th day of May 2022.

|s| Roger W. Steiner_

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EXHIBIT A CONTAINS CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION NOT AVAILBLE TO THE PUBLIC.

ORIGINALS FILED UNDER SEAL.