

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Spire Missouri Inc.'s )  
Verified Application for Issuance of a )  
Depreciation Authority Order Related to )  
Smart Meter Devices )

**File No. GO-2020-0416**

## ORDER GRANTING APPLICATIONS TO INTERVENE

Issue Date: July 22, 2020

Effective Date: July 22, 2020

On June 25, 2020, Spire Missouri Inc. applied for a depreciation authority order establishing a new annual depreciation rate for smart meter devices.

On July 10, 2020, Missouri School Boards' Association (MSBA) and Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers (MIEC) filed applications to intervene. MSBA's application contends its interests are "unique and cannot be reasonably represented by any other entity." MIEC's applications contends its interests are different from the general public and may be adversely affected as a result of this case. More than 10 days have passed since MSBA and MIEC applied to intervene; no party has objected to MSBA's or MIEC's applications.

The Commission will grant MSBA's and MIEC's applications to intervene based on a determination that intervention will serve the public interest.<sup>1</sup>

### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. MSBA's application to intervene is granted.
2. MIEC's application to intervene is granted.
3. This order shall be effective when issued.

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<sup>1</sup> Bases for granting intervention include a finding intervention will serve the public interest. 20 CSR 4240-2.075(3).



**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

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 22nd day of July, 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 22<sup>nd</sup> day of July 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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