

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Ameren)
Transmission Company of Illinois for a Certificate)
of Convenience and Necessity to Construct,)
Install, Own, Operate, Maintain, and Otherwise) **Case No. EA-2025-0222**
Control and Manage a 138kV Transmission Line)
and Associated Facilities in Perry County,)
Missouri)

ORDER SETTING LOCAL PUBLIC HEARINGS

Issue Date: July 14, 2025

Effective Date: July 14, 2025

On July 8, 2025,¹ the Office of the Public Counsel filed its *Unopposed Motion to Set Local Public Hearings, Direct Notice, and Extend Staff Recommendation (Motion)*.

The Motion requests the Commission set local public hearings on the application of Ameren Transmission Company of Illinois (ATXI). The motion requests an order setting a virtual local public hearing and an in-person local public hearing, offering dates, times, and locations for the two hearings. The Motion states that OPC has conferred with ATXI and the Staff of the Commission (Staff) and neither oppose the request. The Motion also requests notice of the local public hearings be provided to interested parties, suggesting methods for doing so.

In addition, because the requested dates for the local public hearings are beyond the deadline date of July 31 set by the Commission for Staff's recommendation regarding ATXI's application,² the Motion requests that the deadline be extended to September 15. OPC states that ATXI and Staff do not oppose extension of the deadline.

¹ Unless otherwise noted, all dates refer to the year 2025.

² *Order Directing Notice, Setting Intervention Deadline, and Directing Staff Recommendation*, issued May 2, 2025

The Commission will set local public hearings as requested by OPC, direct notice, and extend the deadline for Staff's recommendation.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. A virtual local public hearing shall be held via the internet-based video and teleconferencing service, WebEx, to begin at **12:00 p.m. on Monday, August 18, 2025.**

a. To attend the virtual local public hearing **by telephone**, at the time of the hearing call toll free 1-650-479-3207, listen to the prompt and enter the meeting number/access code 2863 718 9332, followed by # (pound/hashtag symbol). If prompted for a password, enter 0222.

b. To attend a virtual local public hearing **by video/internet** visit the website at www.webex.com or download the Cisco WebEx Meetings application. At hearing time, enter the meeting number/access code 2863 718 9332 and password 0222.

2. An in-person local public hearing shall be held at the **Trinity Lutheran Church Gym, 57 Church Street, Altenburg, Missouri** to begin at **6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 26, 2025.**

3. Each local public hearing shall begin with an informal presentation and question-and-answer session conducted by the Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department. Formal public comments to the Commission will begin immediately following the conclusion of the question-and-answer session.

4. Any person who needs an accommodation to participate in the hearing should call the Public Service Commission's Hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 before the hearing.

5. Written comments may be submitted to the Commission by mailing the comment to the Missouri Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, MO 65102, or by using the Commission's Electronic Filing and Information System (EFIS) at

https://psc.mo.gov/General/Submit_Comments. When submitting comments please reference Case No. EA-2025-0222.

6. The Commission's Data Center shall serve a copy of this order upon the county commissions for Perry County and to the members of the General Assembly representing Perry County.

7. The Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department shall provide a copy of this order to the news media serving Perry County.

8. ATXI shall provide notice of the local public hearings to all individuals/entities who own property within 750 feet of the centerline of the proposed route for the project, as stated in the records of the Perry County Assessor. Notice shall be sent via the United States Postal Service and shall be postmarked no later than August 1, 2025. Further, ATXI shall provide electronic notification of the local public hearings to all individuals/entities for whom ATXI has contact information. Electronic notification (email and/or text message) shall be sent no later than three days before the local public hearings.

9. Staff is granted an extension to September 15, 2025, in which to file a recommendation regarding ATXI's application, or to request additional time in which to file the recommendation.

10. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Nancy Dippell". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Nancy Dippell
Secretary

Kenneth J. Seyer, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

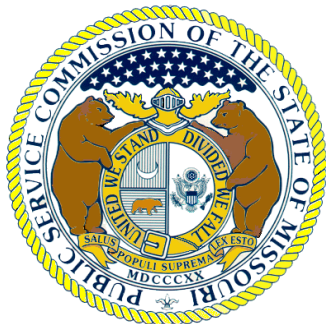
Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri
on this 14th day of July, 2025.

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 14th day of July 2025.



Nancy Dippell

Nancy Dippell
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,



**Nancy Dippell
Secretary**

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