# 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 for )
Approval of Tariff Revisions )

\*\*File No. ET-2021-0109\*\*

\*\*Option 1.5\*\*

\*\*Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro for )

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## ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE AND SETTING EXPEDITED DEADLINES FOR INTERVENTION AND STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: October 9, 2020 Effective Date: October 9, 2020

On October 8, 2020, Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro filed an application for approval of three tariff revisions as part of its Customer Forward Program. Attached thereto as Exhibit A are exemplars of the tariff sheets to be filed, but no changes to the tariffs have yet been officially filed, thus there is no pending tariff effective date.

However, Evergy Missouri Metro has requested a Commission order approving the revisions no later than November 11, 2020, in order to allow for several months of testing of the changes prior to a January 18, 2021 implementation date. If approved, Evergy Missouri Metro will then file compliance tariffs, which will coincide with the implementation date. Evergy Missouri Metro's application notes that it has worked with the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) on the revisions.

Evergy Missouri Metro also requested waiver of the sixty-day notice of filing requirement and seeks expedited treatment.

The Commission directs notice of the pending tariff and application, sets the time for intervention requests, and sets a deadline for Staff's recommendation. The Commission

notes that there are two holidays within the thirty-four day time frame requested by Evergy Missouri Metro, including Veterans' Day on November 11, 2020.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The Commission's Data Center shall provide a copy of this order to the county commission for each county in the Missouri service territory of Evergy Missouri Metro.
- 2. The Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department shall provide a copy of this order to the members of the Missouri General Assembly whose districts include any of Evergy Missouri Metro's service territory.
- 3. Any application for intervention shall be filed no later than October 23, 2020. Any such filing shall be delivered to:

Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission Post Office Box 360 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

or transmitted through the Commission's electronic filing and information service

- 4. No later than October 23, 2020, the Commission's Staff shall file either a recommendation regarding Evergy Missouri Metro's application, or a status report.
  - 5. This order shall be effective when issued.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Secretary

Charles Hatcher, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 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 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

### MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION October 9, 2020

#### File/Case No. ET-2021-0109

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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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Recipients listed above with a valid e-mail address will receive electronic service. Recipients without a valid e-mail address will receive paper service.