# 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	)	File No. EU-2020-0350
Evergy Missouri West for an Accounting	)	·
Authority Order Allowing the Companies to	)	
Record and Preserve Costs Related to	)	
COVID-19 Expenses	)	

#### ORDER SETTING TIME FOR OBJECTIONS

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

On May 6, 2020, Evergy Metro Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro and Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West (collectively "Evergy") applied for an accounting authority order to govern costs and financial impacts associated with the COVID-19 pandemic.

On October 8, 2020, some of the parties filed a *Non-unanimous Stipulation and Agreement* proposing to resolve the case. The signatories to the agreement are Evergy, the Staff of the Commission, Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers, Midwest Energy Consumers Group, and Sierra Club. Three other parties, Missouri-American Water Company, Spire Missouri, and Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri, are not signatories to the agreement. However, the agreement indicates those three parties do not object to the agreement and will not request a hearing. No representation is made as to the position of the remaining parties.

After the filing of a stipulation and agreement entered into by fewer than all of the parties, Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.115(2)(B),(C) provides parties seven days to

file objections. Failure to file a timely objection waives any right to hearing. If no timely objections are filed, the Commission may treat such an agreement as unanimous.

The Commission will order the filing of any objections, as provided by rule.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Any objection to the *Non-unanimous Stipulation and Agreement* shall be filed no later than October 15, 2020.
  - 2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

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 9th 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. EU-2020-0350

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

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