

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a)
Ameren Missouri's Requests for a Temporary Waiver)
of Various Tariffs and Commission Order to Delay)
Implementation of Certain Time-of-Use Rates and)
Related Communication Tools for Residential)
Customers, a Permanent Waiver of Various)
Regulations to Cease Printing Beginning and Ending)
Readings on All Residential Customer Bills, for)
Waiver of 60-Day Notice Requirement, and for)
Expedited Treatment)

File No. EE-2021-0103

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO INTERVENE

Issue Date: November 6, 2020

Effective Date: November 6, 2020

On October 6, 2020, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri filed an application for a temporary waiver from provisions of its tariffs and a Commission order authorizing Ameren Missouri to temporarily delay certain time-of-use (TOU) rates being offered to or becoming default rates for residential customers for up to five months. Ameren Missouri also requested a permanent variance from portions of the Commission's rules that would allow it to cease printing beginning and ending readings on all bills for residential customers with Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI) meters. In addition, Ameren Missouri requested a waiver of the 60-day notice requirement and that the Commission expedite a decision in this matter to become effective no later than December 31, 2020. The Commission directed notice and set a deadline of October 29, 2020, for applications to intervene.

On October 23, 2020, Consumers Council of Missouri filed an application to intervene. On October 29, 2020, Consumers Council filed a corrected application to intervene in order to correct typographical errors in the original application. Consumers

Council stated that it is a non-profit corporation that represents and advocates for residential electric consumers through the development of consumer-friendly practices and regulations. Consumers Council stated that it has been granted intervention in other Commission proceedings where similar Ameren Missouri billing topics are involved. Consumers Council did not state any objection to Ameren Missouri's application or request a hearing.

More than ten days have passed since Consumers Council's application to intervene was filed and no one has responded. After considering the unopposed application to intervene, the Commission finds that Consumers Council has interests which are different from that of the general public and allowing it to intervene will serve the public interest. Therefore, in accordance with Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.075(3), the Commission will grant the application to intervene.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The application to intervene of Consumers Council is granted.
2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

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

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Nancy Dippell, Senior Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 6th day of November, 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 6th day of November, 2020.**

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

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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