

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Evergy )  
Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri ) **Case No. ER-2025-0348**  
West for Authority to Implement Rate ) Tracking No. JE-2025-0180  
Adjustments Required by 20 CSR 4240- )  
20.090(8) and the Company's Approved )  
Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery )  
Mechanism )

In the Matter of the Application of Evergy )  
Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri ) **Case No. EO-2025-0347**  
West Containing Its Semi-Annual Fuel )  
Adjustment Clause True-Up )

## ORDER APPROVING FUEL ADJUSTMENT TRUE-UP AND APPROVING TARIFF TO CHANGE FUEL ADJUSTMENT RATES

Issue Date: August 12, 2025

Effective Date: September 1, 2025

On June 30, 2025,<sup>1</sup> in Case No. ER-2025-0348, Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West submitted direct testimony and a tariff sheet, assigned Tracking No. JE-2025-0180, revising its Fuel Adjustment Rate (FAR) of its Fuel Adjustment Clause (FAC). On the same date, in Case No. EO-2025-0347, Evergy Missouri West submitted an application containing its 33<sup>rd</sup> true-up filing for its FAC. Evergy Missouri West requested that the Commission authorize a true-up adjustment and implement it under its FAC tariff. The proposed tariff sheet has an effective date of September 1, 2025.

### **FAC True-Up**

The true-up amount identified in Case No. EO-2025-0347 is the result of an under-collection of \$743,077 from customers during Recovery Period 33 (RP33) from

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<sup>1</sup> All dates refer to 2025 unless otherwise indicated.

March 1, 2024, through February 28, 2025. That true-up amount is included in the Fuel and Purchased Power (FPA) amount in Evergy Missouri West's Accumulation Period 36 (AP36) adjustment filing in Case No. ER-2025-0348, which Evergy Missouri West filed in compliance with its FAC.

The Staff of the Commission (Staff) filed its recommendation regarding Evergy Missouri West's true-up on July 29, 2025, in which it examined the direct testimony of Linda J. Nunn, her supporting work papers, and the monthly information Evergy Missouri West provided with its application. Staff recommended that the Commission approve Evergy Missouri West's RP33 true-up filing for inclusion in the changes in Evergy Missouri West's AP36 adjustment filing in Case No. ER-2025-0348. No party objected to Staff's recommendations.

Based on the Commission's review of the verified filings, the Commission finds that the unopposed true-up amount is correct. The Commission will authorize Evergy Missouri West to include the calculated amount in its next FAC accumulation period as previously described.

### **FAC Tariff Sheet**

With regard to Evergy Missouri West's request to approve its FAC tariff sheet, the dollar amount used to calculate the proposed schedules for AP36 is \$8,949,036, which includes \$8,615,278<sup>2</sup>, the true-up amount for RP33 of \$743,077, and interest for AP36 of \$409,319. Based on an average monthly usage of 1,000 kWh, the proposed change would result in an increase in the bill of a typical residential customer of approximately \$1.81 per

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<sup>2</sup> This quantity represents 95% of the difference between: a) Evergy Missouri West's jurisdiction actual fuel costs plus purchased power costs plus net emissions allowance costs less off-system sales revenue and less renewable energy credits ("REC") revenue; and b) Evergy Missouri West's jurisdiction net base energy cost during AP36.

month.

Staff filed its recommendation regarding Evergy Missouri West's tariff sheet on July 29, 2025. Staff verified that Evergy Missouri West's actual fuel and purchased power costs match the fuel and purchased power costs included in the company's calculated rates set out in the submitted tariff. Staff also reviewed Evergy Missouri West's monthly interest rates that are applied to the monthly cumulative over- and under-recovery amounts for AP36, and verified that the monthly interest rates and calculations are correct. Staff recommended the Commission approve the FAR tariff to become effective on September 1, 2025. No party objected to Staff's recommendations.

### **Conclusion**

Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.090(8) requires the Commission to issue an order approving or rejecting the company's tariff within 60 days of its filing. If the FAC rate adjustment complies with the Commission's rule, Section 386.266, RSMo, and the FAC mechanism established in the most recent general rate proceeding, the Commission is required to approve the rate adjustment or allow the proposed tariff implementing the adjustment go into effect by operation of law.<sup>3</sup>

The Commission has reviewed Evergy Missouri West's verified application and testimony, Evergy Missouri West's tariff filing, and Staff's verified recommendations and memorandums, and finds that the tariff sheet implementing the FAC rate adjustment is in compliance with the Commission's order establishing the FAC and with all applicable statutes and regulations. Therefore, the Commission will approve Evergy Missouri West's proposed tariff.

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<sup>3</sup> Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.090(8).

Without Commission action, the tariff will become effective by operation of law on September 1, 2025. Additionally, as noted above, the Commission's rule requires an order be issued within 60 days of the tariff filing. Therefore, the Commission finds it reasonable to make this order effective in less than 30 days.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The true-up amount for RP33 is established for Evergy Missouri West as an under-collection of \$743,077 from its customers and shall be reflected in the rate adjustment in Case No. ER-2025-0348.

2. Evergy Missouri West's tariff filing in Case No. ER-2025-0348, assigned Tracking No. JE-2025-0180, is approved to be effective September 1, 2025, as an interim rate adjustment, subject to true-up and prudence reviews. The tariff approved is:

**P.S.C. Mo. No. 1**

1st Revised Sheet No. 124.10, Canceling Original Sheet No. 124.10

3. This order shall become effective on September 1, 2025.

4. These two cases shall close on September 2, 2025.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



*Nancy Dippell*

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Secretary

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

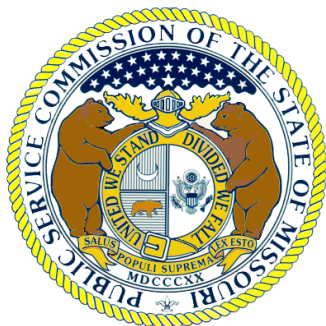
Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 12th day of August, 2025.

**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 12<sup>th</sup> day of August 2025.**



*Nancy Dippell*

**Nancy Dippell**  
**Secretary**

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**August 12, 2025**

**File/Case No. EO-2025-0347 and ER-2025-0348**

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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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