

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Request of The Empire )  
District Electric Company d/b/a Liberty for )  
Authority to File Tariffs Increasing Rates ) **File No. ER-2021-0312**  
for Electric Service Provided to Customers )  
in its Missouri Service Area )

## ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO INTERVENE

Issue Date: June 9, 2021

Effective Date: June 9, 2021

On May 28, 2021, The Empire District Electric Company d/b/a Liberty filed revised tariff sheets with the Commission to implement a general rate increase. Also on May 28, 2021, Midwest Energy Consumers Group filed an application to intervene. Commission rule 20 CSR 4240-2.080(13) provides that parties shall be allowed ten days from the date of filing in which to respond to any pleading unless otherwise ordered by the Commission. Ten days have elapsed, and no party has objected to the application to intervene. The application satisfies the requirements of Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.075 and intervention will be granted.

### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Midwest Energy Consumers Group's application to intervene is granted.
2. This order is effective when issued.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

John T. Clark, Senior 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 June, 2021.