

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of Evergy Missouri West, Inc.	)	
d/b/a Evergy Missouri West's Request for	)	<u>File No. ER-2024-0189</u>
Authority to Implement a General Rate	)	
Increase for Electric Service	)	

**JOINT LIST OF ISSUES, ORDER OF OPENING STATEMENTS,
ORDER OF WITNESSES, ORDER OF CROSS-EXAMINATION,
AND REQUEST TO POSTPONE START OF EVIDENTIARY HEARING**

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), by and through the undersigned counsel, and on behalf of itself, Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West ("Evergy"), the Office of the Public Counsel ("OPC"), and the Midwest Energy Consumers Group ("MECG") (collectively, the "Parties"), and in response to the Commission's *Order Setting Procedural Schedule*, issued on August 27, 2025, tenders the following *Joint List of Issues, Order of Opening Statements, Order of Witnesses, Order of Cross-Examination, and Request to Postpone Start of Evidentiary Hearing*:

I. LIST OF ISSUES

1. In this case, should the Commission determine it is prudent for Evergy to renew its firm point-to-point transmission service agreement with Entergy Corp. before it expires in February 2029?

II. ORDER OF OPENING STATEMENTS

Evergy
Staff
MECG
OPC

III. ORDER OF WITNESSES AND CROSS EXAMINATION

1. Evergy

Kevin Gunn
Peter Rogge
Cody VandeVelde
Darrin Ives

Order of Cross-Examination: MEEG, Staff, OPC

2. MEEG

Greg Meyer

Order of Cross-Examination: OPC, Staff, Evergy

3. Staff

Keith Majors

Order of Cross-Examination: OPC, MEEG, Evergy

4. OPC

David Murray
Dr. Geoff Marke
Lena Mantle

Order of Cross-Examination: Staff, MEEG, Evergy

IV. REQUEST TO POSTPONE START OF EVIDENTIARY HEARING

1. The Parties respectfully request that the Commission delay the start of the evidentiary hearing from Monday, November 3, 2025 to Tuesday, November 4, 2025.

WHEREFORE, Staff respectfully submits this filing on behalf of the parties in response to the Commission's *Order Setting Procedural Schedule* and respectfully requests that the Commission delay the start of evidentiary hearing in this proceeding from Monday, November 3, 2025 to Tuesday, November 4, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed or hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all parties and/or counsel of record on this 22nd day of October, 2025.

/s/ Travis J. Pringle