

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

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Evergy)
Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro and)
Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri)
West for a Variance from the Commission's Billing)
and Payment Standards)

File No. ET-2020-0133

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Issue Date: December 9, 2019

Effective Date: December 9, 2019

On November 12, 2019, Evergy Metro, Inc., d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro and Evergy Missouri West, Inc., d/b/a Evergy Missouri West filed a request for a variance from the Commission's billing and payment standards. The Commission issued notice of this application, and ordered Staff to file a Recommendation no later than November 27, 2019.

On November 27, 2019, Staff filed its Request for Extension of Time to File Recommendation. Staff states that due to the applicants' responses to data requests and Staff's workloads, it will be unable to file its Recommendation by November 27, 2019. Staff asks the Commission to extend Staff's deadline to February 26, 2020.

The Commission issued an Order Directing Filing on November 27, 2019, giving parties until December 4, 2019 to object. The Commission received no objections.

The Commission finds Staff's request reasonable, and will grant it.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Staff of the Commission's Request for Extension of Time to File Recommendation is granted.

2. The Staff of the Commission shall file a Recommendation no later than February 26, 2020.

3. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

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

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Ronald D. Pridgin, Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 9th day of December, 2019.