

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

In the Matter of the Application of )  
White River Valley Electric )  
Cooperative, Inc. For Approval of )  
Designated Service Boundaries )  
Within Portions of Christian County, )  
Missouri. )

**Case No. EO-2025-0228**

**ORDER SETTING PREHEARING CONFERENCE**

Issue Date: December 31, 2025

Effective Date: December 31, 2025

On February 19, 2025, White River Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc. (White River) filed an Application for Approval of Designated Service Boundaries within Christian County, Missouri pursuant to RSMo 386.800.3 and 20 CSR 4240-20.045. On December 10, 2025, White River Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc. (“White River”), and The Empire District Electric Company d/b/a Liberty (“Liberty”) filed a *Stipulation and Agreement*. On December 17, 2025, the Office of Public Counsel filed *The Office of Public Counsel’s Objection to the Stipulation and Agreement*.

It is now appropriate to schedule the Prehearing Conference so the parties may discuss whether a hearing is needed, what dates would be appropriate for that hearing and what dates would be appropriate for a procedural schedule. A prehearing conference will be ordered for January 15, 2026, at 2:00 p.m. by Webex.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The Commission will convene a prehearing conference on January 15, 2026, at 2:00 p.m., via WebEx. The Commission will send parties information needed to access WebEx for the conference via email.

2. This order shall be effective when issued.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

*Nancy Dippell*

Nancy Dippell  
Secretary

Karolin S. Walker, Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant  
to Section 386.240, RSMo (2016).

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 31<sup>st</sup> day of December 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 31<sup>st</sup> day of December 2025.**



*Nancy Dippell*  
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**Nancy Dippell**  
**Secretary**

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**December 31, 2025**

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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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