

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held by telephone
and internet audio conference on
the 31st day of March, 2021.

In the Matter of the Application of Blodgett)	
Paint Ball & Fun Factory LLC for a Change)	
of Electric Supplier to Union Electric)	<u>File No. EO-2021-0163</u>
Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri from)	
SEMO Electric Cooperative)	

**ORDER ESTABLISHING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE AND OTHER
PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS**

Issue Date: March 31, 2021

Effective Date: March 31, 2021

On December 4, 2020, Blodgett Paint Ball & Fun Factory LLC filed an application with the Missouri Public Service Commission requesting a change of their electric supplier from Semo Electric Cooperative (Semo) to Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri. The Commission ordered its Staff (Staff) to file a recommendation, which Staff did on February 11, 2021.

The Commission ordered Staff to file a procedural schedule on behalf of the parties. The Commission's Staff timely filed a proposed procedural schedule, which the Commission will adopt.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The following procedural schedule is established:

Direct Testimony (Blodgett Paint Ball & Fun
Factory)

April 9, 2021

Rebuttal Testimony (Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri, SEMO Electric Cooperative, Staff)	April 30, 2021
Surrebuttal (All Parties)	May 7, 2021
Stipulation of Facts	May 14, 2021
Last Day to Request Discovery	May 20, 2021
List of Issues, List of Witnesses, and Order of Cross-Examination Due	May 21, 2021
Position Statements	May 26, 2021
Evidentiary Hearing	June 10, 2021
Initial Briefs	July 1, 2021
Reply Briefs	July 15, 2021

2. The parties shall appear for an evidentiary hearing at 9:00 a.m. on June 10, 2021. The evidentiary hearing shall be held by video and teleconference via WebEx. Participants shall appear at the evidentiary hearing telephonically via WebEx video and telephone conference. The hearing will also be live-streamed via the Commission's website at www.psc.mo.gov. Interested persons who will not be actively participating in the hearing should access the hearing via the live stream. The link and access code to participate in the hearing via WebEx conference call will be emailed to all parties.

3. Those who require additional accommodations to participate in this hearing may call the Public Service Commission's hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 before the hearing.

4. All exhibits and presentations that any party intends to use at the hearing shall be emailed to the Regulatory Law Judge and counsel for each party no later than June 8, 2021.

5. The parties shall comply with the following additional procedural requirements:

- A. All parties will provide copies of testimony (including schedules), exhibits and pleadings to other counsel of record by electronic means and in electronic form essentially concurrently with the filing of such testimony, exhibits or pleadings where the information is available in electronic format. Parties are not required to put information that does not exist in electronic format into electronic format for purposes of exchanging it.
- B. Parties must try to not include in data request questions either highly confidential or proprietary information. If either highly confidential or proprietary information must be included in data request questions, the highly confidential or proprietary information will be appropriately designated as such pursuant to Rule 4 CSR 4240-2.135.
- C. When serving a data request, the party serving the request will send to counsel for each party an electronic copy of the text of the "description" of that data request contemporaneously with service of the data request. Regarding Staff-issued data requests, if the description contains highly confidential or proprietary information or is voluminous, a hyperlink to the EFIS record of that data request is a sufficient copy. If a party desires the response to a data request that has been served on another party, the party desiring a copy of the response shall request a copy of the response from the party answering the data request. Data requests, objections to data requests, and notifications respecting the need for additional time to respond to data requests will be sent by e-mail to counsel for the other parties. Counsel may designate other personnel to be added to the service list for data requests, but assumes responsibility for compliance with any restrictions on confidentiality. Data request responses shall be served electronically, if feasible and not voluminous as defined by Commission rule, on counsel for the requesting party, unless counsel for the requesting party requests otherwise in writing. Responses to Staff data requests must be submitted in EFIS, if feasible, or in electronic format on compact disc or by other means agreed to by Staff counsel, if infeasible. All data requests to Staff must be submitted in EFIS.

- D. For data requests issued prior to the order that establishes the procedural schedule in this case, the response time for all data requests shall be 20 calendar days, and 10 calendar days to object or notify that more than 20 calendar days will be needed to provide the requested information. For data requests issued after the order that establishes the procedural schedule in this case issues, the response time for data requests shall be 10 calendar days to provide the requested information, and 5 business days to object or notify that more than 10 calendar days will be needed to provide the requested information. Data requests issued after 5:00 pm will be considered served on the next business day.
- E. Workpapers that were prepared in the course of developing a witness' testimony will not be filed with the Commission, but copies of them will be sent to each party within 2 business days following the filing of the particular testimony without further request. Workpapers containing highly confidential or proprietary information shall be appropriately marked. Since workpapers for certain parties may be voluminous and generally not all parties are interested in receiving workpapers or a complete set of workpapers, a party shall be relieved of providing workpapers to those parties indicating that they are not interested in receiving workpapers or a complete set of workpapers. If there are no workpapers associated with testimony, the party's attorney shall so notify the other parties within the time allowed for providing those workpapers.
- F. Where workpapers or data request responses include models or spreadsheets or similar information originally in a commonly available format where inputs or parameters may be changed to observe changes in outputs, if available in that original format, the party providing the workpaper or response shall provide such information in original format with all formulae intact.
- G. Documents in EFIS shall be considered properly served Ameren Missouri will not be required to serve confidential information by email.
- H. Exhibit numbers are assigned in the following manner:

Staff	1 – 100
Blodgett Paint Ball	101 – 200
Semo	201 – 300
Ameren Missouri	301 – 400

If any party requires additional exhibit numbers, it may add a 1 to the beginning of its assigned numbers. For example, if Complainant has exhibits in addition to exhibit number 99, its next exhibit numbers would be 1001, 1002, 1003, etc.

Exhibits shall be marked as set forth in Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.135(10)(C). For example, public exhibit two would be marked as Exhibit 2, whereas the confidential exhibit two would be marked as Exhibit 2C.

6. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Silvey, Chm., Kenney, Rupp, Coleman, and
Holsman CC., concur.

Clark, Senior Regulatory Law Judge


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 31st day of March, 2021.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,



**Morris L. Woodruff
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