

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

In the Matter of Spire Missouri, Inc.,)
d/b/a Spire's Revised PGA Rates for) **Case No. GR-2024-0341**
Spire Missouri West)

**STAFF'S REPLY AND RECOMMENDATION APPROVING SPIRE MISSOURI INC.,
D/B/A SPIRE'S 2023-2024 ACTUAL COST ADJUSTMENT BALANCES**

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), by and through counsel, hereby submits *Staff's Reply and Recommendation Approving Spire Missouri Inc., d/b/a Spire's ("Spire") 2023-2024 Actual Cost Adjustment ("ACA") Balances*, and further states as

1. On December 15, 2025, Staff filed its recommendation regarding Spire's ACA filing.
2. On December 17, 2025, the Commission issued an *Order Directing Response* to Spire; wherein, it ordered Spire to respond to Staff's Recommendation no later than January 16, 2026.
3. On January 16, 2026, Spire filed *Spire Missouri Inc.'s Response to Staff's Recommendation*; wherein, Spire accepted Staff's analysis and recommendations, including the ACA Balances.
4. The Commission has not issued an order directing responses from Staff at this time.
5. Staff has reviewed *Spire Missouri Inc.'s Response to Staff's Recommendation* and Staff is in agreement with Spire's responses to Staff's Reliability and Gas Supply Planning, Billed Revenue and Actual Gas Cost, and Hedging Recommendations.

6. Staff verified Spire's ACA balances listed in paragraph four ("4") of Spire's response to Staff's ACA balances on page eight ("8") of Staff's Recommendation Memo.

7. Staff recommends approval of the ending balance for the current ACA period 2023-2024 as shown below:

September 30, 2024 Ending ACA Balances			
Spire East	Company Filing	Staff Adjustments	Staff Recommended
Firm Sales	\$ 29,687,699.55	\$ (565,380.30)	\$ 29,122,319.25
LP Sales	\$ 2,282.73	\$ -	\$ 2,282.73
Spire West			
Firm Sales	\$ (8,864,873.82)	\$ (100,168.82)	\$ (8,965,042.64)

A positive ACA balance indicates an under-collection that must be recovered from customers. A negative ACA balance indicates an over-recovery that must be remitted to customers.

8. There are no remaining issues that may require a procedural schedule and such matter can be closed upon an Order approving Spire's 2023-2024 final ACA balances addressed in paragraph 7 above.

WHEREFORE, Staff submits its Staff Reply and Recommendation to Approve ACA Balances, and for the reasons stated above Staff respectfully recommends the Commission issue an order approving Spire's ACA balances as set forth in paragraph 7 above; close this case file; and any other relief as is just and reasonable under the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been transmitted by electronic mail to counsel of record this 2nd day of February, 2026.

/s/ J. Scott Stacey

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AFFIDAVIT OF ANNE M. CROWE

STATE OF MISSOURI)
)
COUNTY OF COLE)

COMES NOW ANNE M. CROWE, and on her oath declares that she is of sound mind and lawful age; that she contributed to the foregoing *Staff's Reply and Recommendation*; and that the same is true and correct according to her best knowledge and belief.

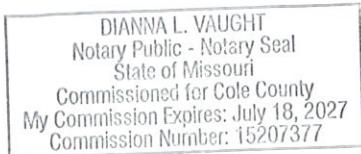
Further the Affiant sayeth not.

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JURAT

Subscribed and sworn before me, a duly constituted and authorized Notary Public, in and for the County of Cole, State of Missouri, at my office in Jefferson City, on this 29th day of January 2026.



Diana L. Vaught
Notary Public