

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

In the Matter of the Application and Petition	)	
of Spire Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Spire to Change	)	
Its Infrastructure System Replacement	)	<b><u>Case No. GR-2026-0133</u></b>
Surcharge in its Spire Missouri East and	)	Tracking No. JG-2026-0119
West Service Territories	)	

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”) and in response to the Commission’s March 6, 2026, *Order Directing Filing* (“Order”) submits its *Staff Recommendation* to the Commission as follows:

1. On February 24, 2026, Spire Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Spire (“Spire Missouri”) filed *Spire Missouri’s Response to Staff Recommendation*; wherein, Spire Missouri accepted Staff’s proposed revenue requirements for Spire Missouri East and Spire Missouri West as filed by Staff in its Staff Recommendation dated February 19, 2026. Spire Missouri has accepted Staff’s proposed rates – Appendix B-1 and B-2 from Staff’s Recommendation – as being the rates to be implemented. In short, Spire Missouri planned to file Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge (“ISRS”) rates that are consistent with Staff’s recommended ISRS rates.

2. On March 5, 2026, the Commission issued an “*Order Approving Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge*,” which authorized Spire Missouri to file a tariff sheet to recover the revenue requirement in this Order.

3. On March 5, 2026, Spire filed a cover letter and tariff sheet in order to comply with the Commission’s March 5, 2026, Order. The tariff sheet is labeled “Tenth Revised Sheet No. 12, with an effective date of April 4, 2026.”

4. Spire also filed a separate Motion for Expedited Treatment on March 5, 2026; wherein, Spire Missouri is requesting an effective date for its submitted tariff of March 19, 2026.

5. On March 6, 2026, the Commission issued its *Order Directing Filing* directing Staff to file a recommendation regarding Spire Missouri's revised tariff sheet (Tracking No. JG-2026-0119) no later than March 10, 2026.

6. Staff has reviewed Spire Missouri's tariff sheet filed on March 5, 2026, and finds the submitted revised tariff sheet complies with the Commission's March 5, 2026, Order.

7. Spire Missouri is not delinquent on its FY 2025 assessments and Spire Missouri has filed its 2024 annual report with the Commission.

8. Staff does not object to Spire Missouri's request for expedited treatment to the extent that the Commission approves a tariff effective date that provides for at least 10 days between the issue date and the effective date of the Commission order approving the tariff sheet. This is consistent with the September 18, 2018, Commission "Order Expedited Treatment and Approving Tariff Filings in Compliance with Commission Order" in Case Nos. GO-2018-0309 and GO-2018-0310.

**WHEREFORE**, for the reasons stated above, Staff recommends the Commission issue an order in this case that:

1. Approves Spire Missouri's ISRS tariff sheet:

P.S.C. MO. No. 9

Tenth Revised Sheet No. 12 / Cancelling Ninth Revised Sheet No. 12

(Submitted on March 5, 2026).

2. Approve an effective date of the Commission Order on Compliance that is at least 10 days after the issuance date of the Order on Compliance, and grant such other and further relief as the Commission finds appropriate under the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

**/s/ J. Scott Stacey**

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**ATTORNEY FOR STAFF OF THE  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been transmitted by electronic mail to counsel of record this 10th day of March, 2026.

**/s/ J. Scott Stacey**

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Territories )

**AFFIDAVIT OF LISA SCHLUP**

STATE OF MISSOURI )  
 ) ss.  
COUNTY OF COLE )

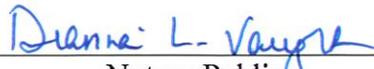
**COMES NOW LISA SCHLUP**, and on her oath declares that she is of sound mind and lawful age; that she contributed to the foregoing *Staff Recommendation*; and that the same is true and correct according to her best knowledge and belief, under penalty of perjury.

Further the Affiant sayeth not.

  
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LISA SCHLUP

**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 10<sup>th</sup> day of March 2026.

  
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Notary Public

DIANNA L. VAUGHT  
Notary Public - Notary Seal  
State of Missouri  
Commissioned for Cole County  
My Commission Expires: July 18, 2027  
Commission Number: 15207377