

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

Claude Scott,)	
)	
Complainant)	
v.)	<u>File No. GC-2026-0242</u>
)	
Spire Missouri, Inc., d/b/a Spire)	
)	
Respondent)	

ORDER STAYING STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: April 6, 2026

Effective Date: April 6, 2026

On March 19, 2026, the Commission directed its Staff (Staff) to file a pleading stating when it could file a Staff recommendation. Commission rule 20 CSR 4240-2.070(15)(D) requires Staff to file its report and recommendation within 45 days of a small formal complaint being filed, which may be extended upon a showing of good cause. The Commission found good cause to extend the time for a Staff recommendation.

As noted in the Commission’s March 19, 2026, *Order Giving Notice of Contested Case and Directing Answer*: “This complaint is similar to one of Scott’s previous complaints against Spire.”

Due to the similarity between Complainant’s prior complaint against Spire, the Commission will stay the requirement that Staff file a recommendation until it has had an opportunity to review Spire’s answer to the complaint. The Commission will determine after review whether a Staff recommendation is necessary.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The requirement that Staff file a pleading stating when it can file a recommendation, and the requirement that Staff file a recommendation, are stayed until further order by the Commission.
2. This order is effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Nancy Dippell

Nancy Dippell
Secretary

John T. Clark, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

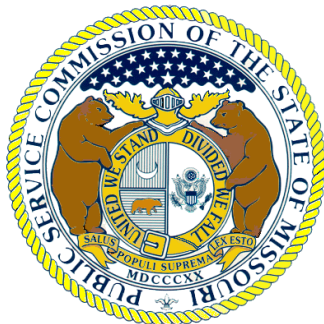
Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 6th day of April, 2026.

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 6th day of April 2026.



Nancy Dippell

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Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

April 6, 2026

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).¹

Sincerely,



**Nancy Dippell
Secretary**

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