

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Union)
Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri for)
Permission and Approval and Certificates of) **Case No. EA-2026-0226**
Public Convenience and Necessity for a)
Natural Gas Electrical Generation Facility)

ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, SETTING INTERVENTION DEADLINE, AND DIRECTING STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: July 27, 2026

Effective Date: July 27, 2026

On July 24, 2026, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri filed an application seeking an order granting a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) to construct an approximately 2,100 megawatt (MW) natural gas-fired electric generation facility. The facility will consist of three advanced-class combined cycle units to be located at the site of Ameren Missouri's existing Sioux Energy Center in West Alton, Missouri. Ameren Missouri requests the Commission grant it a CCN no later than May of 2027.

The application also seeks a determination under Section 393.135.2(1), RSMo (Supp. 2025), of the amount of Construction Work in Progress (CWIP) that may be included in rate base. Ameren Missouri also requests a determination that the project satisfies the reliable replacement electric generation provisions of Section 393.401, RSMo (Supp. 2025), arising from the retirement of the Sioux Energy Center.

The Commission will provide notice of the application to the general public and interested parties and set a deadline for intervention requests. The Commission will also direct its Staff to file its Recommendation regarding the application.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Data Center shall provide a copy of this order to the County Commission of St. Charles County, Missouri, and the Missouri Department of Natural Resources.
2. The Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department shall make notice of this order available to the media serving St. Charles County, Missouri.
3. Any person wishing to intervene in this matter shall file an application to intervene no later than August 17, 2026. The application shall be filed in the Commission's Electronic Filing and Information System (EFIS) or with the Secretary of the Commission.
4. The Commission's Staff shall file a Recommendation, or a request for an extension of time stating when it expects to file its Recommendation, no later than September 14, 2026.
5. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Nancy Dippell

Nancy Dippell
Secretary

Charles Hatcher, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 27th day of July, 2026.

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Pursuant to 386.290, RSMo., 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 27th day of July, 2026.



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MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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

Sincerely,



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Secretary**

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