

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

In the Matter of the Application of Central)
Missouri Electric Cooperative, Inc. for)
Approval of Designated Service Boundaries) Case No. EO-2026-0070
Within Portions of Pettis County, Missouri)

**KEITH HASLAG
APPLICATION TO INTERVENE**

Keith Haslag (“Applicant”) pursuant to 20 CSR 4240-2.075 applies to intervene in this docket.

1. Applicant raises poultry at locations near the city of Sedalia, Missouri and is a customer of Central Missouri Electric Cooperative (“CMEC”). His operations include several buildings at separate locations.

2. All communications and pleadings in this matter should be directed to counsel for Applicant:

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3. Applicant’s farming operations require periods of higher energy usage. Based on the demand amount during these periods, Applicant is considered a large customer of CMEC and billed at what CMEC refers to as ‘Rate 5.’

4. On August 12, 2026, the Commission issued a *Supplemental Order and Notice*, ordering expanded notice of the proposed territorial agreement, as it covers “thousands of acres surrounding the City of Sedalia,”¹ and set September 11, 2026, as the deadline for interested parties to apply for intervention.

5. In this proceeding, CMEC and Evergy Missouri West seek Commission approval of a Territorial Agreement that would declare certain areas as the exclusive service areas of CMEC or the exclusive service areas of Evergy Missouri West. It appears one of Applicant’s farming operations may be on the boundary of what the proposed Territorial Agreement identifies as CMEC’s exclusive jurisdiction. This means that Applicant’s current farming operations as well as any future expansion of those farming operations at that location—including the construction of separate additional buildings—could be solely within the service territory of CMEC, notwithstanding that alternate electric service from Evergy Missouri West is available nearby.

6. Applicant’s interests in this matter are different from that of the general public in that Applicant’s farming operations are categorized as a larger business (Class 5) within CMEC’s rate structure.² Applicant’s interest and future business planning could be significantly impacted by the Commission’s determination in this matter.

7. The Applicant is aware that territorial agreements in past Commission proceedings have evolved or been changed during the Commission’s review process. Therefore, in light of the Applicant’s proximity to new boundary lines, and to monitor and protect his interests, Applicant seeks to intervene in this case.

¹ P. 1.

² For comparison, Applicant’s peak demand of 75 kilowatts would likely place it within the small general service rate classification of Evergy Missouri West.

8. Because Applicant's interest is different from the general public, as a larger user of electric service potentially located on the evolving boundary line of the exclusive service areas, the Applicant meets the standard for intervention under 20 CSR 4240-2.075(3).

9. The Applicant is reviewing the documents and proposed agreements in the case and expects to be able to assert a position if and when responsive testimony is filed in the docket.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests the Commission grant its *Application to Intervene*.

Respectfully,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been emailed to all counsel of record this 11th day of September 2026.

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