

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

In the Matter of Evergy Missouri West, Inc.)	
d/b/a Evergy Missouri West's Tariff)	
Revision to Implement Rate Adjustments)	<u>File No. ER-2021-0185</u>
Required by 20 CSR 4240-20.090(8) and)	Tracking No. JE-2021-0136
the Company's Approved Fuel and)	
Purchased Power Cost Recovery)	
Mechanism)	
)	
In the Matter of the Application of Evergy)	
Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri)	<u>File No. EO-2021-0186</u>
West Containing Its Semi-Annual Fuel)	
Adjustment Clause True-Up)	

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

Issue Date: December 30, 2020

Effective Date: December 30, 2020

On December 30, 2020, Evergy Missouri West, Inc. (Evergy West), in File No. ER-2021-0185, submitted direct testimony and a tariff designed to implement an adjustment to its Fuel and Purchased Power Adjustment Clause (FAC). The average residential customer using 1,000 kWh per month would see an increase of \$0.83 to their monthly bill as a result of this proposed tariff change. The submitted tariff bears an effective date of March 1, 2021. Evergy West also submitted an application in File Number EO-2021-0186 containing its true-up filing for its FAC.

Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.090, provides that the Commission's Staff shall submit a recommendation regarding the proposed adjustment no later than 30 days after its filing. No later than 60 days after receiving the proposed adjustment, the Commission must: (1) enter an interim rate adjustment; (2) approve or reject the tariff as submitted; or

(3) allow the tariff to go into effect by operation of law. Accordingly, the Commission will issue notice, set an intervention deadline, and direct its Staff to file a recommendation.

Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.090(17) provides that parties to the rate case in which the Commission approved Evergy West's fuel adjustment clause are automatically parties to this tariff case, without the necessity of having to apply for intervention. Therefore, the Commission acknowledges that the parties to File No. ER-2018-0146 (the file in which Evergy West's¹ FAC was most recently re-approved) are parties to this case, and will direct its Data Center to add those parties to the service list.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Data Center shall provide a copy of this order to the parties to File No. ER-2018-0146.

2. The Commission's Data Center shall add all parties to File No. ER-2018-0146 to the service list for this case.

3. Any person or entity wishing to intervene shall file an application to intervene no later than January 15, 2021.

4. The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file a recommendation regarding its examination and analysis of Evergy Missouri West, Inc.'s application and tariff no later than January 29, 2021.

5. Any responses to Evergy West's application and tariff, or Staff's recommendation shall be filed no later than February 5, 2021.

6. The Commission's Data Center shall provide a copy of this order to the county commission of each county in the service territory of Evergy Missouri West, Inc.

¹ Then known as KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company.

7. The Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department shall make notice of this order available to the members of the Missouri General Assembly representing the residents of the service area of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. and to the news media serving the residents of the service territory of Evergy Missouri West, Inc.

8. This order is effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
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 30th day of December 2020.