# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro's Request for Authority to Implement a General Rate Increase for Electric Service

File No. ER-2022-0129 Tracking Nos. YE-2022-0200 and YE-2022-0201

In the Matter of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West's Request for Authority to Implement a General Rate Increase for Electric Service

File No. ER-2022-0130 Tracking No. YE-2022-0202

# ORDER ESTABLISHING PROCEDURES FOR DISCOVERY CONFERENCES

Issue Date: March 28, 2022

Effective Date: March 28, 2022

In this order, the Commission will set forth the procedures for the scheduled

Discovery Conferences. As previously ordered and repeated here for convenience, there

are currently four Discovery Conferences scheduled for the following dates:

- April 1, 2022
- May 5, 2022
- June 16, 2022
- August 4, 2022

# THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Discovery conferences will be held via WebEx with details to be emailed to the parties. All discovery conferences shall begin at 10:30 a.m.

2. Not less than three business days before each discovery conference, any party that has a discovery disagreement or concern involving another party shall file a brief statement describing that disagreement or concern and identifying any other parties involved. Such statement does not need to be a formal motion to compel. Any party may

attend a discovery conference, but only those parties involved in an identified discovery disagreement or concern will be required to attend. If the parties do not identify any discovery disagreements or concerns before three days before the discovery conference, the presiding officer may cancel the conference.

3. Discovery conferences shall be on the record and shall be transcribed by a court reporter.

4. Any pending written discovery motions may be taken up at a discovery conference and may be ruled upon by the presiding regulatory law judge either on the record, or in a written order.

5. Compliance with Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.090's requirement that a party must seek a telephone conference with the presiding officer before filing a discovery motion is waived for discovery disputes that are raised at a discovery conference.

6. This order shall be effective upon issuance.



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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 28<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2022.

BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

# 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 28<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2022.



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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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

Sincerely,

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