

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In The Matter of a Determination of Special)
Contemporary Resource Planning Issues to be)
Addressed by Ameren Missouri in Its Next)
Triennial Compliance Filing or Next Annual)
Update Report)

File No. EO-2018-0047

ORDER OPENING A FILE REGARDING SPECIAL CONTEMPORARY RESOURCE PLANNING ISSUES AND OFFERING AN OPPORTUNITY TO FILE SUGGESTIONS

Issue Date: August 14, 2017

Effective Date: August 14, 2017

A provision in the Commission's revised electric utility resource planning rule, 4 CSR 240-22.080(4), requires Missouri's electric utilities to consider and analyze special contemporary issues in their triennial compliance filings or in their annual update reports. The regulation requires the Commission to issue an order by November 1 of each year, specifying the list of special contemporary issues each electric utility is to address. The regulation also provides that by September 15, Staff, Public Counsel, and other interested parties may file suggested issues for consideration. The regulation then allows the utilities and other parties until October 1 to file comments regarding the suggested issues.

The Commission has created this file to facilitate the process established by the regulation. Any party that wishes to suggest an issue for consideration by Union Electric Company, d/b/a Ameren Missouri may file its suggestion in this case by September 15. All parties to Ameren Missouri's most recent triennial filing, File No. EO-2015-0084, will be made parties to this case.

Ameren Missouri's next triennial filing is to be filed by October 2, 2017. The company has filed a notice of its intended filing and File No. EO-2018-0038 has been opened for that filing. In addition, because of the timing of its triennial filing, Ameren Missouri has filed an application seeking a waiver of the requirement that it address special contemporary issues, and indeed of the requirement that it file an annual update in 2018. That request for waiver is pending in File No. EE-2018-0040. If the Commission grants Ameren Missouri's requested waiver, this file will be unnecessary and may be closed.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. All parties to File No. EO-2015-0084 are made parties to this case.
2. Any party wishing to suggest a special contemporary issue that Union Electric Company, d/b/a Ameren Missouri should consider in its next annual update report shall file its written suggestion no later than September 15, 2017.
3. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 14th day of August, 2017.

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 14th day of August 2017.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

August 14, 2017

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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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