

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Ozark Energy)	
Partners, LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience)	
and Necessity to Construct and Operate an Intrastate)	<u>Case No. GA-2006-0561</u>
Natural Gas Pipeline and Gas Utility to Serve Portions)	
of the Missouri Counties of Christian, Stone and)	
Taney, and for Establishment of Utility Rates)	

ORDER AND NOTICE

Issue Date: July 5, 2006

Effective Date: July 5, 2006

On June 30, 2006, Ozark Energy Partners, LLC filed an application for a certificate of convenience and necessity to construct and operate an intrastate natural gas pipeline and gas utility to serve portions of Christian, Stone and Taney counties in Missouri.

Proper parties should be given notice and an opportunity to intervene in this matter. The Data Center of the Commission shall send a copy of this order to the county commissions located in Christian, Stone and Taney Counties. The Information Office of the Commission shall send notice of this application to the members of the General Assembly who represent Christian, Stone and Taney Counties, and to the newspapers which serve Christian, Stone and Taney Counties as listed in the newspaper directory of the current *Official Manual of the State of Missouri*. Anyone wishing to intervene must submit an application to intervene as ordered herein.

This order will also require that the Staff of the Commission file its memorandum, recommending whether the Commission should approve or reject the application.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Information Office and the Data Center of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall provide notice as set out herein.

2. Anyone wishing to intervene in this case shall file an application to do so as directed herein no later than July 25, 2006, with:

Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission
Post Office Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

Copies of the application to intervene should be sent to:

William D. Steinmeier
Mary Ann (Garr) Young
WILLIAM D. STEINMEIER, P.C.
2031 Tower Drive
Post Office Box 104595
Jefferson City, Missouri 65110-4595

and

The Office of the Public Counsel
Post Office Box 2230
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

3. The Staff of the Commission shall file its memorandum in this matter not later than September 5, 2006.

4. This order shall become effective on July 5, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written over a horizontal line.

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

(S E A L)

Kennard L. Jones, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 5th day of July, 2006.