BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Application of Grain Belt Express LLC for an Amendment to its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity Authorizing it to Construct, Own, Operate, Control, Manage, and Maintain a High Voltage, Direct Current Transmission Line and Associated Converter Station

File No. EA-2023-0017

JOINT SUGGESTIONS OF MISSOURI'S AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATIONS REGARDING THE PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

COME NOW the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation, Missouri Cattlemen's Association, Missouri Pork Association, Missouri Soybean Association and Missouri Corn Growers Association (hereafter collectively referred to as "Missouri's Agricultural Organizations"), by and through undersigned counsel, and set forth the following Suggestions Regarding the Procedural Schedule in this matter.

Missouri's Agricultural Associations have reviewed the proposed procedural schedules filed by Grain Belt Express LLC and by the Commission's Staff. The Agricultural Associations are in support of the proposed procedural schedule filed by the Commission's Staff. The Agricultural Associations also support Grain Belt Express LLC's proposed scheduling of local public hearings in all three counties impacted by the proposed project (Audrain, Callaway and Monroe), and that such hearings should be held before planting season in early March 2023 to allow full participation by agricultural landowners.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify the copies of the foregoing has been e-mailed to all parties on the official

service list for this case on this 17th day of November, 2022.

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