BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

| In the Matter of The Empire District Electric |) | |
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| Company's Application for Approval of Demand- |) | |
| Side Programs and for Authority to Establish a |) | File No. EO-2014-0030 |
| Demand-Side Management Investment Mechanism |) | |

APPLICATION TO INTERVENE OF RENEW MISSOURI

COMES NOW Earth Island Institute d/b/a Renew Missouri ("Renew Missouri") and, pursuant to rule 4 CSR 240-2.075 and the Commission's October 30, 2013 *Order Directing Notice and Establishing a Deadline for Applications to Intervene* in this case, hereby files this application to intervene. For its application, Renew Missouri states:

- 1. Earth Island Institute is a non-profit corporation organized under the laws of California with its principal place of business at 2150 Allston Way, Suite 460, Berkeley, CA 94704. Earth Island Institute has a Certificate of Authority for a Foreign Nonprofit granted by the Missouri Secretary of State. Renew Missouri is a registered fictitious name of Earth Island Institute under § 417.200, RSMo, with its principal place of business at 910 E. Broadway, Suite 205, Columbia, MO 65201. Renew Missouri is a non-profit policy group whose mission is to transform Missouri into a leading state in renewable energy and energy efficiency by 2016.
- 2. As advocates for best-practices clean energy policy in Missouri and for maximum utility investment in energy efficiency, Renew Missouri's interests are different that those of the general public and may be adversely affected by a final order arising from this case.
- 3. Granting Renew Missouri intervention in this case will serve the public interest by assisting the Commission's record for decision.

WHEREFORE, Renew Missouri requests that it be permitted to intervene and by made a party to this case for all purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been sent by electronic mail this 5^{th} day of November, 2013 to all parties of record in this case.

/s/ Andrew J. Linhares