BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Ameren Transmission Company of Illinois for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct, Install, Own, Operate, Maintain, and Otherwise Control and Manage a 138 kV Transmission Line and associated facilities in Perry and Cape Girardeau Counties, Missouri

File No. EA-2021-0087

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: June 21, 2021

Effective Date: June 21, 2021

On April 28, 2021, Ameren Transmission Company of Illinois (ATXI) applied for a certificate of convenience and necessity to construct, install, own, operate, maintain, and otherwise control and manage a 138 kV transmission line and associated facilities in Perry and Cape Girardeau counties.

On June 21, 2021, the Commission conducted a procedural conference with the parties to discuss a local public hearing and a procedural schedule.

As discussed during the conference, the Commission will direct the parties to file a proposed procedural schedule with suggested dates for a local public hearing. In addition, to assist the Commission in scheduling any local public hearing, the Commission will direct the parties to propose at least one appropriate public venue for an in-person local public hearing in Perry and Cape Girardeau counties. Finally, because the parties are now developing a joint procedural schedule, the Commission will vacate its previous order requiring Staff to file a recommendation.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. No later than June 28, 2021, the parties shall file a joint procedural schedule. The proposed schedule shall include suggested dates for a local public hearing and shall identify at least one appropriate public venue for an in-person local public hearing in Perry or Cape Girardeau counties.

2. The Commission's order requiring Staff to file a recommendation is vacated. Any recommendation by Staff in this case shall be filed as provided by further order.

3. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Jana C. Jacobs, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo (2016).

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 21st day of June, 2021.