

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Application of)
Pro Builders since 1994 LLC)
for Change of Electric Supplier)

File No. EO-2019-0061

STAFF FURTHER REQUEST FOR TIME

COMES NOW Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”), by and through Staff Counsel’s Office, and files a Further Request For Time asking that the date for the filing of its recommendation be extended from November 15, 2018 to December 14, 2018. In support thereof, Staff states as follows:

1. In the November 1, 2018, filing of Staff seeking additional time to file its recommendation to November 15, 2018, Staff related that on October 2, 2018, the Commission directed Staff to file its recommendation no later than November 1, 2018, the same date for which it directed Kansas City Power & Light Company (“KCP&L”) and Platte-Clay Electric Cooperative, Inc. (“Platte-Clay”) to file responses no later than. Staff further noted that on October 9, 2018, Platte-Clay Electric Cooperative, Inc. filed its response to the Application Of Pro Builders Since 1994, LLC. Platte-Clay stating that, after meeting with Pro Builders on or about October 5, 2018 and being fully informed of the desired size of service requested, it provided to Pro Builders a revised cost estimate of \$9,055 respecting providing three-phase service rather than \$5,000.

2. On November 1, 2018, KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company (“GMO”), the electric service provider of the location in question, filed in the instant proceeding its Response to Pro Builders’ September 26, 2018 Application For Change In Electric Service Provider. GMO stated that it currently provides service to Pro Builders and

is willing to provide three-phase service to Pro Builders pursuant to the terms of its tariffs at a cost of approximately \$23,000, which is the estimate of the cost required to build three-phase service facilities to Pro Builders' location. GMO also states:

Should the Commission determine that Applicant has met its burden of proof for a change of supplier and that Platte-Clay Cooperative is authorized to provide service to the Applicant in the city limits of Weston, Missouri, the Company will remove its existing facilities used to provide service to the Applicant.

3. Based on the information provided, Staff determined it needed to submit discovery to the Parties which it has now done. Staff counsel has talked with counsel for the Parties and asked if he may represent that they have indicated that their clients have no objection to a further extension of time for Staff for purposes of discovery. They have so indicated and related that they will try to respond to discovery in less time than permitted by the Commission's Rule. Staff will try to file its recommendation prior to the December 14, 2018 date it is now requesting for filing its recommendation.

4. Staff apologizes for any inconvenience its Further Request For Time may cause.

WHEREFORE Staff submits its Further Request For Time to file its recommendation no later than December 14, 2018.

Respectfully submitted

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record in File No. EO-2019-0061 this 14th day of November, 2018.

/s/ Steven Dottheim