BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Application of South)	ű.
Central MCN LLC for Approval of Transfer)	File No. EA-2016-0036
of Assets and a Certificate of Convenience)	
and Necessity)	

APPLICATION TO INTERVENE

COMES NOW the City of Nixa, Missouri (the City), pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.075, by and through counsel, and for its application to intervene in this proceeding, respectfully states as follows:

- 1. The legal name of the City is "The City of Nixa, Missouri." The City is a home rule charter city organized and existing under Article VI Section 19 of the Missouri Constitution, with its principal office located at P.O. Box 395, 715 W. Mt. Vernon, Nixa, MO 64714. The City owns, maintains, and operates an electric utility for its citizens and inhabitants.
- 2. The City supports South Central MCN LLC's (SCMCN) application for a certificate of convenience and necessity and any necessary approval to transfer assets filed on August 19, 2015 (the Application), and encourages the expeditious processing of the Application by the Commission.
- 3. The City has a direct interest in this proceeding that is different from that of the general public and which may be adversely affected by a final order arising from this case. On August 14, 2015, the City and SCMCN executed an asset purchase agreement (APA) under which SCMCN agreed to purchase, and the City agreed to sell (the Transaction), certain existing transmission assets. A copy of the executed APA for the Transaction is attached to SCMCN's

Application as Appendix A. The Transaction is conditioned upon meeting certain conditions,

including the certifications and approvals sought by SCMCN's Application.

4. Granting the proposed intervention would serve the public interest. The City has

undertaken an economic analysis of the Transaction's costs and benefits and based on that

analysis, the City has concluded that the Transaction is in the best interest of the City and its

retail customers. In addition, the City has worked diligently with City Utilities of Springfield

(CU) to assure that CU customers will be shielded from any increase in annual transmission

revenue requirements resulting from the Transaction.

5. For the reasons stated herein and by SCMCN in the Application, the duly elected

City Council of the City believes the Transaction to be in the interest of the City and the public

generally.

6. Pleadings, notices, orders and other correspondence and communications

concerning this motion should be addressed to the undersigned counsel.

WHEREFORE, the City prays that the Commission issue an order granting it permission

to intervene and fully participate in the above-entitled matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: August 26, 2015

VERIFICATION

COUNTY OF CHISTIAN

STATE OF MISSOURI

Doug Colvin, of lawful age, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Public Works Director for THE CITY OF NIXA, MISSOURI, has knowledge of the facts stated in the foregoing Application to Intervene, and that said facts are true to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief.

Doug Colvin

Subscribed and sworn to me before this 34 day of 4415t, 2015.

Notary Public

My commission expires: 09-13-15

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ELIZABETH M. MENJARES My Commission Expires September 13, 2015 Christian County Commission #11240069

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, emailed or hand-delivered to all parties on the official service list for this case on this 26th day of August, 2015.

Terry M. Jarrett