# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Evergy	)
Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro and	)
Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy	)
Missouri West for an Accounting Authority	)
Order Allowing the Companies to Record and	)
Preserve Costs Related to the February 2021	)
Cold Weather Event	)

File No. EU-2021-0283

#### ORDER DIRECTING RESPONSE

Issue Date: March 6, 2024 Effective Date: March 6, 2024

This file was held open pending a resolution of File No. EF-2022-0155, Evergy Missouri West's requests to securitize costs from the same February 2021 cold weather event for which this file seeks an accounting authority order. Given that the Commission granted securitization of those costs and Securitized Utility Tariff Bonds have been issued, the Commission questions the appropriateness of maintaining this docket.

Accordingly, the Commission will order the parties to file a response addressing whether this file should be closed and the application dismissed.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. No later than March 15, 2024, the parties shall file a response addressing whether this file should be closed and the application dismissed.
  - 2. This order shall be effective when issued.

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BY THE COMMISSION

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Nancy Dippell Secretary John T. Clark, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 6<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2024.

#### STATE OF MISSOURI

#### OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of March 2024.

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Nancy Dippell Secretary

## MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION March 6, 2024

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Sincerely,

Nancy Dippell
Secretary

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