

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

In the Matter of the Eleventh Prudence            )  
Review of Costs Subject to the                    )  
Commission-Approved Fuel Adjustment            )  
Clause of Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a        )  
Evergy Missouri West                                )

Case No. EO-2023-0277

**AMENDED LIST OF ISSUES, ORDER OF OPENING STATEMENTS, ORDER  
OF WITNESSES, AND ORDER OF CROSS-EXAMINATION**

COMES NOW, Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West (“Evergy Missouri West”) (the “Company”), on behalf of all the parties, due to the Staff (“Staff”) of the Missouri Public Service Commission and the Company’s<sup>1</sup> submission of the *Non-Uniform Stipulation and Agreement* (“Stipulation”) dated March 11, 2024,<sup>2</sup> pursuant to the Missouri Public Service Commission’s (“Commission”) *Order Setting Procedural Schedule* (“Order”) dated March 15, 2024, and in accordance with the Commission’s *Order Approving Stipulation*<sup>3</sup> dated May 2, 2024, submits this *Amended List of Issues, Order of Opening Statements, Order of Witnesses, and Order of Cross-Examination*:

**AMENDED LIST OF ISSUES**<sup>4</sup>

1. Has the Office of the Public Counsel applied the Commission recognized prudence standard in evaluating their proposed disallowances?

---

<sup>1</sup> Along with Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro (“Evergy Missouri Metro” or “EMM”) in Case No. EO-2023-0276.

<sup>2</sup> All issues between Staff and Company in this case, as well as all issues between Staff and Evergy Missouri Metro in Case No. EO-2023-0276, have been settled pursuant to the *Non-Uniform Stipulation and Agreement* (“Stipulation”) dated March 11, 2024.

<sup>3</sup> *Order Approving Stipulation*, EO-2023-0276 & EO-2023-0277 (May 2, 2024).

<sup>4</sup> Not all of the parties agree with the wording or inclusion of all of the issues set out herein. The inclusion of an issue in the list does not mean that all parties agree with the characterization of the issue or that the matter identified is actually in dispute and/or that a Commission decision on the issue is proper or necessary in this case.

6. Was Evergy Missouri West's continuing decision to not acquire sufficient generation to protect its customers from the risks of the energy market and instead to rely on the energy market to meet a substantial portion of its customers' load requirements imprudent?

8. If Evergy Missouri West was imprudent with respect to Issue 6, above, should there be a disallowance?

A. If so, how much should the disallowance be?

D. Should the Commission adopt OPC's proposed ordered adjustment of \$86,376,294, with interest, to be applied in Evergy Missouri West's next FAR filing?

#### **ORDER OF OPENING STATEMENTS**

1. Evergy
2. Staff
3. OPC

#### **ORDER OF WITNESSES**

##### ***Company Witnesses:***

1. Kayla Messamore
2. John Reed
3. Darrin Ives

##### ***Staff Witnesses:***

1. Jordan T. Hull

##### ***Office of the Public Counsel Witnesses:***

1. Lena Mantle
2. Geoff Marke

**ORDER OF CROSS-EXAMINATION**

1. Company Witnesses: Staff, Office of the Public Counsel
2. Staff Witnesses: Company, Office of the Public Counsel
3. Office of the Public Counsel Witnesses: Staff, Company

**WHEREFORE**, the Company respectfully submits, on behalf of all the parties, this *Amended List of Issues, Order of Opening Statements, Order of Witnesses, and Order of Cross-Examination* to the Commission in satisfaction of the Commission's *Order Setting Procedural Schedule* dated March 15, 2024.

Respectfully submitted,

*/s/ Roger W. Steiner*

---

Roger W. Steiner, MBN 39586  
Eversource, Inc.  
1200 Main Street  
Kansas City, MO 64105  
Phone: (816) 556-2314  
[roger.steiner@eversource.com](mailto:roger.steiner@eversource.com)

Jacqueline Whipple, MBN 65270  
Dentons US LLP  
4520 Main Street, Suite 1100  
Kansas City, MO 64111  
Phone: (816) 460-2400  
Fax: (816) 531-7545  
[jacqueline.whipple@dentons.com](mailto:jacqueline.whipple@dentons.com)

**Attorneys for Eversource Missouri West**

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been hand-delivered, emailed or mailed, postage prepaid, to the Staff of the Commission and to the Office of the Public Counsel this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024.

*/s/ Roger W. Steiner*

---

Attorney for Evergy Missouri West