BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of a Working Case to Explore Emerging Issues in Utility Regulation

File No. EW-2017-0245

NOTICE OF AGENDA

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COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, by and through counsel, and for its *Notice of Agenda* in this matter hereby states:

1. The Commission opened this docket and scheduled a workshop to gather information and facilitate discussions of emerging issues in utility regulation. Interested stakeholders filed comments, and an initial workshop was held on November 20, 2017. Panelists presented information on a variety of emerging issues.

2. An additional workshop was held January 9, 2018, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.,

in the Ballroom of the Governor's Office Building. This workshop was conducted as a roundtable discussion to facilitate discussion on a variety of emerging issues.

4. Staff has also scheduled a third workshop for February 5, 2018, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

3. Staff has prepared an agenda for this workshop that it now files to give notice to all interested stakeholders of the topics to be discussed and their scheduled times.

WHEREFORE, Staff prays the Commission will accept this Agenda.

Respectfully submitted,

<u>/s/ Nicole Mers</u>

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail, or First Class United States Postal Mail, postage prepaid, on this 22nd day of January 2018, to all counsel of record.

/s/ Nicole Mers

EW-2017-0245 Workshop – Roundtable Format February 5, 2018 10:00am-3:00pm

10:00am - Opening Remarks

Chairman Hall

10:15am-11:15am – Residential Rate Design to Enhance Distributed Energy Resources Including Solar, Energy Storage and EV Charging

Objectives to address:

- Identify obstacles in existing rate designs impacting utilization of solar, energy storage and EV charging.
- Should there be rate schedule alternatives from the traditional customer charge and volumetric rate structure for residential customers?

Presenter - Chris Villarreal

11:15am to 11:30am - Open to audience questions/comments.

11:30am-12:45pm - Lunch on own

12:45pm-1:45pm - Non-Residential Rate Design

Objectives to address:

- Identify obstacles or unforeseen circumstances in existing rate designs impacting utilization of solar, CHP, energy storage and EV charging.
- Should there be rate schedule alternatives from the traditional non-residential rate structures?

Presenter - Carl Linvill, PhD

Regulatory Assistance Project

1:45pm to 2:00pm - Open to audience questions/comments.

2:00pm to 2:45pm – How do we get there?

Objectives to discuss:

- What technology is needed on the customer side to implement different rate designs?
- What technology and data is needed on the utility side to bill customers served on non-traditional rate designs?
- What changes, if any, would occur to the weather normalization process for customer usage on non-traditional rate designs?
- Roundtable Discussion
- Moderator: Robin Kliethermes
- KCPL/GMO Representative
- Ameren Missouri Representative
- Empire Representative
- Office of the Public Counsel Geoff Marke
- Division of Energy Martin Hyman
- Industrial Representative

2:45pm to 3:00pm –Wrap Up