

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

In the Matter of Evergy Metro, Inc.	)	
d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro's Notice of	)	<b><u>File No. EO-2023-0369</u></b>
Intent to File an Application for Authority to	)	Tracking No. JE-2026-0002
Establish a Demand-Side Programs	)	
Investment Mechanism	)	

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION TO APPROVE TARIFFS**

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff") and for this *Staff Recommendation* respectfully states as follows:

1. On July 2, 2025, Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro ("EMM") filed tariff sheets designated as Tariff Tracking No. JE-2026-0002.
2. In EMM's accompanying tariff filing letter, EMM stated that, inadvertently, it did not withdraw tariff sheet numbers 2.05 and 2.33 through 2.36 in its October 15, 2024 filing, and that it is submitting "respective tariffs to correct the incorrect tariffs filed on October 15, 2024."<sup>1</sup>
3. On July 8, 2025, the Commission issued its *Order Directing a Staff Tariff Recommendation and Setting Time for Responses*. The Commission ordered Staff to file a recommendation addressing EMM's compliance tariff sheets no later than July 16, 2025.
4. Following discussions with Staff, EMM submitted substitute tariff sheets on July 9, 2025.
5. Staff has reviewed the tariff sheets, and recommends the Commission approve the following tariff sheets, as substituted on July 9, 2025, with an effective date of August 1, 2025:

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<sup>1</sup> Tariff Revision (JE-2026-0002), EMM Cover Letter MEEIA 4 Tariff Revision, EFIS Item 107.

PSC MO. No. 2 2nd Revised Sheet No. R-2.05

PSC MO. No. 2 2nd Revised Sheets No. R-2.33 through R-2.36

**WHEREFORE**, Staff recommends the Commission issue an order approving the above tariff sheets filed in this matter under Tariff Tracking No. JE-2026-0002, as substituted on July 9, 2025, with an effective date of August 1, 2025.

Respectfully submitted,

**/s/ Mark Johnson**

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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 16th day of July, 2025, to all counsel of record.

**/s/ Mark Johnson**

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Mechanism	)	
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n the Matter of Evergy Missouri West, Inc.	)	
d/b/a Evergy Missouri West's Notice of	)	Case No. EO-2023-0370
Intent to File an Application for Authority to	)	
Establish a Demand-Side Programs	)	
Investment Mechanism	)	

**AFFIDAVIT OF BRAD J. FORTSON**

STATE OF MISSOURI	)	
	)	ss.
COUNTY OF COLE	)	

**COMES NOW BRAD J. FORTSON** and on his oath declares that he is of sound mind and lawful age; that he contributed to the foregoing *Staff Recommendation*; and that the same is true and correct according to his best knowledge and belief.

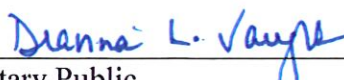
Further the Affiant sayeth not.

  
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**BRAD J. FORTSON**

**JURAT**

Subscribed and sworn before me, a duly constituted and authorized Notary Public, in and for the County of Cole, State of Missouri, at my office in Jefferson City, on this 11<sup>th</sup> day of July 2025.

DIANNA L. VAUGHT  
Notary Public - Notary Seal  
State of Missouri  
Commissioned for Cole County  
My Commission Expires: July 18, 2027  
Commission Number: 15207377

  
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Notary Public