

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Ninth Prudence Review of)
Costs Subject to the Commission-Approved) **File No. EO-2020-0262**
Fuel Adjustment Clause of Evergy Missouri)
West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West)

In the Matter of the Third Prudence Review of)
Costs Subject to the Commission-Approved) **File No. EO-2020-0263**
Fuel Adjustment Clause of Evergy Metro, Inc.)
d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro)

ORDER CONSOLIDATING CASES AND DIRECTING FILING OF PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Issue Date: September 22, 2020

Effective Date: September 22, 2020

Staff began its ninth fuel adjustment clause (FAC) prudence review for Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West and Evergy Missouri Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro (collectively “Evergy”) on March 3, 2020, in File Nos. EO-2020-0262 and EO-2020-0263. On August 28, 2020, Staff filed its *Staff’s Ninth Prudence Review Report* in those files. The Sierra Club and the Office of the Public Counsel each filed a request for hearing. On September 10, 2020, Evergy filed a request to consolidate the files and to set a procedural schedule.

The parties met via video and telephone in a procedural conference on September 21, 2020, and discussed consolidation. As these files have substantially similar questions of law and fact, none of the parties present were opposed to the consolidation of the files. Additionally, the parties continued discussions of the appropriate procedural schedule off-the-record. The Commission will consolidate the files and direct the parties to file a proposed procedural schedule as set out below.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. File Nos. EO-2020-0262 and EO-2020-0263 are consolidated for all purposes with File No. EO-2020-0262 being the lead case.
2. The parties shall jointly or separately file a proposed procedural schedule no later than October 5, 2020.
3. This order is effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Nancy Dippell, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo (2016).

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 22nd day of September, 2020.

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 22nd day of September, 2020.**




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

September 22, 2020

File/Case No. EO-2020-0262 and EO-2020-0263

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Morris" being the most prominent.

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

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