

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

**In the Matter of the Application of Central)
Missouri Electric Cooperative, Inc. for Approval)
Of Designated Service Boundaries Within) Case No. EO-2026-0070
Portions of Pettis County, Missouri)**

JOINT STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW, Central Missouri Electric Cooperative, Inc. (“CMEC”) and Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West (“EMW”), each by and through counsel, and for their Joint Status Report, state as follows:

1. On September 19, 2025, Central Missouri Electric Cooperative, Inc., a Missouri Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation filed its Application requesting an order “Approving Designated Service Boundaries.” It includes a request that the Commission waive the 60-day notice requirement.

2. The Application requested the Commission to establish CMEC as the exclusive electric service provider to a proposed development on an approximate 207-acre parcel located at 27701 Hackberry Drive, Sedalia, Missouri 65301, in Pettis County, Missouri, (“the Property”) and owned by Prairie Hollow Development Company, LLC, (“PHDC”).

3. On September 19, 2025, the Commission entered an Order directing Staff to file a recommendation no later than October 20, 2025. The Commission Order limited applications to intervene to be filed no later than October 3, 2025.

4. On September 22, 2025, Evergy Missouri West, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri West filed its Application to Intervene. Intervention was granted on October 16, 2025.

5. On October 17, 2025, Staff requested an extension until November 19,

2025, to complete and file its recommendation. The Commission approved the request on October 17, 2025.

6. On November 19, 2025, Staff filed its Status Report requesting that the Commission order a suspension of the Staff Recommendation and order CMEC and EMW to either file a stipulation and agreement or a status report by December 12, 2025.

7. On November 19, 2025, the Commission suspended the Staff Recommendation and ordered the parties to file a stipulation or status report no later than December 12, 2025.

8. On December 10, 2025, Staff filed its Status Report requesting that the Commission extend the deadline for CMEC and EMW to either file a stipulation and agreement or a status report until February 12, 2026 and suspend Staff's required report and order.

9. On December 11, 2025, the Commission entered an Order waiving the 120-day requirement of Section 386.800(3) RSMo. and directing the parties to file a stipulation or a status report no later than February 12, 2026.

10. Since the December 11th Order, CMEC and EMW have engaged in good faith negotiations to finalize the terms and associated descriptions included in a Territorial Agreement that would settle the current territorial conflict and have made Staff aware of the progress of obtaining the necessary surveyed descriptions. CMEC and EMW, with the support of Staff, have agreed to file this joint status report in support of additional time being granted to finalize the terms of a Territorial Agreement and complete the land surveys necessary for such an agreement. CMEC and EMW are diligently working to finalize all maps and legal descriptions.

11. CMEC and EMW propose that the Commission order CMEC and EMW to file a stipulation and agreement or a status report on or before April 24, 2026 and June 26, 2026.

WHEREFORE, CMEC and EMW respectfully submit this Joint Status Report and

respectfully request the Commission accept the same, and order CMEC and EMW to either file a stipulation and agreement or a status report on or before April 24, 2026 and June 26, 2026, and for such other and further relief as the Commission considers just and reasonable under the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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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 11th day of February 2026, to all counsel of record.

/s/ Andrew Sporleder