

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Request of The Empire)
District Electric Company d/b/a Liberty for) **Case No. ER-2024-0261**
Authority to File Tariffs Increasing Rates for) Tracking No. JE-2027-0014
Electric Service Provided to Customers In its)
Missouri Service Area)

ORDER DIRECTING STAFF RECOMMENDATION AND SETTING TIME FOR OTHER RESPONSES

Issue Date: July 30, 2026

Effective Date: July 30, 2026

On July 30, 2026, The Empire District Electric Company d/b/a Liberty filed a tariff sheet regarding its Renewable Energy Purchase Program. The tariff sheet was assigned Tracking No. JE-2027-0014 and carries an effective date of September 1, 2026.

The Commission will direct the Staff of the Commission (Staff) to file a recommendation regarding the tariff sheet. The Commission will also set a time for any other party to respond to the tariff sheet.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Staff shall file a recommendation as directed in the body of this order or a request for an extension of time no later than August 13, 2026.
2. No other party is required to respond, but any party that wishes to respond to the tariff sheet filing shall do so no later than August 13, 2026.
3. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Nancy Dippell

Nancy Dippell
Secretary

Charles Hatcher, Senior Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 30th day of July, 2026.

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Pursuant to 386.290, RSMo., 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 30th day of July, 2026.



Nancy Dippell

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Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

July 30, 2026

Case No: ER-2024-0261

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).¹

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Nancy Dippell". The script is cursive and fluid, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

Nancy Dippell
Secretary

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