## **BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF EVERGY KANSAS CENTRAL, INC. FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSACT THE BUSINESS ) OF AN ELECTRIC PUBLIC UTILITY SPECIFICALLY, IN A PORTION OF SECTION 03, TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH, RANGE 12 EAST, POTTAWATOMIE COUNTY, KANSAS

Docket No. 25-EKCE-348-COC

## APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND AUTHORITY TO TRANSACT THE BUSINESS OF AN ELECTRIC PUBLIC UTILITY

COMES NOW Evergy Kansas Central Inc. d/b/a Evergy Kansas Central ("Evergy Kansas Central"), and in support of its Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Authority, states:

1. Evergy Kansas Central is a Kansas corporation authorized by the Commission to conduct the business of a public utility under the provisions of K.S.A. 66-104, and as such holds a Certificate of Convenience and Authority from this Commission to engage in the business of an electric public utility in the State of Kansas, thereby promoting the public convenience. Evergy Kansas Central seeks to serve, subject to the Commission's approval, in the city of St. Marys ("St. Marys") certified territory described below:

## **POTTAWATOMIE COUNTY, KANSAS**

A tract of land with a territory legal description of beg NW Cor Wildwood Terr Add R PLT TH SW464,' NW385.32', SW232. 35', NW38', NE177.02', NW92.18', N E85.65', NE195.52', E535' TO POB of Section 03, Township 10 South, and Range 12 East of Pottawatomie County, Kansas. See Exhibit A.

2. Evergy Kansas Central's certified territory is adjacent to the territory described in paragraph 1.

3. In order for St. Marys to serve the customer, they would have to run service conductor a considerable length from a meter pole near the city limits to the house costing the

customer a considerable amount of money. Evergy Kansas Central has a closer and less expensive path to set up service for the customer.

4. Evergy Kansas Central and St. Marys have mutually agreed, subject to the Commission's approval, that Evergy Kansas Central should serve as an electric public utility in the territory described in paragraph 1.

A copy of this application is being served on St. Marys by delivery of United States
Mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

City of St. Marys City Hall P O Box 130 St. Marys, Kansas 66536

There is no other person or entity, corporate, municipal or otherwise that requires notice

of this Application.

THEREFORE, Evergy Kansas Central requests that an Order be issued, granting Evergy Kansas Central the authority to serve as an electric public utility in the territory described in paragraph 1 above.

EVERGY KANSAS CENTRAL, INC.

BY:

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ITS ATTORNEY

## STATE OF KANSAS ) SS COUNTY OF SHAWNEE )

Cathryn J. Dinges, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and states:

That she is the attorney for the within named applicant, that she has read the above and foregoing Application and that the statements therein contained are true according to her knowledge and belief.

Cathyn Vinges Cathryn J. Dinges

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My Appointment Expires:

May 30, 2026



**PROPOSED APPLICATION TO SERVE** 

