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

In the Matter of the 2023 Wolf Creek Triennial ) Decommissioning Financing Plan ) Docket No. 24-WCNE-235-GIE

#### JOINT MOTION FOR PROCEDURAL SCHEUDLE

Staff of the Kansas Corporation Commission ("Staff" and "Commission", respectively), Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation ("WCNOC"), Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Kansas Metro ("Evergy Kansas Metro"), Evergy Kansas Central, Inc. and Evergy Kansas South, Inc. (together, "Evergy Kansas Central") (collectively, "Evergy"), Kansas Electric Power Company ("KEPCo") and the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board ("CURB") (together, "Joint Movants") hereby move the Commission for an Order establishing a procedural schedule in the abovecaptioned matter. In support of the Motion, Joint Movants state the following:

1. On September 1, 2023, WCNOC, Evergy, and KEPCo filed their triennial decommissioning cost study for the Wolf Creek Generating Station ("Wolf Creek").<sup>1</sup>

2. On September 14, 2023, the Commission granted CURB intervention.<sup>2</sup>

3. Joint Movants conferred to develop a procedural schedule for this docket to propose to the Commission for consideration. The proposed schedule, as agreed upon by the Joint Movants, is as follows:

Staff and Intervenor Testimony	Friday, May 10, 2024
Rebuttal Testimony	Monday, June 10, 2024
Technical/Settlement Conference	Thursday, June 13, 2024
Deadline to Submit Agreement	Friday, June 21, 2024
Testimony in Support/Opposition to Settlement Agreement	Friday, June 28, 2024
Pre-Hearing Conference	Tuesday, July 16, 2024 (via Zoom)
Hearing	Wednesday, July 24, 2024

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Wolf Creek Application for 2023 Triennial Decommissioning Financing Plan (Sep. 1, 2023).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Order Designating Presiding Officer; Granting CURB's Petition to Intervene; Protective and Discovery Order (Sep. 14, 2023).

Simultaneous Initial Briefs	Friday, August 16, 2024
Reply Briefs	Friday, August 30, 2024
Commission Order	Tuesday, October 1, 2024

WHEREFORE, Joint Movants respectfully request the Commission grant this Motion and

issue an order approving the procedural schedule as set forth above.

Respectfully submitted,

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