

ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
THE EMPIRE DISTRICT ELECTRIC)
COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF A GENERAL)
CHANGE OR MODIFICATION IN RATES,)
CHARGES, AND TARIFFS)

DOCKET NO. 22-085-U
ORDER NO. 4

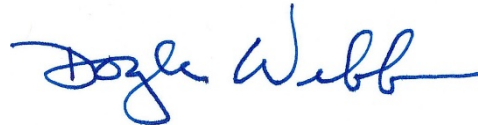
ORDER

On May 17 2023, The Empire District Electric Company (Liberty-Empire or Company) filed with the Arkansas Public Service Commission (Commission) in the above-styled Docket a *Motion to Amend Procedural Schedule* (Motion), proposing the location and time for a public comment hearing. Liberty-Empire proposes that the public comment hearing be held at 6:00 p.m. on October 17, 2023, at the Gravette Civic Center, 401 Charlotte Street SE, Gravette, Arkansas 72736. Liberty-Empire states that the Commission’s General Staff and the Office of the Attorney General have indicated that they have no objection to the time and location of the public comment hearing described by its Motion. Motion at ¶¶ 3-5 (Doc. # 65).

The Commission finds that the proposed addition to the procedural schedule is reasonable and in the public interest and therefore grants the Motion. The public comment hearing on Liberty-Empire’s Application is scheduled to begin at **6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 17, 2023**, at the Gravette Civic Center, 401 Charlotte Street SE, Gravette, Arkansas 72736. Liberty-Empire is directed to prominently display the date, location, and purpose of this hearing, as well as the previously-scheduled evidentiary hearing, on its website.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This 22nd day of May, 2023.



Doyle Webb, Chair



Justin Tate, Commissioner



Katie Anderson, Commissioner


Jennifer R. Ivory, Secretary of the Commission

I hereby certify that this order, issued by the Arkansas Public Service Commission, has been served on all parties of record on this date by the following method:

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