

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

In the Matter of the 2017 Integrated Resource)
Plan Annual Update for Kansas City Power &) **File No. EO-2017-0229**
Light Company)

In the Matter of the 2017 Integrated Resource)
Plan Annual Update for KCP&L Greater Missouri) **File No. EO-2017-0230**
Operations Company)

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATIONS TO INTERVENE

Issue Date: July 17, 2017

Effective Date: July 17, 2017

On June 1, 2017, Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCP&L) and KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company filed their Integrated Resource Planning (IRP) 2017 Annual Updates as required by Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-22.080(3). The Commission received timely requests to intervene from Dogwood Energy, LLC (Dogwood), the Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers (MIEC), Sierra Club, Renew Missouri Advocates (Renew Missouri), and the National Resources Defense Council (NRDC).

Dogwood is a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and authorized to conduct business in the State of Missouri. Dogwood is the majority owner of the 650 MW combined cycle generating facility located in Pleasant Hill, Missouri. Dogwood Energy has previously participated in KCP&L's and GMO's IRP proceedings. Dogwood states that its intervention is in the public interest because it will bring expertise in the areas being investigated and experience as a wholesale electric power provider.

Renew Missouri is a nonprofit corporation organized under the laws of Missouri with its principal place of business in Missouri. Renew Missouri states it is a clean energy policy and advocacy group whose mission is to transform Missouri into a leading state in renewable energy and energy efficiency. Renew Missouri claims an interest in KCP&L's and GMO's planned investments in Demand-Side Management programs, as well as the Company's renewable energy portfolio and planned future investments in renewable generation. Renew Missouri states that as statewide advocates for energy efficiency and renewable energy policy, it has interests that are distinct from those of the general public. Renew Missouri further states that granting it intervention will serve the public interest.

Sierra Club is a nonprofit organization organized and existing under the laws of the state of California. Sierra Club has more than 800,000 members nationally and over 11,000 members in Missouri, many of whom reside in KCP&L's and GMO's service territories. The Missouri Chapter of Sierra Club has an office in St. Louis, Missouri. Sierra Club's stated purpose is to preserve and protect environmental values, and it states that it has been actively concerned with protecting air and water quality throughout the state of Missouri for several years. Sierra Club states that it has an interest in protecting and enhancing the quality of ambient air and water throughout the state that will be favorably affected if KCP&L and GMO act to displace fossil fuel generation through renewable energy, energy efficiency and demand response programs, and support widespread transportation electrification through programs designed to lower barriers to electric vehicle adoption.

The MIEC is a nonprofit Missouri corporation and its members are large industrial customers of KCP&L and GMO. MIEC states that its interests are different from those of the general public because it represents the interests of large industrial customers that could be affected by a final order in this matter.

The NRDC is a nonprofit New York corporation with over 4,800 members in Missouri, including in KCP&L's and GMO's service territories. According to NRDC's motion, its members are interested in promoting energy efficiency, peak demand reduction, and renewable energy resources and, therefore, have interests different than the general public.

The Commission set a deadline of July 13, 2017 for responses to the intervention requests and no responses were received.

The Commission finds that the interests of NRDC, MIEC, Dogwood, Sierra Club, and Renew Missouri differ from those of the general public and may be adversely affected by a final order arising from this case. Furthermore, the Commission finds that allowing these parties to intervene will serve the public interest. Therefore, the Commission will grant the applications to intervene.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Application to Intervene of the National Resources Defense Council is granted.
2. The Application to Intervene of the Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers is granted.
3. The Application to Intervene of Dogwood Energy, LLC, is granted.

4. The Application to Intervene of Renew Missouri Advocates is granted.
5. The Application to Intervene of Sierra Club is granted.
6. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff

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Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 17th day of July, 2017