

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>BRIDSON JOHN T</u>			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) <u>01/06/2026</u>			3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Evergy, Inc. [EVRG]</u>					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director _____ 10% Owner _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below) _____ <u>SVP, GENERATION & OPS SUPPORT</u>			5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					
C/O EVERGY, INC. 1200 MAIN STREET						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(Street)	KANSAS CITY MO		64105								
(City)	(State)	(Zip)									

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	40,412	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date				
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	10,124	(2)	D

Explanation of Responses:

- Of the total restricted stock units reported, and subject to, continued employment, (i) 1,332 units (plus reinvested dividends related to those units) vest on March 1, 2026, (ii) 1,337 units (plus reinvested dividends related to those units) vest on March 1, 2026, (iii) 1,726 units (plus reinvested dividends related to those units) vest on March 1, 2027, (iv) 1,336 units (plus reinvested dividends related to those units) vest on March 1, 2027, (v) 1,666 units (plus reinvested dividends related to those units) vest on March 1, 2028, and (vi) 2,072 units (plus reinvested dividends related to those units), vest on October 7, 2028.
- Restricted stock units convert to stock on a one-for-one basis.

Executed on behalf of John T. Bridson by 01/12/2026
Jon H. Otto, attorney-in-fact

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Heather A. Humphrey, Christie Dasek-Kaine, Jo
(1) prepare, execute in the undersigned's name and on the undersigned's behalf, and submit to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Com
(2) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of the Company, Form
(3) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execu
(4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, i
The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing wha
This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 15th day of December, 2025.

/s/ John T. Bridson
John T. Bridson

STATE OF KANSAS)
) ss.
COUNTY OF SHAWNEE)

John T. Bridson being duly sworn, upon his oath deposes and says that he has read and is familiar with the foregoing Power of Attorney
Subscribed and sworn to before me this this 15th day of December, 2025.

[SEAL]

/s/ Nancy A. Feinhage
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: March 23, 2028