

ORDINANCE NO. 51-16

AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH GDF SUEZ ENERGY RESOURCES, NA, INC. ("SUEZ") TO SUPPLY ELECTRIC SERVICE TO VARIOUS CITY PROPERTIES

WHEREAS, in an effort to reduce the cost of electrical service provided to various City properties, the City has sought alternatives to supplement their current electrical supplier; and

WHEREAS, GDF Suez Energy Resources NA, Inc. ("Suez") is the supplier of inexpensive electricity and after reviewing their "Master Electric Energy Sales Agreement," the Administration recommends entering into this contract with Suez to provide electricity to various City properties; and

WHEREAS, Council has had an opportunity to review said agreement and finds it to be fair and reasonable and deems it to be in the best interest of the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Avon to enter into said agreement with Suez and thereby reduce overall energy costs for the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVON, LORAIN COUNTY, OHIO:

Section 1 - That Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to enter a "Master Electric Energy Sales Agreement" with GDF Suez Energy Resources NA, Inc. ("Suez") to provide electricity to various City properties, said contract to be in substantially the form as set forth in the attached Exhibit A which is incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2 - That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 3 - That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force at the earliest date allowed by law.

First Reading: _____

Second Reading: _____

Third Reading: _____

PASSED: _____ DATE SIGNED: _____

By: _____
Craig L. Witherspoon, Council President

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DATE APPROVED BY THE MAYOR: _____

Bryan K. Jensen, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

John A. Gasior, Law Director

ATTEST:

Ellen R. Young
Clerk of Council

Posted: _____
In Five Places as
Provided by Council

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