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## CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. (1)



-2011

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO A POWER SCHEDULING AGREEMENT TO BE KNOWN AS THE NORTHERN POOL PARTICIPANT SCHEDULE, WITH AMERICAN MUNICIPAL POWER, INC., AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio ("City"), owns and operates an electric utility system for the sale of electric power and associated energy for the benefit of its citizens and taxpayers; and

WHEREAS, in order to satisfy the electric energy requirements of its electric utility system, the City has heretofore purchased electric capacity and energy from American Municipal Power, Inc. ("AMP"), of which the City is a Member; and

WHEREAS, AMP and the City have entered into a Master Services Agreement ("MSA"), which sets forth general terms and conditions under which, among other things, AMP may sell and the City may purchase electric capacity and energy and other services through Schedules to the MSA;

WHEREAS, the City desires to contract with AMP to pool, arrange and share power supply and transmission operations with other Members pursuant to the Northern Pool Participant Schedule referenced in Section 1, below; and

WHEREAS, as of midnight on May 31, 2011, the Northern Pool Participant Schedule will replace and supercede the current Northeast and Northern Power Pool Schedules in which the City currently participates,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Cuyahoga Falls, County of Summit, State of Ohio, that:

Section 1. The Director of Public Service is authorized to enter into a power scheduling agreement to be known as the Northern Pool Participant Schedule, with American Municipal Power, Inc., on the basis of its proposal dated March 2, 2011.

Section 2. The Director of Public Service is hereby authorized to approve and authorize in writing AMP's acquisition of Long Term Pool Power on behalf of the City in accordance with the approval procedures set forth in the Northern Pool Participant Schedule.

Section 3. The City approves the inclusion of AMP's purchase of up to 30 MW of peaking capacity and associated energy from member-owned generation connected to the electric systems of the Northern Pool Participants as Long Term Pool Power for the period from June 1, 2011 through May 31, 2016, the cost of which shall be included in the charges to be incurred by the City under the Northern Pool Participant Schedule.

Section 4. The NEASG Pool Participant Schedule dated September 1, 1990 and any amendments thereto shall terminate on midnight May 31, 2011 and shall no longer be of any force or effect after the effective date of the Northern Pool Participant Schedule except to the extent billing or like matters remain outstanding.

The Northern Power Pool Participant Schedule dated October 1, 2000 and any amendments thereto shall terminate on midnight May 31, 2011 and shall no longer be of any force or effect after the effective date of the Northern Pool Participant Schedule except to the extent billing or like matters remain outstanding.

The AMPCT Sale to AMP for the NEASG Pool (Schedule NECT1) dated January 1, 2006 and any amendments thereto shall terminate on midnight May 31, 2011 and shall no longer be of any force or effect after the effective date of the Northern Pool Participant Schedule except to the extent billing or like matters remain outstanding.

The AMPCT Sale to AMP for the NWASG Pool (Schedule NWCT1) dated January 1, 2006 and any amendments thereto shall terminate on midnight May 31, 2011 and shall no longer be of any force or effect after the effective date of the Northern Pool Participant Schedule except to the extent billing or like matters remain outstanding.

The AMPCT Sale to AMP for the Gorsuch Project (Schedule RHCT1) dated January 1, 2006 and any amendments thereto shall terminate on midnight May 31, 2011 and shall no longer be of any force or effect after the effective date of the Northern Pool Participant Schedule except to the extent billing or like matters remain outstanding.

<u>Section 5.</u> Any other ordinances and resolutions or portions of ordinances and resolutions inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed, but any ordinances and resolutions or portions of ordinances and resolutions not inconsistent herewith and which have not previously been repealed are hereby ratified and confirmed.

Section 6. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Chapter 107 of the Codified Ordinances.

Section 7. If any section, subsection, paragraph, clause or provision or any part thereof of this ordinance shall be finally adjudicated by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the remainder of this ordinance shall be unaffected by such adjudication and all the remaining provisions of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect as though such section, subsection, paragraph, clause or provision or any part thereof so adjudicated to be invalid had not, to the extent of such invalidity, been included herein.

<u>Section 8</u>. This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, convenience and welfare of the City of Cuyahoga Falls and the inhabitants thereof, and provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members elected or appointed to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force at the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: 5-23-11

Clerk of Council

Mayor

5/9/11

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