RESOLUTION 76-2016

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF ELECTRIC TO ENTER INTO NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE MISSOURI JOINT MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC UTILITY COMMISSION TO OBTAIN A LONG TERM PURCHASE POWER AGREEMENT FOR WIND ENERGY TO BE DELIVERED TO THE CITY OF KIRKWOOD.

WHEREAS, the Missouri Joint Municipal Electric Utility Commission (MJMEUC) has entered into a long term transmission agreement to import up to 200 MW of wind energy from Kansas to Missouri, and

WHEREAS, the Kirkwood Electric Department is recommending approval to authorize the department to enter into negotiations with the MJMEUC to obtain a long term purchase power agreement for wind energy to be delivered to the City of Kirkwood, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KIRKWOOD, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The Director of Electric is hereby authorized to enter into negotiations with the Missouri Joint Municipal Electric Utility Commission to obtain a long term purchase power agreement for wind energy to be delivered to the City of Kirkwood.

SECTION 2. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect after its passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 16TH DAY OF JUNE 2016

Mayor, City of Kirkwood

City Clerk

ATTEST:

Legislation Request

Resolution

Place On The Agenda Of: 6/16/2016

Step #1:

Strategic Plan YES

Goal # & Title Goal 1 - Enhance the Quality of Life for Kirkwood Citizens

Background To Issue:

The Missouri Joint Municipal Electric Utility Commission (MJMEUC) has entered into a long term transmission agreement to import up to 200 MW of wind energy from Kansas to Missouri.

Recommendations and Action Requested:

The Kirkwood Electric Department is recommending approval of a resolution to authorize the department to enter into negotiations with the Missouri Joint Municipal Electric Utility Commission (MJMEUC) to obtain a long term purchase power agreement for wind energy to be delivered to the City of Kirkwood.

Alternatives Available:

This opportunity to purchase renewable energy is very favorable compared to market power prices, our current Prairie State power price, and the prices we've received for summer time block power.

Cost: \$0.00

Account #: 50121114806201

Project #:

Budgeted: YES

If YES, Budgeted Amount: \$0.00

If NO, or if insufficient funding (Complete Step #3).

Department Head Comments:

Kansas wind is one of the cheapest forms of new renewable generation available and it can be delivered to Kirkwood at a fixed transmission cost for 25 years with little risk of rate of rate increases. The department plans to submit a purchase power agreement for council approval in approximately 9 months. The power will not be available until 2021. The department has attached the MJMEUC contract for transmission for council's review. The department recommends approval of the resolution.

BY: Mark Petty

Date: 6/3/2016

Authenticated: pettyma

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MPUA Clean Line Transmission Opportunity_201606030754.pd

Adobe Acrobat Document 3.50 MB

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Step #2: If request involves approval of bids, contracts, proposals, purchases, etc. (Must have Purchasing Director's approval).

Approve

Purchasing Director's Comments:
BY: David Weidler Date: 6/6/2016 Authenticated: weidledc
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Step #3: If budgetary approval is required (Must have Finance Department's approval).
Select From Account # or Fund Name:
To Account # or Fund Name:
Finance Director's Comments:
BY: Select Authenticated:
Step #4: All Requests Require Chief Administrative Officer Approval for Placement on Meeting Agenda.
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Chief Administrative Officer's Comments:
BY: Date: 6-9-16