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OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF COUNCIL George E. Smith, Clerk of Council



North Ridgeville Municipal Council Board of Zoning & Building Appeals Civil Service Commission Planning Commission

October 7, 2010

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO) 180 E. Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215

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Re: Requesting and strongly urging the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio to hold a public hearing in the City of North Ridgeville or in an adjoining community City of North Ridgeville Resolution No. 1214-2010

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed is a copy of Resolution No. 1214-2010 certified by Clerk of Council George E. Smith. This resolution requests and strongly urges the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio to hold a public hearing in the City of North Ridgeville or in an adjoining community due to the high volume of all-electric homes in this City and the surrounding communities. North Ridgeville City Council adopted this resolution at their regular meeting held October 4, 2010.

Sincerely yours,

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Paula D. Cope, MMC Assistant Clerk of Council

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INTRODUCED:	President Corcoran	2ND READING:	Suspended
REFERRED TO:		3RD READING:	Suspended
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		EMERGENCY:	October 4, 2010

RESOLUTION NO. 1214 - 2010

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING AND STRONGLY URGING THAT THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO (PUCO) HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING IN THE CITY OF NORTH RIDGEVILLE OR IN AN ADJOINING COMMUNITY, RELATING TO RATE SCHEDULES FOR ALL-ELECTRIC HOMES AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO) is currently reviewing rate schedules for all-electric homes among others in Case #10-176-EL-ATA.

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of North Ridgeville, adopted on March 1, 2010, Resolution No. 1193-2010 supporting the reinstatement of the FirstEnergy all-electric discounts for consumers residing in all-electric homes; and

WHEREAS, the PUCO held a Public Hearing on April 21, 2010 in the City of North Ridgeville attended by hundreds of North Ridgeville residents and residents from surrounding communities who testified for the reinstatement of all-electric discounts; and

WHEREAS, the PUCO, has recently issued a report that outlines potential long-term rates that may be provided to FirstEnergy's all-electric residential customers and announced subsequent Public Hearings to give customers the opportunity to testify on the record regarding the report's recommendations;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH RIDGEVILLE, LORAIN COUNTY, OHIO, THAT:

SECTION 1. The North Ridgeville City Council requests and strongly urges the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio to hold a public hearing in the City of North Ridgeville or in an adjoining community due to the high volume of all-electric homes in this City and the surrounding communities.

SECTION 2. The City Council Clerk is hereby directed to send copies of this adopted resolution to the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO), 180 E. Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215; Governor Ted Strickland, 77 South High Street, 30th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215; Ohio Representative Matt Lundy, 77 South High Street, 12th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215; and Senator Sue Morano, Senate Building, 1 Capital Square, Ground Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

I, George E. Smith, being the duly appointed Clerk of Council of the City of North Ridgeville, Ohio, do hereby certify this to be a true and exact copy of Resolution No. 1214-2010 adopted by the North Ridgeville Municipal Council at their Regular Meeting held Monday, October 4, 2010. ordoTwo Thousand Ten **Prour** of October. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I affix my signature this 7th d

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SECTION 4. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were conducted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in accordance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 5. That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure, the emergency being the immediate necessity to provide for the health, safety and welfare of the Citizens of the City of North Ridgeville, Ohio by requesting and strongly urging the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio to hold a public hearing in the City of North Ridgeville or in an adjoining community due to the high volume of all-electric homes in this City and the surrounding communities and for the further reason of the immediate need to meet timing issues in regard to the issuance of the report that outlines potential long-term rates that may be provided to FirstEnergy's all-electric residential customers; WHEREFORE, this Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: October 4, 2010	PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL KEVIN CORCORAN
ATTEST: CLERK	OPCOUNCIL GEORGE E. SMITH
	MAYOR G. DAVID GILLOCK
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