

BILL NO. \_\_\_\_\_

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING ISSUANCE OF A PURCHASE ORDER TO GENERAL ELECTRIC (GE) FOR THE EMERGENT REPAIRS OF COMBUSTION TURBINE H5 FOR \$1,999,647.27; AUTHORIZING FUTURE CHANGE ORDERS NOT TO EXCEED \$199,964.70; AND APPROPRIATING \$2,199,611.97 FROM THE POWER & LIGHT RESERVE FUND BALANCE TO FUND THIS REPAIR; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Independence, Missouri, finds it necessary to fund these repairs for the Power & Light Department; and,

WHEREAS, General Electric, a limited source vendor, has provided a quote with time and materials for the combustion turbine emergent repairs but will not begin work until a purchase order is authorized; and,

WHEREAS, at their November 17, 2022, regular meeting, the Public Utilities Advisory Board reviewed and unanimously approved a motion to recommend City Council to authorize a purchase order to General Electric for the combustion turbine emergent repairs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDEPENDENCE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That the City Manager of the City of Independence, Missouri, shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue a purchase order to General Electric for a sum of One Million Nine Hundred Ninety-Nine Thousand Six Hundred Forty-Seven Dollars and Twenty-Seven Cents (\$1,999,647.27) providing for the emergent repairs of the H5 Combustion Turbine.

SECTION 2. That the City Manager is authorized to approve future change orders to the purchase order as may be necessary to cover additional costs of unknown repairs, as long as the total of all such change orders does not exceed One Hundred Ninety-Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty Four Dollars and Seventy Cents (\$199,964.70) as deemed appropriate by the City Manager, the funds necessary for said change orders are in fact available and provided a copy of each change order is approved by the City Manager, is identified as being authorized by this ordinance and is filed with the City Clerk.

SECTION 3. That the City Manager is further authorized to appropriate Two Million One Hundred Ninety-Nine Thousand Six Hundred Eleven Dollars and Ninety-Seven Cents (\$2,199,611.97) from the Power & Light's reserve fund balance to fund this repair. This will be a new appropriation separate from the approved Power & Light's Capital Improvement FY23 budget.

SECTION 4. That this ordinance, in the judgment of the Council, is deemed to be of an urgent nature and that its immediate passage is necessary for the preservation of the public peace, property, health, safety and welfare of the residents of the City of Independence and should become effective immediately upon the date of its passage by the City Council. Therefore, this emergency ordinance is consistent with the facts outlined above.

PASSED AS AN EMERGENCY THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2022, BY THE  
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDEPENDENCE, MISSOURI.

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Presiding Officer of the City Council  
of the City of Independence, Missouri

ATTEST:

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City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

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City Counselor

REVIEWED BY:

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City Manager