### **CITY OF DRIPPING SPRINGS**

### RESOLUTION No. 2025-R\_\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY OF DRIPPING SPRINGS, TEXAS SUSPENDING THE APRIL 12, 2025 EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE PROPOSAL BY TEXAS GAS SERVICE COMPANY, A DIVISION OF ONE GAS, INC. – CENTRAL-GULF SERVICE AREA, TO IMPLEMENT INTERIM GRIP RATE ADJUSTMENTS FOR GAS UTILITY INVESTMENT IN 2024, FINDING THAT THE MEETING AT WHICH THIS RESOLUTION IS PASSED IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AS REQUIRED BY LAW; REQUIRING NOTICE OF THIS RESOLUTION TO THE COMPANY AND LEGAL COUNSEL.

- WHEREAS, the City of Dripping Springs, Texas ("City") is a gas utility customer of Texas Gas Service Company, a Division of ONE Gas, Inc. – Central-Gulf Service Area, ("TGS" or "the Company") and a regulatory authority with an interest in the rates and charges of TGS; and
- WHEREAS, TGS made filings with the City and the Railroad Commission of Texas ("Railroad Commission") on February 11, 2025, proposing to implement interim rate adjustments ("GRIP Rate Increases") pursuant to Texas Utilities Code § 104.301 on all customers served by TGS, effective April 12, 2025; and
- **WHEREAS**, it is incumbent upon the City, as a regulatory authority, to examine the GRIP Rate Increases to determine its compliance with the Texas Utilities Code.

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DRIPPING SPRINGS, TEXAS:

- **1. Finding of Fact:** The above and foregoing recitals are hereby found to be true and correct and are incorporated as finding of fact.
- 2. Suspension of GRIP Rate Increase Effective Date: The April 12, 2025 effective date of the GRIP Rate Increases proposed by TGS is hereby suspended for the maximum period allowed by Texas Utilities Code § 104.301(a) to permit adequate time to review the proposed increases, analyze all necessary information, and take appropriate action related to the proposed increases.
- 3. Effective Date: The resolution shall be effective from and after its approval and passage.
- 4. Meeting: The meeting at which this Resolution was passed was open to the public, and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 551.

**5.** Notice: A copy of this Resolution shall be sent to TGS, care of Judy Hitchye at 1301 S. Mopac, Suite 400, Austin, Texas 78746, and to Thomas Brocato, legal counsel to the City, at Lloyd Gosselink, 816 Congress Ave., Suite 1900, Austin, Texas 78701.

PASSED AND APPROVED this, the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_ 2025, by a vote of \_\_\_\_(ayes) to \_\_\_\_ (ayes) to \_\_\_\_ (abstentions) of the City Council of Dripping Springs, Texas:

## **CITY OF DRIPPING SPRINGS:**

Bill Foulds, Jr., Mayor

## ATTEST:

Diana Boone, City Secretary