

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-04-02

A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT FOR UTILITIES SYSTEMS MANAGEMENT, OPERATION, AND MAINTENANCE BETWEEN HILDALE CITY, UTAH AND COLORADO CITY, ARIZONA

WHEREAS, Hildale City and Colorado City are both authorized to provide Utility System maintenance and related activities within their respective geographical boundaries;

WHEREAS, the water systems, sewer systems, gas systems and fiber optic systems in both Cities shall hereafter collectively be referred to as the “Utility System”;

WHEREAS, Hildale City and Colorado City, are located contiguous to one another and could make the most efficient use of their powers by cooperating with one another on a basis of mutual advantage thereby, to provide Utility System in a manner that will accord best with geographic, economic, and population factors influencing the needs and development of both communities and providing the benefit of economy of scale for the overall promotion of the general welfare of both communities;

WHEREAS, it is the intent and desire of the Hildale City and Colorado City to provide for a joint, coordinated, and cooperative approach to common operations and maintenance responsibilities of the Utility System, to include the management and use of equipment;

WHEREAS, the Cities desire to construct, purchase, acquire own, manage, operate, maintain, finance and bill for utilities to provide water, sewer, gas and fiber optic networking services to the inhabitants of the Cities; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions in The Utah Interlocal Cooperation Act, Title 11, Chapter 13 of the Utah Code, public agencies are authorized to enter into mutually advantageous agreements for joint or cooperative action, including utilities services;

WHEREAS, the parties have negotiated an Intergovernmental Cooperative Agreement (“Agreement”) to provide Utility System services in Hildale City and Colorado City;

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the citizens of Hildale City that the attached Agreement be approved and executed.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED by the City Council of Hildale City, Washington County, Utah that the attached Agreement is approved.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE HILDALE CITY COUNCIL, STATE OF UTAH ON THIS 6th DAY OF APRIL 2022.

(Signature block on following page.)

| | | YES | NO | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
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| Lawrence Barlow | Council Member | | | | |
| JVar Dutson | Council Member | | | | |
| Brigham Holm | Council Member | | | | |
| Terrill Musser | Council Member | | | | |
| Stacy Seay | Council Member | | | | |

Donia Jessop, Mayor

Attest:

(seal)
Athena Cawley, City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney