

RESOLUTION NO. 2398

**A RESOLUTION REPEALING RESOLUTION NO. 2209 ESTABLISHING AN
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVE PROGRAM RELATED TO
ELECTRIC UTILITY FRANCHISE FEES**

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 2209, approved by the City Council February 28, 2022, established an economic development incentive that provided a bulk-discount for major power users within the city. Users who paid more than \$750,000 in franchise fees in a year could request reimbursement for all franchise fees paid over and above the \$750,000 limit; and

WHEREAS, the incentive program set by Resolution No. 2209 was to sunset on December 31, 2029, however, the City recognizes that due to changes in power use there is no longer a need for this specific economic incentive program; and

WHEREAS, city staff recommend repealing Resolution No. 2209.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF HERMISTON RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

1. That Resolution No. 2209 establishing an economic development incentive program related to electric utility franchise fees is no longer necessary and is hereby repealed.
2. That this resolution is effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED by the Common Council this 8th day of December 2025.

SIGNED by the Mayor this 8th day of December 2025.

Doug Primmer, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Lilly Alarcon-Strong, CMC, CITY RECORDER