

New Prague Utilities Commission

In the Counties of Scott & Le Sueur

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council

FROM: Bruce Reimers, Utilities General Manager

DATE: March 19, 2025

SUBJECT: Declaring the Official Intent of City of NEW PRAGUE to Reimburse Certain

Expenditures from the Proceeds of Tax-Exempt Bonds or other Obligations and

Establishing Procedures for Additional Declarations of Official Intent

Due to the intent of the New Prague Utilities Commission to build new generation facilities and there being nearly a three-year period between order placement for generation equipment, switchgear and constructing a building it will be necessary for the utility to use cash reserves to facilitate payment of engineering and equipment procurement before bonding takes place. By having a refunding resolution in place, the Commission will be able to reimburse itself for expenses incurred before the proceeds of a bond are received.

Recommendation

City Council considers approval of refunding resolution for proposed generation facilities.