

PASSED: November 11, 2013
BY: Doering

RESOLUTION NO. 2013-30

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO ENTER
INTO A CONTRACT FOR ALTERNATIVE SUPPLY OF ELECTRIC ENERGY

WHEREAS, due to the recent deregulation of energy in Ohio, the Village has the opportunity to seek a cheaper electricity supply as an alternative to the rates charged by Duke;

WHEREAS, the current market conditions indicate that the Village may benefit in reduction its cost of electricity by participating in a competitive pricing consortium with other local governments through the Center for Local Government (CLG);

WHEREAS, the CLG competitive pricing process involves multiple CLG member jurisdictions pooling their municipally-owned properties together for economies of scale in order to achieve more competitive, hence lower, rates on municipal electrical supply;

WHEREAS, time is of the essence in accepting a competitive bidding cost as electricity prices paid by the wholesalers on the national market fluctuate daily, such that the wholesale providers of electricity require prompt acceptance of an offer in order to lock in their purchase cost on from their market suppliers;

WHEREAS, Council determines it is in the best interest of the Village and its residents to authorize the Village Manager to participate in the CLG Consortium electricity bid and enter an agreement with the lowest and best bidder selected by the CLG Consortium in order to provide the Village with the most advantageous options for electricity supply;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF AMBERLEY VILLAGE, STATE OF OHIO, seven_(7) members elected thereto concurring,

SECTION 1: The Village Manager is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with the CLG Consortium to participate in its electric bidding process, and enter into a contract with the lowest and best bidder selected by the CLG Consortium to provide electricity and related services to the Village at a price not to exceed 5.3 cents/kWh.

SECTION 2: This Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed this 11th day of November, 2013.

Mayor J.K. Byar

Attest:

Nicole Browder, Clerk of Council

Resolution Vote:

Moved: Doering Second: Wolf

I, Clerk of Council of Amberley Village, Ohio, certify that on the ____ day of November 2013, the forgoing Resolution was published pursuant to Article IX of the Home Rule Charter by posting true copies of said Resolution at all of the places of public notice as designed by Sec. 31.40(B), Code of Ordinances.

Nicole Browder, Clerk of Council