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NOTICE OF MEETING

MEETING OF: **PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMITTEE**

CALLED BY: JUSTIN TISDALE, CHAIRMAN

DATE: **May 26, 2020**

LOCATION: Virtual WebEx Meeting

TIME: 6:00 P.M.

RE: RES. 61-19: Clean Energy Goals Legislation

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

SARA CONTINENZA
JANE GOODMAN

MEMBERS OF COUNCIL:

JOE FRANK
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RUTH GRAY
SUSAN HARDY

ADMINISTRATION:

KEITH BENJAMIN, COMMUNITY SERVICES DIRECTOR
JIM ANDERSON, SERVICE DIRECTOR
MIKE LOVE, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR

CITY OF SOUTH EUCLID, OHIO

RESOLUTION NO.: 61-19
INTRODUCED BY: Fiorelli
REQUESTED BY: Gelfand, Continenza, Goodman

November 25, 2019

A RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH A GOAL OF ONE HUNDRED PERCENT CLEAN ENERGY FOR THE CITY OF SOUTH EUCLID FACILITIES BY 2025 AND FOR THE COMMUNITY AT LARGE BY 2035.

WHEREAS, 139 U.S. cities, including Cleveland and Cincinnati, have already adopted ambitious 100% clean energy goals, and six U.S. cities have already hit their targets to generate 100% of the energy used community-wide from clean, non-polluting and renewable sources; and,

WHEREAS, "renewable energy" includes energy derived from wind, solar, existing and low impact hydroelectric geothermal, biogas, and wave technology sources; and,

WHEREAS, South Euclid's commitment to 100% clean energy will create good local jobs, reduce air pollution and other health risks, and save consumers money; and,

WHEREAS, renewable energy now offers greater economic security, lower electricity costs, and a more affordable energy solution for individual consumers than ever before; now, therefore,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF SOUTH EUCLID, OHIO:

Section 1: That this Council does hereby commit to a goal of one hundred percent clean energy for the City of South Euclid facilities by 2025 and for the community at large by 2035.

Section 2: That this Council does hereby direct the administration develop a plan during FY 2020 that lays out a roadmap for the City of South Euclid to achieve these ambitious goals and to proactively seek input from the community in developing this plan.

Section 3: That this Council will prioritize the lowest cost measures to meet energy needs to be mindful of the use of taxpayer dollars and any impact of consumers' personal expenses.

Section 4: That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees on or after November 25, 1975, that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 5: Wherefore, this Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law and upon signature of the Mayor.

Passed this _____ day of _____, 2019.

Dennis Fiorelli, President of Council

Attest:

Approved:

Keith A. Benjamin, Clerk of Council

Georgine Welo, Mayor

Approved as to form:

Michael P. Lograsso, Director of Law