

ORDINANCE NO. 001-01

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE GENERAL SERVICE RATES INCLUDING RATE ADJUSTMENT PROVISIONS AND MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE CHARGES TO BE CHARGED FOR SALES AND TRANSPORTATION OF NATURAL GAS TO RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL CONSUMERS IN THE CITY OF DELEON, COMANCHE COUNTY, TEXAS, PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE THEREFOR, AND PROVIDING FOR THE MANNER IN WHICH SUCH RATES MAY BE CHANGED, ADJUSTED, AND AMENDED.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DELEON, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. On June 28, 2001, TXU Gas Distribution, a division of TXU Gas Company ("Company") filed with the Governing Body of this municipality a Statement of Intent to Change Residential, Commercial and Industrial Rates charged to consumers within this municipality. Also filed was the Tariff for Gas Service in the West Region Distribution System ("Tariff for Gas Service") and the supporting Cost of Service Schedules ("Schedules"). The Tariff for Gas Service includes Rate Schedules 4400 – Index of Rates and List of West Region Distribution System Cities, 4401 - Residential Service, 4402 - Commercial Service, 4411-4413 - Industrial Sales, 4414 - Industrial Transportation, 4421 - Industrial Sales and Transportation, 4408-1 through 4408-4 - Rate Adjustment Provisions, and 9001 through 9007 - Miscellaneous Service Charges.

SECTION 2. The maximum general service rates for sales and transportation of natural gas rendered to residential, commercial and industrial consumers within the city limits of DeLeon, Texas by TXU Gas Distribution, a division of TXU Gas Company, a Texas corporation, its successors and assigns, are hereby fixed and approved as set forth in Rate Schedules 4401 - Residential Service, 4402 - Commercial Service, 4411-4413 - Industrial Sales, 4414 - Industrial Transportation, and 4421 - Industrial Sales and Transportation included in the Tariff for Gas Service in the West Region Distribution System.

SECTION 3. The Rate Adjustment Provisions set forth in the Tariff for Gas Service as Rate Schedules 4408-1 Gas Cost Adjustment, 4408-2 Tax Adjustment, 4408-3 Weather Normalization Adjustment, and 4408-4 Surcharges are approved.

SECTION 4. The Company shall have the right to collect such reasonable charges as are necessary to conduct its business and to carry out its reasonable rules and regulations. Such miscellaneous service charges are identified in Rate Schedules 9001 through 9007 of the Tariff for Gas Service and are approved. Services for which no charge is set out may be performed and charged for by the Company at a level established by the normal forces of competition.

SECTION 5. The aforesaid rate schedules herein approved shall be effective for bills rendered on and after the effective date set forth in the Statement of Intent, if this ordinance is passed and approved on or before that effective date.

SECTION 6. The rates set forth in this ordinance may be changed and amended by either the City or Company in the manner provided by law. Service hereunder is subject to the orders of regulatory bodies having jurisdiction, and to the Company's Rules and Regulations currently on file with the City.

SECTION 7. Unless otherwise noted herein, other than TXU Gas Distribution (a named party), no person or entity has been admitted as a party to this rate proceeding.

SECTION 8. It is hereby found and determined that said meeting at which this ordinance was passed was open to the public, as required by Texas law, and that advance public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given.

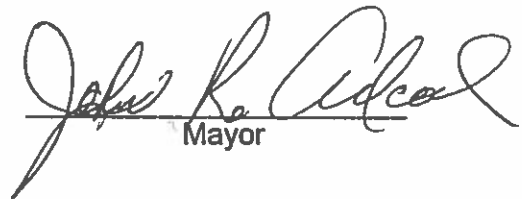
PASSED AND APPROVED on the First Reading on this the 10th day of JULY, A. D., 2001.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the Second Reading on this the 24th day of JULY, A. D., 2001.

ATTEST:


City Secretary

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Mayor