



RESOLUTION G2025-76

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATOR TO ENTER INTO A NATURAL GAS AGGREGATION AGREEMENT WITH A NATURAL GAS SUPPLIER RECOMMENDED BY ENERGY ALLIANCES, INC., DISPENSING WITH THE SECOND READING, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Ohio General Assembly enacted natural gas deregulation legislation which authorized the legislative authorities of municipal corporations, townships, and counties to aggregate the retail natural gas loads located in the respective jurisdictions and to enter into service agreements to facilitate for those loads the purchase and sale of natural gas; and

WHEREAS, the residents, businesses and other natural gas consumers within the community limits of Symmes Township gave permission to the Board of Trustees to aggregate the retail natural gas loads on their behalf by passing a Natural Gas Aggregation ballot issue; and

WHEREAS, Symmes Township successfully completed and submitted to the State of Ohio all required paperwork to become a certified Competitive Natural Gas Service Provider to provide governmental aggregation services within the State of Ohio;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT by the Board of Trustees of Symmes Township, Hamilton County, Ohio that:

- Section 1.** That the Township Administrator is hereby authorized and directed to enter into an Opt-Out natural gas agreement with a supplier to be named later for natural gas supply to the Township's Natural Gas Aggregation Program.
- Section 2.** That the Township Administrator may enter into an Opt-Out natural gas aggregation Master Service Agreement with a Natural Gas supplier recommended by Energy Alliance, Inc.
- Section 3.** That any qualifying resident, businesses and other natural gas consumers within the limits of Township can request, at any time and without cost, to "Opt-Out" or exit the program by contacting www.symmestownship.org, [EnergyAlliances, Inc. of the chosen supplier](mailto:EnergyAlliances,Inc@symmestownship.org), [513-683-6644](tel:513-683-6644) or [513-683-6626](tel:513-683-6626) fax

Section 4. It is hereby certified that all formal actions of the Board of Trustees of Symmes Township, Hamilton County, Ohio relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of the Board and that all deliberations of the Board were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

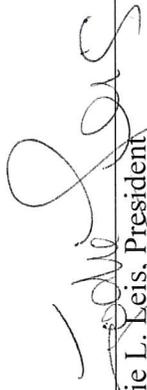
Section 5. Upon majority vote does hereby dispense with the requirement that this Resolution be read on two separate days and hereby authorizes the adoption of this Resolution upon its first reading.

Section 6. This Resolution shall take effect and be enforced from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

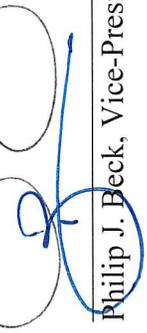
ADOPTED: AUGUST 12, 2025 – RESOLUTION G2025-76

Vote Record: Mr. Beck AYE Mr. Bryant _____ Ms. Leis AY

BOARD OF TRUSTEES:



Jodie L. Leis, President



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ATTEST:



Joseph C. Grossi, Fiscal Officer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Jeff Forbes, Law Director