

**CITY OF FORNEY, TEXAS
RESOLUTION NO. 20-_____**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORNEY, TEXAS
AUTHORIZING CONTINUED PARTICIPATION WITH THE STEERING
COMMITTEE OF CITIES SERVED BY ONCOR; AND AUTHORIZING THE
PAYMENT OF SIX CENTS PER CAPITA TO THE STEERING COMMITTEE TO
FUND REGULATORY AND LEGAL PROCEEDINGS AND ACTIVITIES
RELATED TO ONCOR ELECTRIC DELIVERY COMPANY, LLC.**

WHEREAS, the City of Forney, Texas (the "City") is a regulatory authority under the Public Utility Regulatory Act ("PURA") and has exclusive original jurisdiction over the rates and services of Oncor Electric Delivery Company, LLC ("Oncor") within the municipal boundaries of the City; and

WHEREAS, the Steering Committee of Cities Served By Oncor ("Steering Committee") has historically intervened in Oncor rate proceedings and electric utility related rulemakings to protect the interests of municipalities and electric customers residing within municipal boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the Steering Committee is participating in Public Utility Commission dockets and projects, as well as court proceedings, and legislative activity, affecting transmission and distribution utility rates; and

WHEREAS, the City is a member of the Steering Committee; and

WHEREAS, the Steering Committee functions under the direction of an Executive Committee which sets an annual budget and directs interventions before state and federal agencies, courts and legislatures, subject to the right of any member to request and cause its party status to be withdrawn from such activities; and

WHEREAS, the Steering Committee in its December 2020 meeting set a budget for 2021 that compels an assessment of six cents (\$0.06) per capita; and

WHEREAS, in order for the Steering Committee to continue its participation in these activities which affects the provision of electric utility service and the rates to be charged, it must assess its members for such costs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORNEY, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. The above and foregoing premises are true and correct and are incorporated herein and made part hereof for all purposes.

SECTION 2. That the City is authorized to continue its membership with the Steering Committee of Cities Served by Oncor to protect the interests of the City of Forney and protect the interests of the customers of Oncor Electric Delivery Company, LLC residing and conducting business within the City limits.

SECTION 3. The City is further authorized to pay its 2021 assessment to the Steering Committee in the amount of six cents (\$0.06) per capita based on the population figures for the City shown in the latest TML Directory of City Officials.

SECTION 4. A copy of this Resolution and approved assessment fee payable to “*Steering Committee of Cities Served by Oncor*” shall be sent to:

Brandi Stigler
Atmos Cities Steering Committee
c/o Arlington City Attorney’s Office, Mail Stop 63-0300
101 S. Mesquite St., Suite 300
Arlington, Texas 76010

PRESENTED AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Forney, Texas, this the ____ day of _____, 2021.

Mary Penn, Mayor

ATTEST:

Dorothy Brooks, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Jon Thatcher, City Attorney