

CITY OF POMPANO BEACH
Broward County, Florida

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY ORDINANCE NO. 91-84 TO PROVIDE FOR A TEN YEAR EXTENSION TO THE CITY'S NATURAL GAS FRANCHISE AND TO PROVIDE FOR CHANGE OF NAME; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, pursuant to City Ordinance No. 91-84 passed by the City Commission on September 17, 1991, a natural gas franchise was granted to Peoples Gas System, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, City Ordinance No. 91-84 provided for a term of franchise for ten years and an additional option to renew the franchise for two additional ten year periods upon acceptance of all the terms by the grantee; and

WHEREAS, grantee, Peoples Gas System, Inc. has expressed its desire to renew the franchise for an additional ten year period; and

WHEREAS, Peoples Gas System, Inc. has merged into and is now known as the Tampa Electric Company; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to law, ten (10) days' notice has been given by publication in a paper of general circulation in the City, notifying the public of this proposed Ordinance and of a public hearing in the City Commission Chambers of the City of Pompano Beach; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing before the City Commission was held pursuant to the published notice described above, at which hearing the parties in interest and all other citizens so desiring had an opportunity to be and were, in fact, heard; now, therefore,

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CITY OF POMPANO BEACH, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1: That Section 4 of City Ordinance No. 91-84 is hereby amended to extend the term of the franchise for a term of ten additional years from September 17, 2001.


SECTION 2: Further, City Ordinance No. 91-84 is hereby generally amended throughout to substitute "Tampa Electric Company" for franchisee "Peoples Gas System, Inc."


SECTION 3: If any provision of this Ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect any provisions or applications of this Ordinance that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable.

SECTION 4: This Ordinance shall become effective upon passage.

PASSED FIRST READING this 25th day of September, 2001.

PASSED SECOND READING this 9th day of October 2001.


WILLIAM F. GRIFFIN, MAYOR

ATTEST:

MARY L. CHAMBERS, CITY CLERK

The grantee hereby accepts the ten year extension of the franchise granted to it pursuant to and in accordance with all the terms and conditions set forth in City Ordinance No. 91-84, which acceptance is indicated by the endorsement of the signatures of its appropriate corporate officers below.

TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY

By: 
F. J. SHVARD

Title: _____
Vice President-Accounting, Peoples Gas System,
a Division of Tampa Electric Company

ATTESTED TO:

By: 

CORPORATE SEAL:

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