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ORDINANCE NO. 78-07

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF JACKSON, OHIO, AND AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER SERVICE CORPORATION, FOR A SERVICE AGREEMENT FOR INTERCONNECTION AND LOCAL DELIVERY, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JACKSON, STATE OF OHIO, as follows:

<u>Section One.</u> The Mayor and/or his designated representative is authorized to enter into an Agreement between the City of Jackson, Ohio, and American Electric Power Service Corporation, as designated agent for AEP Operating Companies, for a Service Agreement for Interconnection and Local Delivery. A copy of the Agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

<u>Section Two.</u> This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency Ordinance necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety of the City of Jackson, in that it is necessary to enter into this agreement as soon as possible in order to continue to upgrade and maintain the City's electric distribution needs. Therefore, this Ordinance shall go into effect upon passage and approval by the Mayor, as provided in Ohio Revised Code Section 731.30.

<u>Section Three.</u> In the event this Ordinance receives a majority vote for passage but fails to receive the required number of votes to pass as an emergency, then this Ordinance shall be deemed to have passed but with no emergency clause and shall take effect at the earliest time permitted by law.

<u>Section Four.</u> It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that the deliberations of this Council that resulted in such formal actions, were in a meeting open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Date: / - / - 67

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

CLERK OF COUNCIL

Approved:

Date: 0-15-07

MAYOR