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ORDINANCE NO. 171-23

BY: **KAMMY SHUMAN**
(By Request – Service Director)

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO A TWO-YEAR CONTRACT WITH NOPEC/NEXTERA ENERGY FOR THE PROVISION OF NATURAL GAS FOR CERTAIN MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTS IN THE CITY OF PARMA, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PARMA, STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That the Director of Public Service is hereby authorized to enter a two (2) year contract with NOPEC/NextEra Energy for the supply of natural gas to two (2) municipal accounts, for the period of December 2023 thru November, 2025, in the rate set forth in the attached Exhibit "A".

Section 2. That the Director of Public Service is hereby authorized to execute amendments to said agreement as may be necessary, and to take such action and to execute such other documents as necessary in connection therewith, as are approved by the Law Director.

Section 3. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council; and that all deliberations of the Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

Section 4. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of the City of Parma, and for the further reason that this measure is necessary to lock in the NOPEC/NextEra Energy rates, and this Ordinance shall become immediately effective upon receiving the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council and approval of the Mayor, otherwise from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: _____

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: _____
CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED: _____

FILED WITH
THE MAYOR: _____

MAYOR, CITY OF PARMA, OHIO