

The following ordinance was moved for adoption by Mr. Ronnie Hayes,
seconded by Mr. Lawrence Mier.

PROPOSITION NO. 344 ORDINANCE NO. 846

An Ordinance of the Town of Welsh to provide standards of electric service to customers of the Town of Welsh.

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Town Council of the Town of Welsh, that:
Ordinance is hereby enacted, to read as follows:

Standards of Electric Service

The Town of Welsh (“Town”) will strive to supply its customers with a steady and reliable supply of alternating current electricity at 60 Hertz but does not warrant or guarantee the service against failure, interruption, reduction, abnormality, reversal or irregularities. The Town shall use reasonable diligence to provide safe, adequate and continuous electric service but shall not be liable to a customer for any direct or consequential damage or loss by reason of:

- A) The failure of the Town to supply or the customer to receive electricity, or for any interruption, voltage reductions or abnormalities, reversal of the supply or other irregularity, in the supply of electricity to the customer.
- B) Fire, strike, riot, explosion, storm, hurricane wind, lightning, flood, accident, breakdown, material shortage, delay in delivery, governmental or regulatory action or inaction, acts of God, acts of any public enemy, civil disturbance, sabotage, delay or failure of performance by a third party, war, national emergency, or any other event beyond the control of the Town.
- C) The Town making repairs, making changes to, replacing, testing, or inspecting its equipment or facilities.
- D) Interruption or curtailment of electric service by manual or automatic load shedding in an emergency declared by the Midcontinent Independent System Operator (“MISO”) or its successor organization.

Customers should consider the installation of surge arrester protection and/or voltage stabilizer equipment to further prevent damage or loss to customer’s property. Such installation shall be installed behind the meter, past the disconnect. Customers installing surge arresters or voltage stabilizer equipment should consult a licensed, professional engineer or electrician.

Vote by roll call follows:

Yeas: Andrea King, Ronnie Hayes, Lawrence Mier, Jackie Balmer

Nays: None

Abstaining: None

Absent: Clint Hardy

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen
on this 3rd day of September, 2024.

KARL ARCENEUX, MAYOR

ATTEST:

EVA C. KIBODEAUX, CLERK

I certify that the foregoing ordinance was presented to the Mayor by me on _____, 2024.

EVA C. KIBODEAUX, CLERK

I acknowledge receipt of the above ordinance from the clerk on _____, 2024.

KARL ARCENEUX, MAYOR

I hereby _____ the ordinance on this ____ day of _____, 2024.

KARL ARCENEUX, MAYOR

I certify the above ordinance was received by me from the Mayor on _____, 2024.

EVA C. KIBODEDAUX, CLERK