

ORDINANCE NO. 1413

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, SUSPENDING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF PROPOSED REVISIONS OF RATES AND SCHEDULES OF TEXAS POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY FOR 120 DAYS FROM JANUARY 25, 1978, PROVIDING THAT THE RATES OF SAID PUBLIC UTILITY SHALL REMAIN UNCHANGED DURING THE PERIOD OF SUSPENSION; AND PROVIDING FOR NOTICE HEREOF TO SAID PUBLIC UTILITY.

WHEREAS, Texas Power & Light Company heretofore, on December 21, 1977, filed with the City Secretary a Statement of Intent and Petition for Authority to Change Rates for electric service provided by it within the corporate limits of the City and proposed that the revised schedules and rates become effective on January 25, 1978; and

WHEREAS, the City Council is of the opinion that there is a necessity to consider a large amount of data in connection with the request and there is a necessity for public hearings thereon prior to final determination of the rate request, and consequently that the operation and effective date of the proposed schedule of rates should be suspended for final determination of the rate request;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That the effective date of the proposed revision of rates and schedules of Texas Power & Light Company for electric service within the City, heretofore filed on December 21, 1977, is hereby suspended for a period of 120 days from January 25, 1978. The reason for such suspension is to provide additional time for consideration of data, for the conduct of public hearings and for final determination of the propriety of the request for a rate increase.

SECTION 2. That the rates of Texas Power and Light Company for electric service within the City in effect on December 21, 1977, shall continue in force during the period of suspension as provided in Section 1.

SECTION 3. That the City Secretary is hereby directed, promptly after passage hereof, to furnish a copy of this Ordinance to Texas Power & Light Company.

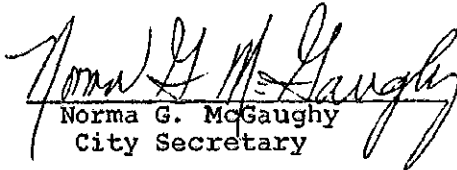
DULY PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, on the 16th day of January, 1978.



E. J. SMITH
MAYOR

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Norma G. McGaughy
City Secretary

Elland Archer
City Attorney