

**RESOLUTION 9923**  
**AUTHORIZING A VOLUNTARY ENERGY SUPPLY RATE INCREASE**  
**IN THE AMOUNT OF 13.2% (8.66% VOLUNTARY INCREASE PLUS ADDITIONAL**  
**4.5% INCREASE DUE TO SOUTHERN MONTANA'S APRIL 2011 RATE**  
**INCREASE)FOR THE CITY OF GREAT FALLS**

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A VOLUNTARY ENERGY SUPPLY RATE INCREASE IN THE AMOUNT OF 13.2% (8.66% VOLUNTARY INCREASE PLUS ADDITIONAL 4.5% INCREASE DUE TO SOUTHERN MONTANA'S APRIL 2011 RATE INCREASE) FOR THE CITY OF GREAT FALLS- AN ELECTRIC CITY POWER, INC CUSTOMER, IN ACCORDANCE WITH 13.02.040 OCCGF, EFFECTIVE AS OF FEBRUARY 1, 2011.

WHEREAS: The City Commission of the City of Great Falls, met and conducted a public hearing during the regular session on Tuesday, June 7, 2011, at the Civic Center, Great Falls, Montana, at 7:00 p.m. and did consider the cost of operation, equipment, facilities, debt service, and capital improvements for the Electric Utility Fund; and

WHEREAS: 5.20.070 OCCGF states: "All rates and charges recommended by the Board of Directors of the Corporation [ECP] shall be subject to the approval of the City Commission, by resolution adopted subsequent to notice and public hearing as required by Title 69, Chapter 7, Part 1, Montana Code Annotated, as amended."

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: The City Commission of the City of Great Falls does hereby authorize a voluntary energy supply rate increase in the amount of 13.2% for the City of Great Falls - An Electric City Power, Inc. customer.

Passed by the Commission of the City of Great Falls, Montana, on this 7th day of June, 2011.

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Michael J. Winters, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Lisa Kunz, City Clerk

(SEAL OF CITY)

APPROVED FOR LEGAL CONTENT:

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James W. Santoro, City Attorney