

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**A RESOLUTION REGARDING CERTAIN CHANGES TO COLORADO SPRINGS UTILITIES' TARIFF NATURAL GAS RATE SCHEDULES**

WHEREAS, the United States Air Force Academy (Academy) has requested safe and reliable natural gas and facilities service from Colorado Springs Utilities; and

WHEREAS, on August 12, 2008 by Resolution No. 143-08, the City Council approved a resolution in response to the Academy's request to provide natural gas and facilities service within the geographic confines of the Academy; and

WHEREAS, since December 2011 when additional funds have become available or additional project segments authorized, the Academy has requested revisions in the tariff to recover the costs of the natural gas and facilities service; and

WHEREAS, the Academy determined that additional sections of the natural gas infrastructure on the Academy's grounds would be constructed and then owned and operated by Colorado Springs Utilities; and

WHEREAS, the proposed tariff modifications are designed to implement revised monthly charges toward recovery of the costs to provide natural gas and facilities service and to fund the Academy's determination that additional sections of the natural gas infrastructure would be constructed; and

WHEREAS, the Academy has requested these tariff modifications and has provided a letter in support of the tariff modifications; and

WHEREAS, City Code section 12.1.107 D. 2. f provides that the City Council may change any tariff provision which City Council, in its discretion, deems to be appropriate; provided, that the change has no adverse impact on customers; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the proposed modifications to the Natural Gas Contract Service will not adversely impact other customers; and

WHEREAS, the proposed modifications to the Natural Gas Rate Schedules are just, reasonable, sufficient and not unduly discriminatory and allow Colorado Springs Utilities to collect revenues that enable Colorado Springs Utilities to continue to operate in the best interest of all of its customers; and

WHEREAS, Colorado Springs Utilities has proposed to make the Natural Gas Rate Schedule changes effective July 23, 2014.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS:**

Section 1: That Colorado Springs Utilities Tariff, City Council Volume No. 5, Natural Gas Rate Schedules shall be revised as follows:

Effective July 23, 2014

City Council Vol. No. 5 Sheet No.	Title	Cancels Sheet No.
Fifth Revised Sheet No. 5a.1	Contract Service Firm	Fourth Revised Sheet No. 5a.1

Section 2. The attached tariff sheets are hereby approved and adopted.

DATED at Colorado Springs, Colorado, this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of July 2014.

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Keith King, City Council President

ATTEST:

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Sarah B. Johnson, City Clerk