

RESOLUTION NO. 12-40

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE, TEXAS ESTABLISHING ENERGY CONSERVATION GOALS AS REQUIRED BY TEXAS HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE § 388.005, AS AMENDED BY SENATE BILL 898 OF THE 82ND LEGISLATIVE SESSION OF 2011, STATE OF TEXAS; REQUIRING THE FILING OF AN ANNUAL REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH THE CITY'S ENERGY CONSERVATION GOALS WITH THE STATE ENERGY CONSERVATION OFFICE ("SECO") ON A FORM PROVIDED BY SECO; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 898 of the 82nd Legislative Session of 2011 amends the Texas Health and Safety Code § 388.005, to require political subdivisions in nonattainment areas to establish a goal to reduce electric consumption by at least five percent each state fiscal year for 10 years beginning September 1, 2011; and

WHEREAS, the City of Commerce, Texas ("City") is a political subdivision located in a nonattainment area or in an affected county, not otherwise exempted from having to establish an energy conservation goal; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 898 requires the City to file an annual report of energy conservation efforts with SECO on a form to be provided by SECO; and

WHEREAS, reduction in consumption of electricity at City electric accounts will reduce electric generation requirements, which will in turn have a beneficial impact on ERCOT system reliability, air quality, and the City's budget.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE, TEXAS THAT:

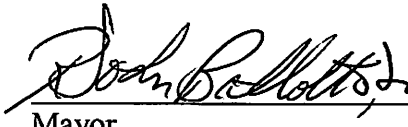
Section 1: The City hereby establishes a goal that electricity consumption be reduced by five percent each fiscal year for ten years, beginning September 1, 2011.

Section 2: The City file an annual energy consumption goal compliance report with SECO on a form provided by SECO.

Section 3: This resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

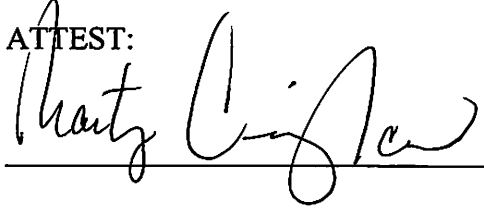
PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE, TEXAS ON THIS 18th DAY OF AUGUST, 2012.

APPROVED:

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Mayor

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Mary C. [unclear]", written over a horizontal line.