

ORDINANCE NO. 825

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WASHINGTON, KANSAS AUTHORIZING THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE CITY AS A FULL MEMBER IN THE KANSAS MUNICIPAL GAS AGENCY; AND AUTHORIZING OTHER ACTIONS RELATED THERETO.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Washington, Kansas (the "City") has, pursuant to K.S.A. 12-2901 *et seq.* and Ordinance No. 642 of the City, previously become a member of the Kansas Municipal Gas Agency (the "Agency"); and

**WHEREAS**, in order to effectuate the City's membership in the Agency, the Mayor and Clerk of the City executed an Interlocal Cooperation Agreement creating the Kansas Municipal Gas Agency (the "Agreement"); and

**WHEREAS**, Section 7.2 of the Agreement provides that the City may withdraw as a member of the Agency if such withdrawal is authorized by Ordinance of the governing body of the City and consented to by resolution of the Board of Directors of the Agency; and

**WHEREAS**, the governing body of the City has determined it to be in the best interests of the City to sell its natural gas distribution system, so it is necessary and advisable for the City to withdraw as a member of the Agency upon closing of the sale of the natural gas distribution system.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WASHINGTON, KANSAS:**


**SECTION 1.** The City is hereby authorized to, and does, withdraw as a member of the Agency as of the date of the sale of its natural gas distribution system.

**SECTION 2.** The Mayor and Clerk of the City are hereby authorized to transmit this Ordinance to the Agency, request the Board of Directors of the Agency to consent to the City's withdrawal from Agency membership, and take all other necessary actions to effectuate the City's withdrawal from Agency membership.

**SECTION 3.** This Ordinance shall be in force and take effect from and after its adoption and publication once in the official newspaper of the City.

**PASSED** by the Governing Body, and **APPROVED** by the Mayor, of the City of Washington, Kansas on February 3, 2025.

Attest:

  
Denise Powell, City Clerk  
(SEAL)



  
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Garrett Edgar, Mayor