

VILLAGE OF ARCADIA, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-2

**ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION
OF THE 2026-2028 FIXED VOLUME ENERGY SUPPLY SCHEDULE
WITH AMERICAN MUNICIPAL POWER, INC. ("AMP") AND DECLARING AN
EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, the Village of Arcadia, Ohio (the "Municipality") is a political subdivision organized and existing pursuant to the laws of the State of Ohio that owns and operates an electric utility system for the sale of electric power and associated energy for the benefit of its citizens and customers;

WHEREAS, in order to satisfy the electric energy requirements of its electric utility system, the Municipality has heretofore purchased economical and reliable energy from AMP, an Ohio non-profit corporation, of which the Municipality is a member, or has heretofore purchased energy arranged by AMP;

WHEREAS, the Municipality, acting individually and, along with other municipalities that own and operate electric utility systems, jointly through AMP, endeavors to arrange for reliable, reasonably priced supplies of electric energy for ultimate delivery to its customers;

WHEREAS, Municipality has executed a Master Services Agreement with AMP, which sets forth the general terms and conditions for the provision of power supply and other services by AMP to the Municipality;

WHEREAS, AMP will negotiate with one or more reputable and financially sound third-party power suppliers to enter into an agreement(s) to purchase electric energy in various megawatt ("MW") or megawatt hour ("MWh") blocks for a term beginning on January 1, 2026 and ending no later than December 31, 2028, all of which will provide an economical source of electric energy (herein "Long-term Energy Purchase(s)") for Municipality;

WHEREAS, AMP, on behalf of the Municipality, desires to purchase from third-party supplier(s) and then to resell the energy available from these Long-term Energy Purchase(s) on a long-term basis to Municipality at contract cost (excluding any taxes, transmission costs, replacement energy, losses, congestion costs, security costs, or AMP service fees) not to exceed \$79.00 per MWh;

WHEREAS, AMP, has prepared and delivered to the Municipality the form of a 2026-2028 FIXED VOLUME ENERGY SUPPLY SCHEDULE, pursuant to which the Municipality may purchase energy; and

WHEREAS, AMP has provided and will continue to provide appropriate personnel and information regarding the Long-term Energy Purchase(s) to the

Municipality, as such officers and representatives of the Municipality deem necessary or appropriate, to enable the Municipality to evaluate the benefits and risks of the Long-term Energy Purchase(s), to take actions contemplated by the Ordinance hereinafter set forth and to determine that the same are in the public interest.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF ARCADIA, OHIO.

SECTION 1. That the form of the 2026-2028 FIXED VOLUME ENERGY SUPPLY SCHEDULE between this Municipality and AMP, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit 1, is approved, subject to and with any and all changes provided for herein and therein.

SECTION 2. That the Village Administrator be authorized to execute the 2026-2028 FIXED VOLUME ENERGY SUPPLY SCHEDULE and to acquire the Municipality's energy from one or more Long-term Energy Purchase(s), each with a term beginning on January 1, 2026 and ending no later than December 31, 2028, and with a third-party contract price (excluding any taxes, transmission costs, replacement energy, losses, congestion costs, security costs, or AMP service fees) not to exceed \$79.00 per MWh for purchases, from AMP, and is further authorized to execute and deliver any and all documents necessary to participate in one or more Long-term Energy Purchase(s), pursuant to the conditions set forth herein, as set forth in the 2026-2028 FIXED VOLUME ENERGY SUPPLY SCHEDULE; provided, however, that the volume of such purchases under the 2026-2028 FIXED VOLUME ENERGY SUPPLY SCHEDULE shall not exceed 0.1 MWh per hour (*i.e.*, 0.1 MW) each hour.

SECTION 3. That competitive bidding is not required on the Municipality's acquisition of its right to secure energy under the 2026-2028 FIXED VOLUME ENERGY SUPPLY SCHEDULE, and in the event any competitive bidding requirements are applicable, any such competitive bidding requirements that might otherwise be applicable, are hereby waived.

SECTION 4. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of a quorum of the Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any its committees that resulted in such formal action, were held in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements.

SECTION 5. If any section, subsection, paragraph, clause or provision or any part thereof of this Ordinance shall be finally adjudicated by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the remainder of this Ordinance shall be unaffected by such adjudication and all the remaining provisions of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect as though such section, subsection, paragraph, clause or provision or any part thereof so adjudicated to be invalid had not, to the extent of such invalidity, been included herein.

SECTION 6. That this Ordinance shall take effect at the earliest date allowed by law.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Council of the Village of Arcadia, Ohio:

Section 1: That the Village Administrator is authorized and directed contract with American Municipal Power for fixed volume energy.

Section 2: It is found and determined that all deliberations and actions of Council concerning and related to the passage of this Ordinance were held in meeting open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements including section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 3. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of peace, health and safety of the people of the Village of Arcadia, Ohio in that it is necessary to ensure orderly transaction of village affairs and shall therefore take effect at the earliest period allowed by law.

Section 4. That this Ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of peace, health and safety of the Village for the reason that this maintenance is critical to the daily operation of the water system.

Passed in regular session of Arcadia Village Council this 10th day of March, 2025

Vote:

Attest: _____

Mayor Brian Fink

Fiscal Officer, Amie Clouse

CERTIFICATE

The undersigned, Clerk of the Council of the Village of Arcadia, Ohio, hereby certifies that on the ____ day of _____, she did post a copy of the foregoing Ordinance at the following designated public places, and that the said copies did remain as posted for a period of fifteen days.

1. Town Hall Bulletin Board.
2. Electric Department Office
3. Arcadia Superette
4. Honey Joe's Cafe
5. www.villageofarcadia.com

Clerk of Council