RESOLUTION NO. 2023-16

RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING THE ASSIGNMENT OF ORDINANCE NO. 2019-03 FROM NORTHWESTERN CORPORATION TO NORTHWESTERN ENERGY PUBLIC SERVICE CORPORATION

WHEREAS, the City of Harrisburg adopted Ordinance No. 2019-03 on March 18, 2019 (the "Franchise Ordinance"), authorizing Northwestern Corporation to operate a gas distribution system within the City of Harrisburg; and

WHEREAS, as of January 1, 2024, NorthWestern Corporation's South Dakota and Nebraska' assets and related contractual obligations will transfer to a new entity named NorthWestern Energy Public Service Corporation d/b/a NorthWestern Energy consistent with a corporate reorganization authorized by the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission (GE22-002); and

WHEREAS, other than the above-referenced transfer there is no change to the terms or conditions of the Franchise Ordinance or performance thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Harrisburg hereby acknowledges and accepts the assignment of the Franchise Ordinance from NorthWestern Corporation to NorthWestern Energy Public Service Corporation.

Passed and approved this 4 day of December, 2023.

CITY OF HARP SBURG

Derick Wenck, Mayor

ATTEST:

(seal)



Deb Harris, Finance Officer