

**Ordinance authorizing acceptance and appropriation of a donation in the amount of \$100,000 from NextEra Energy Marketing, LLC to be used for plumbing services for low-income gas customers through the Plumbers to People Program to be created by the Gas Department.**

**WHEREAS**, the City's gas purchase agreement with NextEra Energy Marketing, LLC ("NextEra") included a pledge from NextEra to donate \$100,000 to the City for use in a program to provide residents with plumbing services that help to protect the City's gas lines through a new Plumbers to People Program to be created and managed by the City's Gas Department; and

**WHEREAS**, the City wishes to accept and appropriate the \$100,000 donation and create a program to either (1) reimburse low-income residents for necessary plumbing services up to \$2,000 per household or (2) contract for the provision of necessary plumbing services to low-income residents in an amount to exceed \$2,000 per household.

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS, THAT:**

**SECTION 1:** The City Manager or designee is authorized to accept a \$100,000.00 donation from NextEra Energy Marketing, LLC to be used for plumbing services for low-income gas customers through the Plumbers to People Program to be created by the Gas Department.

**SECTION 2:** \$100,000.00 from NextEra Energy Marketing, LLC is appropriated in the Gas Grants Fund No. 1053 to be used for the Plumbers to People Program.

That the foregoing ordinance was read for the first time and passed to its second reading on this the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022, by the following vote:

Paulette M. Guajardo \_\_\_\_\_  
Roland Barrera \_\_\_\_\_  
Gil Hernandez \_\_\_\_\_  
Michael Hunter \_\_\_\_\_  
Billy Lerma \_\_\_\_\_

John Martinez \_\_\_\_\_  
Ben Molina \_\_\_\_\_  
Mike Pusley \_\_\_\_\_  
Greg Smith \_\_\_\_\_

That the foregoing ordinance was read for the second time and passed finally on this the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2022, by the following vote:

Paulette M. Guajardo \_\_\_\_\_  
Roland Barrera \_\_\_\_\_  
Gil Hernandez \_\_\_\_\_  
Michael Hunter \_\_\_\_\_  
Billy Lerma \_\_\_\_\_

John Martinez \_\_\_\_\_  
Ben Molina \_\_\_\_\_  
Mike Pusley \_\_\_\_\_  
Greg Smith \_\_\_\_\_

PASSED AND APPROVED on this the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.

ATTEST:

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Rebecca Huerta  
City Secretary

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Paulette M. Guajardo  
Mayor