RESOLUTION

NO. R-24-120

CITY HALL: April 4, 2024

BY: COUNCILMEMBERS MORENO, MORRELL, HARRIS, GREEN AND THOMAS

RESOLUTION AND ORDER APPROVING ENTERGY NEW ORLEANS, LLC'S RENEWABLE AND CLEAN PORTFOLIO STANDARD COMPLIANCE FILING FOR THE YEAR 2022

DOCKET NO. UD-19-01

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Home Rule Charter of the City of New Orleans ("Charter"), the Council of the City of New Orleans ("Council") is the governmental body with the power of supervision, regulation, and control over public utilities providing service within the City of New Orleans; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to its powers of supervision, regulation, and control over public utilities, the Council is responsible for fixing and changing rates and charges of public utilities and making all necessary rules and regulations to govern applications for the fixing and changing of rates and charges of public utilities; and

WHEREAS, Entergy New Orleans, LLC ("ENO") is a public utility providing electric and natural gas service to all of New Orleans; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 4(f) of the rules governing the Renewable and Clean Portfolio Standard ("RCPS"), the Council requires ENO to submit a Compliance Demonstration Report regarding its achievement of the RCPS goal for the prior calendar year and its plan for achieving the goal in the current calendar year as part of the three-year RCPS Compliance Plan no later than May 1 of each year; and

WHEREAS, ENO filed its 2022 Compliance Demonstration Report on May 1, 2023; and

WHEREAS, in its Compliance Demonstration Report, in addition to describing its generation resources, ENO requested approval of a bill insert explaining the RCPS, its compliance, and the estimated bill impact for residential customers; and

WHEREAS, on June 8, 2023, the Council adopted Resolution R-23-255 establishing a comment period for parties to respond to the Compliance Demonstration Report; and

WHEREAS, the Alliance for Affordable Energy filed Comments on July 3, 2023; and WHEREAS, ENO filed Reply Comments on August 4, 2023; and

WHEREAS, after a review of the Compliance Demonstration Report and the comments filed by the Alliance for Affordable Energy, the Council finds that ENO complied with the requirements of the RCPS for the year 2022; NOW THEREFORE

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS, That

- 1. ENO is IN COMPLIANCE with the 2022 RCPS requirements of 64% Retail Compliance Load, with not more than 25% compliance through renewable energy credits purchased without associated energy.
- 2. ENO DID NOT EXCEED the Customer Protection Cost Cap.
- 3. ENO's proposed bill insert as described on page 11 of the Compliance Demonstration Report is APPROVED.
- 4. ENO's proposal to recover the costs of RECs retired for 2022 compliance (\$1.54 million) in the FAC over/under recovery balance is APPROVED.

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION WAS READ IN FULL, THE ROLL WAS CALLED ON THE ADOPTION THEREOF, AND RESULTED AS FOLLOWS:

YEAS:

Giarrusso, Green, Harris, King, Moreno, Thomas - 6

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ABSENT:

Morrell - 1

AND THE RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED.

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