RESOLUTION #24-0125

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE NEGOTIATION AND EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT FOR MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC AGGREGATION RATES ON BEHALF OF THE VILLAGE OF ASHMORE, ILLINOIS

WHEREAS, Section 1-92 of the Illinois Power Agency Act, 20 ILCS 3855/1-92, Permits a village, if authorized by referendum, to adopt an ordinance by which it may operate a program to solicit bids and enter into service agreements for the sale and purchase of electricity and related services and equipment to residential and small commercial customers who do not opt-out of such program; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Ashmore provides an opt-out electric aggregation program for eligible electric accounts within its jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, electricity is a commodity for which the Village must act promptly to secure contract terms/rates;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Village of Ashmore Board of Trustees that the Village President and Village Clerk are jointly and severally authorized to negotiate the terms of said aggregation agreement, to determine what is maximally beneficial to the constituents of the Village for the supply of electricity for residential and small commercial retail customers who do not opt out of such a program, and to enter into said agreement on behalf of the Village, without further action of the Village Board.

The provisions of this Resolution are hereby declared to be severable and should any provision of this Resolution be determined to be in conflict with any law, statute, or regulation by a court of competent jurisdiction, said provision shall be excluded and deemed inoperative, unenforceable and as though not provided for herein, and all other provisions shall remain in full force and effect. All resolutions, rules and orders, or parts thereof in conflict herewith are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby superseded. This Resolution is effective immediately upon passage and shall remain in effect until rescinded or superseded by Village.

PASSED THIS 25th DAY OF January, 2024.

Bill Edwards	Aye	Terry Price	Aye
Thomas Grissom	Absent	Bryan Watson	Absent
Dane Perdieu	Aye	Cathy Welborn	Aye

APPROVED: Kurt Crail, Mayor

ATTEST: Jackie Freezeland, Clerk