

Introduced by _____

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PASADENA, CALIFORNIA AMENDING THE LIGHT AND POWER RATE ORDINANCE, TITLE 13, CHAPTER 13.04 OF THE PASADENA MUNICIPAL CODE

The People of the City of Pasadena ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. This ordinance, due to its length and the corresponding costs of publication, will be published by title and summary as permitted by Section 508 of the Charter. The approved summary of this ordinance reads as follows:

" SUMMARY

The purpose of Ordinance No. _____ is to amend the Light and Power Rate Ordinance, Title 13, Chapter 13.04 of the Pasadena Municipal Code as directed by the City Council on June 10, 2019, to implement adjustments to the electric rates and amendments to the Electric Utility Assistance Program.

This ordinance shall take effect upon publication by title and summary."

SECTION 2. Title 13, Chapter 13.04, Section 13.04.040, Subsections D and D.1 of the Pasadena Municipal Code are hereby amended to read as follows:

"D. Rates. Customers shall pay the sum of customer charge, grid access charge, distribution charge, transmission services charge, and energy services charge as specified below.

1. Customer Charge and Grid Access Charge. Customers taking service under Schedule R-1 shall pay a customer charge and a grid access charge during the billing month as follows:

Customer Charge (Effective July 2017)	Per Meter Per Month \$8.96
Grid Access Charge (Effective July 2019)	Per Meter Per Month \$4.50

SECTION 3. Title 13, Chapter 13.04, Section 13.04.040, Subsection F.1.a of the Pasadena Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

“F. Special Provisions.

1. Electric Utility Assistance Program.

- a. Electric Utility Assistance Program (Basic Benefit). Any customer taking service under this schedule shall be eligible for a ten dollar monthly credit against their electricity bills if the gross annual income per calendar year of the household in which such customer resides does not exceed the greater of: (i) the income level that qualifies for rental assistance under the city's low income rental assistance program; or, (ii) the income eligibility criteria established by the California Public Utilities Commission (“CPUC”) Low-Income Oversight Board for rate assistance programs. The department shall periodically certify that the customer is eligible for the basic benefit.”

SECTION 4. Title 13, Chapter 13.04, Section 13.04.045, Subsections D and D.1 of the Pasadena Municipal Code are hereby amended to read as follows:

“D. Rates. Customers shall pay the sum of customer charge, grid access charge, distribution charge, transmission services charge, and energy services charge as specified below.

1. Customer Charge and Grid Access Charge. Customers taking service under Schedule R-2 shall pay a customer charge and a grid access charge during the billing month as follows:

Customer Charge (Effective July 2017)	Per Meter Per Month; \$8.96
Grid Access Charge (Effective July 2019)	Per Meter Per Month \$4.50

SECTION 5. Title 13, Chapter 13.04, Section 13.04.045, Subsection F.1.a of the Pasadena Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

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SECTION 6. Title 13, Chapter 13.04, Section 13.04.050, Subsections D, D.1 and D.5 of the Pasadena Municipal Code are hereby amended to read as follows:

"D. Rates. Customers shall pay the sum of customer charge, grid access charge, distribution charge, transmission services charge, and energy services charge as specified below.

1. Customer Charge and Grid Access Charge. Customers taking service under Schedule S-1 shall pay a customer charge and a grid access charge during the billing month as follows:

Customer Charge: (Effective July 2017)	Per Meter Per Month \$9.42
Grid Access Charge: (Effective July 2019)	Per Meter Per Month \$17.00

5. Minimum Monthly Charge: Customers shall pay a minimum charge equal to the customer charge and the grid access charge under Schedule S-1."

SECTION 7. Title 13, Chapter 13.04, Section 13.04.060, Subsections D, D.1 and D.5 of the Pasadena Municipal Code are hereby amended to read as follows:

"D. Rates. Customers shall pay the sum of customer charge, grid access charge, distribution charge, transmission services charge, and energy services charge as specified below.

1. Customer Charge and Grid Access Charge. Customers taking service under Schedule M-1 shall pay a customer charge and a grid access charge during the billing month as follows:

Customer Charge (Effective July 2017)	Per Meter Per Month \$23.40
Grid Access Charge (Effective July 2019)	Per Meter Per Month \$250.00

5. Minimum monthly charge:

Customers shall pay a minimum charge equal to the customer charge, distribution charge, and the grid access charge under Schedule M-1."

SECTION 8. Title 13, Chapter 13.04, Section 13.04.064, Subsections D, D.1 and D.5 of the Pasadena Municipal Code are hereby amended to read as follows:

"D. Rates. Customers shall pay the sum of customer charge, grid access charge, distribution charge, transmission services charge, and energy services charge as specified below.

1. Customer Charge and Grid Access Charge. Customers taking service under Schedule M-2 shall pay a customer charge and a grid access charge during the billing month as follows:

Customer Charge (Effective July 2017)	Per Meter Per Month \$29.75
Grid Access Charge (Effective July 2019)	Per Meter Per Month \$250.00

5. Minimum Monthly Charge:

Customers shall pay a minimum charge equal to the customer charge, distribution charge, and the grid access charge under Schedule M-2."

SECTION 9. Title 13, Chapter 13.04, Section 13.04.067, Subsections D, D.1 and D.5 of the Pasadena Municipal Code are hereby amended to read as follows:

"D. Rates. Customers shall pay the sum of customer charge, grid access charge, distribution charge, transmission services charge, and energy services charge as specified below.

1. Customer Charge and Grid Access Charge. Customers taking service under Schedule L-1 shall pay a customer charge and a grid access charge during the billing month as follows:

Customer Charge (Effective July 2017)	Per Meter Per Month \$47.91
Grid Access Charge (Effective July 2019)	Per Meter Per Month \$1,500.00

5. Minimum Monthly Charge:

Customers shall pay a minimum charge equal to the customer charge, distribution charge, and the grid access charge under Schedule L-1."

SECTION 10. Title 13, Chapter 13.04, Section 13.04.070, Subsections D, D.1 and D.5 of the Pasadena Municipal Code are hereby amended to read as follows:

"D. Rates. Customers shall pay the sum of customer charge, grid access charge, distribution charge, transmission services charge, and energy services charge as specified below.

1. Customer Charge and Grid Access Charge. Customers taking service under Schedule L-2 shall pay a customer charge and a grid access charge during the billing month as follows:

Customer Charge (Effective July 2017)	Per Meter Per Month \$53.90
Grid Access Charge (Effective July 2019)	Per Meter Per Month \$1,500.00

5. Minimum Monthly Charge:

Customers shall pay a minimum charge equal to the customer charge, distribution charge, and the grid access charge under Schedule L-2. "

SECTION 11. The City Clerk shall certify the adoption of this ordinance and shall cause this ordinance to be published by title and summary.

SECTION 12. This ordinance shall take effect upon its publication by title and summary.

Signed and approved this ____ day of June, 2019.

Terry Tornek
Mayor of the City of Pasadena

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing ordinance was adopted by the City Council of the City of Pasadena at its meeting held this ____ day of _____, 2019, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:


ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

Date Published:

Mark Jomsky, CMC
CITY CLERK

Approved as to form:



Lisa Hosey
Assistant City Attorney