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**RE: Application of Louisville Gas and Electric Company for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity Authorizing LG&E to Bid on a Franchise Established by the City of Radcliff**

Dear Mr. Lyons:

Enclosed please find an original and 10 copies of an Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CCN"), to enable Louisville Gas and Electric Company (the "Company") to apply for a natural gas franchise with the City of Radcliff (the "City") pursuant to KRS 278.020(5). In a public meeting held on November 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017, the City Council of Radcliff, Kentucky passed Ordinance No. 17-11-1215, which directed the advertising for bids and selling of a natural gas franchise in the City. The Company asks that the Commission enter an Order granting a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to bid for and acquire a franchise from the City on or before December 15, 2017.

For many years, the Company has been the owner of a franchise granted by the City to provide natural gas service to the City and the inhabitants thereof. The franchise to be obtained will replace the previous franchise.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Allyson K. Sturgeon".

Allyson K. Sturgeon

Enclosures

**BEFORE THE  
KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**In the Matter of:**

<b>APPLICATION OF LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC</b>	)	
<b>COMPANY FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC</b>	)	
<b>CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY AUTHORIZING</b>	)	
<b>LG&amp;E TO BID ON A FRANCHISE ESTABLISHED</b>	)	<b>CASE NO. <u>2017-00461</u></b>
<b>BY THE CITY OF RADCLIFF, KENTUCKY</b>	)	

**APPLICATION**

The Applicant, Louisville Gas and Electric Company ("LG&E"), respectfully states as follows:

1. The Post Office address of the principal office of Applicant is 220 West Main Street, Louisville, Kentucky 40202. LG&E is a Kentucky corporation authorized to do business in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

2. LG&E is a utility engaged in the business of supplying natural gas and electric service in and to various cities and the inhabitants thereof within the Commonwealth of Kentucky, and has conducted such business for a number of years. The instant filing is made in accordance with Section 278.020(5) of the Kentucky Revised Statutes.

3. Receipt of the requested certificate will allow LG&E to pursue its bid on a new franchise for which the City of Radcliff, Kentucky (the "City") has solicited bids pursuant to resolution or ordinance and advertisement, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

4. A certified copy of LG&E's Articles of Incorporation is already on file with the Commission in Case No. 2010-00204 and is incorporated herein by reference pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 14(2)(a).

5. There is and will continue to be a demand and need for natural gas service in the areas of the City subject to the franchise, and LG&E desires to obtain a franchise in accordance with the bidding protocol established by the City.

6. Should LG&E be successful in acquiring said franchise, it will file copies thereof with the Commission.

WHEREFORE, Louisville Gas and Electric Company asks that the Commission enter an Order granting to LG&E a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to bid for and acquire a franchise from the City on or before December 15, 2017.

Dated at Louisville, Kentucky, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2017.



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## **Exhibit A**

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
CITY OF RADCLIFF

ORDINANCE NO. 17-11-1215

**AN ORDINANCE CREATING A FRANCHISE FOR THE ERECTION, LAYING AND MAINTENANCE OF NATURAL GAS FACILITIES AND APPURTENANT FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT IN, ALONG AND ACROSS THE PUBLIC WAYS, ROADS, STREETS, ALLEYS AND OTHER PUBLIC PLACES IN THE CITY OF RADCLIFF, KENTUCKY: FOR FURNISHING AND SELLING NATURAL GAS BY MEANS OF SAID FACILITIES; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SALE OF SAID FRANCHISE.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Radcliff ("City") wishes to ensure that natural gas service continues to be furnished to its citizens in a reliable and efficient manner;

**WHEREAS**, the City is aware that the provision of such service requires the continued use of public streets, ways, alleys and other public places;

**WHEREAS**, the franchise granted to and acquired by Louisville Gas and Electric Company on February 1, 1998, under which that utility provided such service, will expire by its terms; February 1, 2018.

**WHEREAS**, the City wishes to provide for the sale of a new franchise for the benefit of its citizenry, giving effect to Section 96.010 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** as follows:

Section 1. A non-exclusive franchise ("Franchise") to use the City's public rights-of-way, as described in the Franchise Agreement attached to this Ordinance, is hereby created.

Section 2. The Franchise created by this Ordinance shall be bid in accordance with the applicable requirements of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and Chapter 424 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, as well as any applicable City ordinances.

Section 3. The Franchise created by this Ordinance shall be awarded to the highest and best bidder as shall be determined by the City in its sole discretion. In awarding the Franchise, the

City shall consider the technical, managerial, and financial qualifications of the bidder to perform its obligations under the Franchise.

Section 4. The winning bidder and the City shall negotiate, execute and be bound by a Franchise Agreement with terms identical to, or substantially identical to, the Franchise Agreement referenced in Section 1 above and attached hereto, such Agreement to contain terms “that are fair and reasonable to the City, to the purchaser of the Franchise and to the patrons of the utility” (KRS Section 96.010). Such Franchise Agreement shall become effective with the first billing cycle on or after the expiration of the existing franchise agreement, to allow the City and the winning bidder to develop appropriate procedures for identifying and reviewing the natural-gas consuming entities within the City’s corporate limits.

Section 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

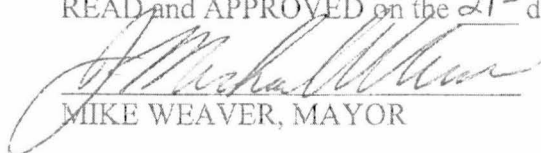
Section 6. Should any section, clause, line, paragraph, or part of this Ordinance or the attached Agreement be held unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, the same shall not affect the remainder of this Ordinance or the attached Agreement, as applicable.

Section 7. Time is of the essence in carrying out the terms and the provisions of this Ordinance and the Franchise created herein.

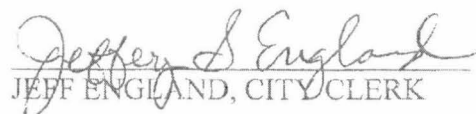
Section 8. This Ordinance shall become effective from and after its passage and publication.

Read at a meeting of the Radcliff City Council on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2017; a second reading was held on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of November, 2017; said Ordinance was

READ and APPROVED on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of November, 2017.

  
MIKE WEAVER, MAYOR

ATTESTED BY:

  
JEFF ENGLAND, CITY CLERK

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### NOTICE OF SALE OF FRANCHISE

By virtue of an ordinance heretofore passed by the City Council of Radcliff, Kentucky, directing the advertisement for bids and selling of a franchise to use certain streets, alleys, and public grounds of the City of Radcliff, Kentucky for the purpose of owning, operating, equipping and maintaining a system for the transmission and distribution of natural gas. The City Clerk of Radcliff, will on December 19th, 2017, at or about 6:30 pm, sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the City Hall of Radcliff, a franchise for the purpose set out. Said franchise is more particularly described and fully defined in a proposed ordinance granting and creating the same and said proposed ordinance defines the terms and conditions upon which said sale shall be made, the full text of which is available for inspection in the office of the Radcliff City Clerk, 400 W Lincoln Trail Blvd., Radcliff, Kentucky. The ordinance by title and summary is as follows: **ORDINANCE # 17-11-1215 . AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A FRANCHISE AGREEMENT RELATED TO THE TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION OF NATURAL GAS, AND THE PROVISION OF RETAIL GAS SERVICE IN AREAS HERETOFORE SERVED BY LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY.**

*Jeffery S. England*  
JEFF ENGLAND, RADCLIFF CITY CLERK

Published November 30, 2017

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**NOTICE:**  
**RADCLIFF PLANNING COMMISSION**  
**PUBLIC HEARING**  
The City of Radcliff Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Thursday, December 7, 2017, at 5:00 p.m., at Radcliff City Hall, 411 West Lincoln Trail Boulevard, Radcliff, Kentucky. This hearing is being conducted to solicit information on the following:  
1. Case #17-12-04: Zone Map Amendment requested by Clifford and Joyce A. Newton for property located at the intersection of Elm Road and North Woodland Drive, Elm Road, Radcliff, Kentucky. For 1. Radcliff

## RSBA Storefront Of The Month



Fantastic Sams beauticians Heather Johnson, Sandra Roberson and Melissa DenDekker proudly display the Radcliff Small Business Alliance Storefront of the Month Award. The business was presented the award for November, based on their efforts to consistently maintain a clean appearance.

## Multiple Counties In Ky. Experiencing Outbreak Of Acute Hepatitis A

The Kentucky Department for Public Health (DPH) has declared an outbreak of acute hepatitis A with cases in multiple counties in Kentucky.

In total, 31 cases of acute (rapid onset with symptoms of illness) Hepatitis A have been reported throughout Kentucky in 2017, a 50 percent increase from 2016.

for the area most impacted by the outbreak. Increased risk factors include homelessness; all forms of substance use disorder; people with direct contact with someone who has Hepatitis A; travelers to countries where hepatitis A is common; men who have sexual contact with men; household members or