

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

In the Matter of:

Electronic Application Of Kentucky Power Company)	
For A Certificate of Public Convenience And)	
Necessity Authorizing The Applicant To Apply For)	Case No. 2025-00363
And Obtain A Franchise From The City Of Jackson)	
In Breathitt County, Kentucky)	

APPLICATION

Kentucky Power Company (“Kentucky Power” or the “Company”) applies to the Public Service Commission of Kentucky (the “Commission”), pursuant to KRS 278.020(4) and 807 KAR 5:001, Section 15(1), for an Order **to be issued on or before December 5, 2025**, for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (“CPCN”) authorizing the Company to apply for and obtain a franchise to use the streets and rights-of-way of the city of Jackson, located in Breathitt County, Kentucky, for the provision of retail electric service.

Kentucky Power previously filed an application with the Commission seeking a CPCN to authorize the Company to bid on a franchise offered by the city of Jackson, Kentucky, which was granted by the Commission on September 4, 2025.¹ On October 16, 2025, the Jackson City Council voted to readvertise the franchise for sale with a five-year term instead of the 20-year term that was originally advertised, and on which the Commission had granted Kentucky Power approval to bid. As such, Kentucky Power now seeks a CPCN authorizing the Company to apply for and bid on the five-year franchise now offered by the city of Jackson, Kentucky, to use the streets and rights-of-way for electric transmission and distribution service.

¹ *In The Matter Of: Electronic Application Of Kentucky Power Company For A Certificate Of Public Convenience And Necessity Authorizing The Applicant To Apply For And Obtain A Franchise From The City Of Jackson In Breathitt County, Kentucky*, Case No. 2025-00287.

In support thereof, Kentucky Power states:

APPLICANT

1. Kentucky Power was incorporated in 1919 under the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and is in good standing in the Commonwealth.² The Company's mailing address is: 1645 Winchester Avenue, Ashland, Kentucky 41101. Its electronic mail address is: kentucky_regulatory_services@aep.com. Kentucky Power is engaged in the generation, purchase, transmission, distribution, and sale of electric power.

2. The Company serves approximately 162,000 retail customers in the following 20 counties of eastern Kentucky: Boyd, Breathitt, Carter, Clay, Elliott, Floyd, Johnson, Knott, Lawrence, Leslie, Letcher, Lewis, Magoffin, Martin, Morgan, Owsley, Perry, Greenup, and Rowan. Kentucky Power is a utility defined by KRS 278.010.

PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

3. The Company is currently rendering, and for a number of years has been rendering, retail electric service in and to the city of Jackson in Breathitt County, Kentucky.

4. The provision of retail electric service in and to the city of Jackson requires that Kentucky Power place its facilities on, under, above, and along the streets, alleys, public grounds, and rights-of-way, or otherwise make use of the streets, alleys, public grounds, and rights-of-way, of the city of Jackson.

5. The public convenience and necessity requires that Kentucky Power continues to provide retail electric service to and in the city of Jackson. The city of Jackson lies within the certified territory of Kentucky Power, as that term is defined in Chapter 278 of the Kentucky

² A certified copy of the Company's Articles of Incorporation and all amendments thereto was attached to the Joint Application in *In the Matter Of: The Joint Application Of Kentucky Power Company, American Electric Power Company, Inc. And Central And South West Corporation Regarding A Proposed Merger*, Ky PSC Case No. 99-149. The Company's November 17, 2025 Certificate of Existence is attached as **EXHIBIT 1**.

Revised Statutes, and such as Kentucky Power possesses the exclusive rights to provide retail electric service in and to the city of Jackson. *See* KRS 278.018(1).

6. Kentucky Power's existing franchise to place its facilities on, under, above, and along the streets, alleys, public grounds, and rights-of-way, of the city of Jackson for the purpose of providing retail electric service expired on August 24, 2025.

7. The Company desires to bid for a franchise to use the streets, alleys, public grounds, and rights-of-way of the city of Jackson for the provision of retail electric service to and in the city of Jackson. Kentucky Power respectfully requests the Commission issue its Order on or before December 5, 2025, granting the Company a CPCN so that it may bid for the required franchise on December 9, 2025.

8. A copy of the ordinance providing for the advertisement and sale of the city of Jackson franchise is attached hereto as **EXHIBIT 2**.

9. The advertisement to receive bids on the city of Jackson franchise was published in the newspaper of general circulation for the city of Jackson on November 19, 2025. A copy of the published advertisement is attached hereto as **EXHIBIT 3**.

10. If successful in obtaining a franchise from the city of Jackson, Kentucky Power will file a copy of the franchise with the Commission using the Commission's electronic tariff filing system.

COMMUNICATIONS

11. Kentucky Power respectfully requests that communications in the matter be delivered to:

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Kentucky Power Company
Kentucky_regulatory_services@aep.com

Kentucky Power and the persons indicated above possess the facilities to receive electronic transmissions. Kentucky Power waives service by United States Mail.

WHEREFORE, Kentucky Power Company respectfully requests that the Public Service Commission of Kentucky issue an Order on or before December 5, 2025:

- (a) Granting the Company a CPCN authorizing Kentucky Power to bid upon and obtain a franchise from the city of Jackson, Breathitt County, Kentucky to use the streets, alleys, public grounds, and rights-of-way to provide retail electric service in the city; and
- (b) Granting the Company all further relief to which it may appear entitled.

Respectfully submitted,



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COUNSEL FOR KENTUCKY POWER
COMPANY

Exhibit 1

Commonwealth of Kentucky
Michael G. Adams, Secretary of State

Michael G. Adams
Secretary of State
P. O. Box 718
Frankfort, KY 40602-0718
(502) 564-3490
<http://www.sos.ky.gov>

Certificate of Existence

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I, Michael G. Adams, Secretary of State of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby certify that according to the records in the Office of the Secretary of State,

KENTUCKY POWER COMPANY

KENTUCKY POWER COMPANY is a corporation duly incorporated and existing under KRS Chapter 14A and KRS Chapter 271B, whose date of incorporation is July 21, 1919 and whose period of duration is perpetual.

I further certify that all fees and penalties owed to the Secretary of State have been paid; that Articles of Dissolution have not been filed; and that the most recent annual report required by KRS 14A.6-010 has been delivered to the Secretary of State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 17th day of November, 2025, in the 234th year of the Commonwealth.



Michael G. Adams

Michael G. Adams
Secretary of State
Commonwealth of Kentucky
350940/0028317

Exhibit 2

ORDINANCE NO. #101625

An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Jackson, Kentucky, Providing for the Advertisement and Sale of a Franchise Authorizing the Owner Thereof to Own, Maintain, Construct and Operate Electric Power Transmission and Distribution Lines Upon, Along, Over and Under the Streets, Thoroughfares, Alleys, Sidewalks, Bridges, Public Ways and Other Public Places of the Said City.

WHEREAS, the City of Jackson, Breathitt County, Kentucky is incorporated under the provisions of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, and desires to grant a franchise for an electric power company to own, maintain, construct and operate its electric power transmission and distribution lines upon, along, over and under the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, public ways and other public places of the City of Jackson, Breathitt County, Kentucky, and

WHEREAS, there exists a public necessity for adequate service of electric power and energy to the citizens of the City of Jackson, Breathitt County, Kentucky, and

WHEREAS, it appears that it is in the interest of the public that a franchise be advertised and sold, granting and entitling the grantee to use the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, public ways and public places for the erection, operation and maintenance of lines for the transmission and distribution of electric power to the citizens of the City of Jackson, Breathitt County, Kentucky, and to persons, firms and corporations beyond the limits of the City of Jackson, Breathitt County, Kentucky.

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF Jackson, Breathitt County,
KENTUCKY, AS FOLLOWS:**

SECTION 1

That there be sold at public auction to the highest and best bidder, the franchise, privilege, right and authority to acquire, maintain, construct and operate in, above, under, across and along the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, public ways and other public places (as the same now exist or may hereafter be laid out) of the City of Jackson, Breathitt County, Kentucky, lines, poles and equipment for the distribution of electric energy, either by means of overhead or underground conductors, with all the necessary or desirable appurtenances, for the purpose of supplying electric energy to said City and the inhabitants thereof, and persons and corporations beyond the limits thereof, for light, heat, power and any other purpose or purposes for which electric energy is now or may hereafter be used, and for the transmission of the same within, through or across said City.

SECTION 2

Said lines and appurtenances shall be constructed so as to interfere as little as possible with the traveling public in its use of the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, public ways and other public places.

SECTION 3

The franchise, privilege, right and authority shall be in full force and effect for a period of five (5) years from the date of passage of the Ordinance granting the franchise.

SECTION 4

The grantee of this franchise shall save the City harmless from any and all liability arising in any way from negligence in the erection, maintenance or operation of said lines and appurtenances.

SECTION 5

The grantee of this franchise shall have the right and privilege to take up such portion or part of any pavement and make such excavation in the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, public ways and other public places of the City of Jackson as may be deemed necessary for the construction and maintenance of its lines, wires or cables, but, whenever the grantee of this franchise shall begin the erection of any lines or other equipment, it shall promptly and diligently prosecute the work to completion, and leave the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, public ways and other public places where such work is done in as good condition of repair as before such work was commenced.

SECTION 6

Whenever in this franchise either the City of Jackson or the grantee thereof is referred to, it shall be deemed to include the respective successors and assigns, of either, and all rights, privileges and obligations contained in this franchise shall be binding upon, and inure to the benefit of, the respective successors and assigns, of the City and said grantee, whether so expressed or not.

SECTION 7

The grantee of this franchise may make such rules and regulations covering the furnishing of said electric energy as may be fair and reasonable and consistent with the standard practice of the grantee. Said grantee may charge such rates for electric service as shall be fair and reasonable. The said grantee shall render service under said franchise of like quality, that is, adequate, efficient and reasonable, to that now being rendered to said City.

SECTION 8

The consideration paid by the successful bidder for the franchise, privilege, right and authority provided for herein, shall be complete compensation and consideration for said franchise, privilege, right and authority, and for the use and occupancy of the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, public ways and other public places of the City, in lieu of any street or alley rental or of any charge for the use or occupancy of said streets, thoroughfares, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, public ways and other public places of said City, and in lieu of any pole tax or meter tax.

SECTION 9

The City Clerk for the City of Jackson, Breathitt County, Kentucky, is hereby appointed Special Commissioner, to sell said franchise, privilege, right and authority hereby ordered sold subject to the approval of the City Council, and said Special Commissioner is directed to offer said franchise for public sale to the highest bidder on the 9th day of December 2025, at 1:00 p.m. at the front door of the City Building, at 333 Broadway St., Jackson, Kentucky, 41339, after he has given due notice thereof by publication or advertisement as required by law.

SECTION 10

Bids and proposals for the purchase and acquisition of the franchise, privilege, right and authority hereby granted shall be in writing and shall be delivered to the Special Commissioner on the date and at the time fixed by the Special Commissioner in said advertising for receiving bids. Thereafter, the Special Commissioner shall report and submit to the City Council at the time and place of its next regular meeting said bids and proposals for its approval, and said City Council reserves the right for and on behalf of the City of Jackson to

reject any and all bids for said franchise, privilege, right and authority. In the event the bids reported by the Special Commissioner shall be rejected by the said City Council, it may direct, by resolution or ordinance, said franchise, privilege, right and authority to be again offered for sale from time to time until a satisfactory bid therefor shall be received and approved. Each bid shall be accompanied by a deposit and each bidder shall post bond in accordance with the provisions and requirements of KRS 96.020. However, such deposit and bond need not be made by a corporation or person already owning, in or adjacent to the City of Jackson, Breathitt County, Kentucky, a plant and equipment sufficient to render the service required by this Ordinance.

SECTION 11

Each bidder for said franchise, privilege, right and authority shall file, as a part of its bid, a certified copy of a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity from the Public Service Commission of Kentucky, issued under the authority of KRS 278.020.

SECTION 12

The Ordinance granting this franchise shall be accepted by the grantee thereof within sixty (60) days from the date of its passage.

APPROVED, this 13th day of November, 2025.



Laura W. Thomas, Mayor

ATTEST:

Charles Herald
Charles Herald, Clerk

Introduction and First Reading: October 16, 2025

Second Reading: November 13, 2025

Exhibit 3

The Jackson-Breathitt County Times-Voice

Intermountain Publishing Co., Inc.

22 Howell Lane P.O. Box 999 Jackson, KY 41339

Phone: (606) 666-2451

Fax: (606) 666-5706

Email: advertising.jacksonstimes@gmail.com

NEWSPAPER AFFIDAVIT

I, Derek Fugate OF THE
JACKSON-BREATHITT COUNTY TIMES-VOICE NEWSPAPER,
PUBLISHED AT JACKSON, KY AND HAVING THE LARGEST
GENERAL CIRCULATION OF ANY NEWSPAPER IN BREATHITT
COUNTY, KENTUCKY, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT FROM MY
OWN KNOWLEDGE AND A CHECK OF THE FILES OF THIS
NEWSPAPER THAT THE ADVERTISEMENT OF
Notice of Sale FOR City of Jackson
WAS INSERTED IN THE JACKSON-BREATHITT COUNTY
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DATE <u>11-19-25</u>	PAGE NO. <u>6</u>	COLUMN NO. <u>5, 6, 7, P#9</u>
DATE _____	PAGE NO. _____	COLUMN NO. _____
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DATE _____	PAGE NO. _____	COLUMN NO. _____

SIGNATURE: Derek Fugate

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME BY:

Derek Fugate

THIS THE 21 DAY OF November, 2025

NOTARY PUBLIC: Jeanie Noble

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES:

Jeanie Noble
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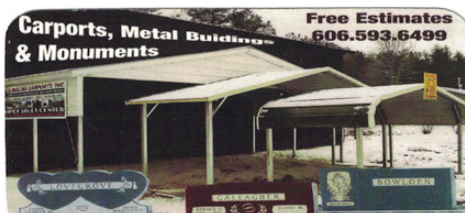
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NOTICE

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Any person desiring to do so may inspect that report during regular business hours at the attorney's office of the Foundation, located at 1140 Main Street, Jackson, KY. The phone number of the Foundation is (606) 568-1280.

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT STATE OF KENTUCKY COUNTY OF BREATHITT

I, James E. Turner, Clerk of the Breathitt District Court in and for the county and state aforesaid, do hereby certify that the following persons have been appointed by the Breathitt District Court and qualified according to law, and all persons indebted to said estates are requested to call and settle with the undersigned person at the designated address within (6) months of the date of the appointment.

Date: 11/3/25; Estate: Roger Howard, 3864 Beattyville Road, Jackson, KY 41339; Fiduciary & Address: Della Howard, 3864 Beattyville Road, Jackson, KY 41339.

NOTICE

The VIP Fuels LLC d/b/a VIP Fuels #1 hereby declares its intention(s) to apply for a tobacco, nicotine, or vapor product license no later than 12-31-2025.

The licensed premises will be located at 2294 KY Route 1428 Hagerhill, KY 41222. The owners are Michael Moore 140 Frank St. Staffordsville, KY 41256 and Nonnie and David Hensley 473 Rockhouse Rd Tomahawk, KY 41262.

Any person, association, corporation, or body politic may protest the granting of the license by writing the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, 500 Mero Street, Frankfort, Kentucky, 40601, within thirty (30) days of the date of legal publication.

- The VIP Fuels LLC d/b/a VIP Fuels #5 hereby declares its intention(s) to apply for a tobacco, nicotine, or vapor product license no later than 12-31-2025. The licensed premises will be located at 20 North Point Ave. Jackson, KY 41339. The owners are Michael Moore 140 Frank St. Staffordsville, KY 41256 and Nonnie and David Hensley 473 Rockhouse Rd Tomahawk, KY 41262. Any person, association, corporation, or body politic may protest the granting of the license by writing the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, 500 Mero Street, Frankfort, Kentucky, 40601, within thirty (30) days of the date of legal publication.
- The VIP Fuels LLC d/b/a VIP Fuels #6 hereby declares its intention(s) to apply for a tobacco, nicotine, or vapor product license no later than 12-31-2025. The licensed premises will be located at State Route 153, State Park 1812 Jackson, KY 41339. The owners are Michael Moore 140 Frank St. Staffordsville, KY 41256 and Nonnie and David Hensley 473 Rockhouse Rd Tomahawk, KY 41262. Any person, association, corporation, or body politic may protest the granting of the license by writing the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, 500 Mero Street, Frankfort, Kentucky, 40601, within thirty (30) days of the date of legal publication.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE is hereby given that the Breathitt County Fiscal Court will hold a Public Hearing on November 25, 2025 at 4:50 p.m. just prior to the Regular Fiscal Court meeting in the Fiscal Courtroom regarding the adoption of the following roads into the county road plan:

Anthony Lane and Bill Fugate Drive

As well as the extension of the following county roads:

Frazier Lane from .311 to .320

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I, James E. Turner, Clerk of the Breathitt District Court in and for the county and state aforesaid, do hereby certify that the following settlements of the estates have been filed in the Breathitt District Court, and anyone desiring to take exception to said settlements must do so on or before December 1, 2025.

Settlement: Final; Estate: Johnny Price McGuinn Jr.; 25-P-12; Fiduciary: Kimberly McGuinn, 1613 Curt Road, Jackson, KY 41339.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

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In accordance with the KRS 350.93, notice is hereby given that Pine Branch Mining, LLC, 250 West Main Street, Suite 2000, Lexington, Kentucky 40507 intends to apply for Phase I bond release on Increments 12, 18, 19 and 22 of permit 897-0568 last issued on August 11, 2025 and Phase II bond release on Increment on 11 last issued on August 11, 2025. Increment 11 covers an area of 96.6 acres, Increment 12 covers an area of 120 acres, Increment 18 covers an area of 72.67 acres, Increment 19 covers an area of 68.21 acres, Increment 22 covers an area of 49.98 acres, Increment, located 2 miles northeast of Chavies and is situated in Breathitt and Perry Counties, Kentucky.

The permit is approximately 0.1 mile west of Kentucky Highway 28's junction with Trace Branch Road, along Grapevine Creek.

The bond now in effect for Increment 11 is a surety bond in the amount of \$141,100. Approximately twenty-five percent (25%) of the original bond amount of \$308,500 is included in this application release.

The bond now in effect for Increment 12 is a surety bond in the amount of \$359,000. Approximately sixty percent (60%) of the original bond amount of \$359,000 is included in this application release.

The bond now in effect for Increment 18 is a surety bond in the amount of \$255,500. Approximately sixty percent (60%) of the original bond amount of \$255,500 is included in this application release.

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The bond now in effect for Increment 22 is a surety bond in the amount of \$188,000. Approximately sixty percent (60%) of the original bond amount of \$188,000 is included in this application release.

Reclamation work for Increment No. 11 includes backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in the Fall of 2022. Results thus far achieved are backfilling, grading, revegetation and establishment of post-mining land use.

Reclamation work for Increment No. 12 includes backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in July of 2023. Results thus far achieved are backfilling, grading, revegetation and establishment of post-mining land use.

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Reclamation work for Increment No. 19 includes backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in Spring of 2023. Results thus far achieved are backfilling, grading, revegetation and establishment of post-mining land use.

Reclamation work for Increment No. 22 includes backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in Summer of 2023. Results thus far achieved are backfilling, grading, revegetation and establishment of post-mining land use.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement, 300 South Blvd., 2nd Floor, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by December 26th, 2025.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for December 30th, 2025, at 10:00 am at the Department for Natural Resources Hazard Regional Office, 556 Village Lane, Hazard, KY 41702.

This hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by December 26th, 2025.

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NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to the provisions of Ordinance No. 101625, I, the undersigned, City Clerk of the City of Jackson, Kentucky, will offer for sale at public auction an electric power franchise and will sell same to the highest and best bidder, subject to the right reserved in said ordinance to the City Council of the City of Jackson, Kentucky, to reject any and all bids; said sale to be held at the hour of 1:00 p.m. on December 9, 2025, at the front door of the City Building, located at 333 Broadway Street, Jackson, Kentucky. All persons, firms or corporations desiring to offer bids shall submit them in writing to the undersigned at said time and place in accordance with and subject to the terms and provisions set forth in Ordinance No. 101625, a summary of which ordinance is as follows:

ORDINANCE NO. 101625

An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Jackson, Kentucky, Providing for the Advertisement and Sale of a Franchise Authorizing the Owner Thereof to Maintain, Construct and Operate Electric Power Transmission and Distribution Lines Upon, Along, Over and Under the Streets, Thoroughfares, Alleys, Sidewalks, Bridges, Public Ways and Other Public Places of the Said City.

The franchise shall be in effect for five (5) years from the date of the passage of the Ordinance granting it. The grantee of the franchise shall save the City harmless from any and all liability arising in any way from negligence in the erection, maintenance or operation of said lines and appurtenances. The grantee of the franchise shall have the right to take up portions of and make excavation in the streets, alleys, sidewalks, public ways and public places of the City as deemed necessary for the construction and maintenance of the aforesaid electric transmission and distribution lines, but the grantee of the franchise shall promptly prosecute such work to completion and shall leave the streets, alleys, sidewalks, public ways and public places in as good condition of repair as before such work was commenced. The franchise granted will be binding upon and will inure to the benefit of the successors and assigns of the City and of the grantee. The grantee shall make such rules and regulations covering the furnishing of said electric energy as may be fair and reasonable and consistent with the standard practice of the grantee. Said grantee may charge such rates for electric service as shall be fair and reasonable. The said grantee shall render service under said franchise of like quality, that is, adequate, efficient and reasonable, to that now being rendered to said City.


Bids and proposals for the purchase and acquisition of the franchise shall be in writing and shall be delivered to Charles Herald, City Clerk, who is appointed Special Commissioner, to sell said franchise and the Special Commissioner is directed to offer said franchise for sale at public auction on the 9th day of December, 2025, at 1:00 p.m. at the front door of the Jackson City Building, located at 333 Broadway St., Jackson, Kentucky, after he has advertised the sale of the franchise by inserting a notice of sale in the *Jackson Times Voice*, a newspaper of general circulation, with the advertisement to include a summary of the Ordinance.

Bids for the franchise shall be in writing and each bidder shall file as a part of its bid a certified copy of a Certification of Convenience and Necessity from the Public Service Commission of Kentucky issued pursuant to KRS 278.020(3).

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Charles Herald, Clerk
City of Jackson, Kentucky

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Bruce Herald, hereby certifies that the foregoing Summary has been prepared or approved by him, an attorney licensed to practice law in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.



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