



Department Source: City Utilities - Water and Light

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: July 7, 2025

Re: Authorizing an amendment to the 1983 Power Sales Contract between the City of Columbia, Missouri and Sikeston, Missouri to replace the "Point of Delivery" definition.

Executive Summary

Staff has prepared for Council consideration a resolution authorizing the City Manager, or the City Manager's designee to execute an amendment to the 1983 Power Sales Contract between Columbia and Sikeston for purposes of replacing the definition of point of delivery for Sikeston Power Plant output due to Sikeston becoming its own Balancing Authority. There is no additional cost to the City for this amendment.

Discussion

The Electric Division of the Utilities Department has a long-term power purchase agreement with the City of Sikeston, Missouri that provides Columbia access to a portion of the energy produced at the Sikeston Power Plant. Due to operational changes at the Southwestern Power Administration, Sikeston was required to assume the role of Balancing Authority (BA) for its power plant. To ensure that there are no additional costs incurred in the transmission of the power designated for Columbia, a pseudo-tie was created from the Sikeston BA to Columbia BA. The amendment updates the description for the point of delivery from the Sikeston BA to the Midcontinent Independent System Operator (MISO) BA. This clarifies the definition of point of delivery to accurately describe the border between the Sikeston BA and the MISO BA. There is no additional cost to the City for this amendment.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: : None.

Long-Term Impact: None.

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

[Strategic Plan Impacts:](#)

Primary Impact: Reliable and Sustainable Infrastructure, Secondary Impact: Not Applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

[Comprehensive Plan Impacts:](#)

Primary Impact: Infrastructure, Secondary Impact: Not applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable



City of Columbia

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Legislative History

Date	Action
05/19/2025	B98-25: Authorizing and ratifying a data link agreement with the Sikeston Board of Municipal Utilities for the exchange of digital information regarding power and energy transfers.
12/17/2007	R292-07: Amendment to Power Sales Contract
03/03/1997	R29-27: Amendment to Power Sales Contract
08/07/1995	R164-95: Amendment to Power Sales Contract
04/20/1992	R66-92: Amendment to Power Sales Contract
09/06/1983	R132-83: Power Sales Contract

Suggested Council Action

Approval of the resolution.