Sponsor: **Anthony Higgs** *Councilman*, 3<sup>rd</sup> *District* 

## RESOLUTION NO. \_R08

## Resolution Opposing Large Increase in Utility Charges

**WHEREAS**, our local utility company Northern Indiana Public Service Company (NIPSCO) is seeking an increase in its utility rates of 12% and such an increase appears to be very excessive and will impose an unreasonable hardship on many of the residents of the City of Hammond, and.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HAMMOND that the Common Council, on behalf of the citizens of the city, hereby opposes any such unreasonable increase in utility charges by NIPSCO..

ADOPTED by the Common Council of the City of Hammond, on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2019.

Robert A. Markovich, President /s/

## Resolution Opposing Large Increase in Utility Charges (cont.)

ATTEST:	
Robert J. Golec, City Clerk /s/	
PRESENTED BY ME, the the Mayor of said City for his appro	undersigned City Clerk of the City of Hammond, to eval on the 12 <sup>th</sup> day of March, 2019
	Robert J. Golec, City Clerk /s/
The foregoing Resolution approved by the Mayor on the 12 <sup>th</sup> of	No. R08 consisting of 2 pages, including this page day of March, 2019.
	THOMAS M. McDERMOTT, JR., MAYOR /s/ City of Hammond, Indiana
ADOPTED by the Comm approved by the Mayor on the 12 <sup>th</sup> o	on Council on the 11 <sup>th</sup> day of March, 2019, and day of March, 2019.
	Robert J. Golec, City Clerk /s/