## **RESOLUTION NO. 13-46**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LANCASTER, CALIFORNIA, CREATING UNDERGROUND UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 2013-01

WHEREAS, on July 23, 2013, the City Council of the City of Lancaster, met at 5:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers, Lancaster City Hall, 44933 Fern Avenue, Lancaster, California, to determine whether the public necessity, health, safety or welfare requires the removal of poles, overhead wires, and associated overhead structures and the undergrounding of wires and facilities for supplying electric, communication or similar or associated service on those streets, easements and rights-of-way within that territory included generally within the boundaries, as shown on Exhibit "A", attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference; and

WHEREAS, the notice of such hearing has been given to all utilities concerned in the matter and for the time required by law; and

WHEREAS, such hearing has been duly and regularly held and all persons interested have been given an opportunity to be heard.

NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LANCASTER DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS;

- Section 1. The public necessity, health, safety and welfare require the removal of poles, overhead wires and associated structures and the undergrounding of wires and facilities for supplying electric, communication or similar or associated service in that territory included generally within the boundaries shown on Exhibit "A", attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and such described area is hereby established as Underground Utility District No. 2013-01.
- Section 2. The following exceptions exist under Chapter 13.20, Article I of the City of Lancaster Municipal Code Underground Utility Districts:
- a. Poles, overhead wires, and associated overhead structures used for the transmission of electric energy at nominal voltages in excess of 34,500 volts are permitted overhead; and
- b. Equipment appurtenant to underground facilities, such as surface mounted transformers, surface mounted switches, and pedestal mounted terminal boxes and meter cabinets and concealed ducts are permitted.
- Section 3. It is ordered that by December 31, 2015, all the electric, communication and similar or associated service overhead distribution facilities shall be removed from Underground Utility District No. 2013-01, and the underground installation of such distribution facilities shall have been accomplished in said District. Funding for the undergrounding of SCE facilities will be covered by the City's Rule 20(A) funds; future Rule 20(A) annual allocations shall be mortgaged up to a maximum of five years' allocation as needed to complete SCE undergrounding within the District.

Section 4. The City Cle mail a copy hereof and a copy of Cl affected utility companies.		ys after the adoption of this I of the City of Lancaster Munic	
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NOES:			
ABSTAIN:			
ABSENT:			
ATTEST:		APPROVED:	
GERI K. BRYAN, CMC		R. REX PARRIS,	
City Clerk		Mayor	
City of Lancaster		City of Lancaster	
STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES CITY OF LANCASTER	) ) ss )		
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I,, hereby certify that this is a true an original is on file in my office.	d correct copy of the	City of Lancaster original Resolution No. 13-46	, California, do
WITNESS MY HAND AND THE	SEAL OF THE CITY	OF LANCASTER, on this	day of
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