

CITY OF PORT ORANGE

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Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed please find a copy of Resolution No. 12-57 relating to the Port Orange City Council's support of an "opt in" provision for the FPL Smart Meter installation program, which was approved by City Council on September 4, 2012 and has been fully executed by the City.

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

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RESOLUTION NO. 12-57

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PORT ORANGE. VOLUSIA COUNTY. FLORIDA: ENCOURAGING THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION TO SUPPORT THE RIGHT OF PORT ORANGE **RESIDENTS RELATING TO SMART METER INSTALLATION** IN HOMES; REQUIRING HOMEOWNER PERMISSION PRIOR TO SUCH INSTALLATION; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, as a result of additional public comment concerning smart meters during a city council meeting, the council has received additional clarity regarding the beliefs of certain residents of the city regarding smart meter related health, safety, privacy and financial concerns; and

WHEREAS, while the city council continues to take no position regarding the validity of the resident's concerns, the council is requesting that utility providers only install smart meters at the homes of residents who request them, or "opt in" to the smart meter program.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF PORT ORANGE, VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA, as follows:

<u>Section 1.</u> <u>Recitals.</u> The above recitals are incorporated as if fully stated herein as the findings of the City Council of the City of Port Orange, Florida.

<u>Section 2.</u> <u>"Opt In" to Smart Meter Program.</u> It is the position of the city council that given the concerns of some city residents regarding smart meters, applicable utilities and the Florida Public Service Commission should consider amending the smart meter installation program so that only residents who "opt in" or request participation in the program shall receive smart meters.

<u>Section 3.</u> <u>Copy of Resolution.</u> The City Council hereby directs the city clerk to provide a copy of the resolution to the Florida Public Service Commission.

Section 4. This resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

MAYOR ALLEN GREEN

ATTEST Adopted on the day of 2012 Reviewed and Approved: Citv Attorney