Ordinance No. 55-03

By: Helen MacMurray Mayo

An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor and Auditor to enter into a contract with a natural gas supplier under the City gas aggregation program and to declare an emergency.

Whereas, the residents have approved by ballot the formation of a gas aggregation program, and

Whereas, the City has been approved by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio as a Natural Gas Governmental Aggregator, and

Whereas, AMPOhio, the City's aggregation consultant has been seeking proposals from natural gas suppliers and will make a recommendation to the City for the best offer, and

Whereas, the offer will be reviewed and approved by legal counsel to the City,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEXLEY, OHIO:

<u>Section 1</u>. That the Mayor and Auditor are hereby authorized and directed to enter into and execute, on behalf of the City, a contract with a natural gas supplier after receiving the recommendation of the City's aggregation consultant, AMPOhio, in form and substance approved by special legal counsel to the City, Schottenstein, Zox and Dunn.

Section 2. That this Ordinance is an emergency ordinance necessary for the immediate public health and welfare, said emergency being the need to execute the contract in order to institute the program prior to the winter heating season, and shall go into effect upon its passage by Council and approval of the Mayor.

Passed: 923, 2003	Ged Minis_
	President of Council
Attest: Clerk of Council	_
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7.22.03 Forst reading 9.09.03 Second Reading 9.23.03 Short Reading

Approved: 9/93 2003

David H. Madison, Mayor