



MEMORANDUM

To: Burlington City Council

From: Darren Springer, General Manager
Chris Burns, Director of Energy Services
Jen Green, Director of Sustainability and Workforce Development
Bill Ward, Director of Permitting & Inspections
Patricia Wehman, Housing Division Manager

Date: 12/12/2022

Subject: Resolution for Thermal Policy/Carbon Pollution Impact Fee

On 12/5/2022 Burlington Electric Department (BED) and Department of Permitting and Inspections (DPI) submitting a final report to the City Council related to our work on the May 9, 2022 Council Resolution to Decarbonize All Buildings in Burlington by 2030. Since submitting the report, we have consulted with the City Attorney's Office and understand that an appropriate next step would be to seek referral of the attached Resolution to the Transportation Energy Utilities Committee (TEUC) to review the proposed recommendations and consider possible language to be placed on the 2023 Annual City Meeting ballot related to the carbon pollution impact fee as one option for alternative compliance under the proposed policy.

Our Departments appreciate the Council's time on 12/5 reviewing the report recommendations with us, and we look forward to working with the Council, and if referred there with the TEUC, to continue to advance the proposed recommendations for further consideration.

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