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The City Council of Framingham



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
FRAMINGHAM, MA.

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ORDER NO. 2022-011-001  
REQUEST OF THE ENVIRONMENT & SUSTAINABILITY SUBCOMMITTEE

UPON THE REQUEST OF THE ENVIRONMENT & SUSTAINABILITY SUBCOMMITTEE, THE CITY OF FRAMINGHAM, THROUGH THE FRAMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL, IT IS SO ORDERED:

That the City Council vote to authorize the Mayor to establish a Municipal Load Aggregation Plan, as dictated on the attached document.

- YEAS: Bryant, Cannon, Case, King, Leombruno, Long, Ottaviani, Shepard, Stefanini, Steiner, Stewart-Morales
- NAYS: None
- ABSTAIN: None
- ABSENT: All members were present in person or via teleconferencing
- PASSED IN COUNCIL: March 15, 2022

A True Record, Attest:

*3/17/2022*

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Date Approved

*3/18/22*

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Date Approved

*Lisa A. Ferguson*

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Lisa A. Ferguson, City Clerk  
Emily Butler, Assistant City Clerk

*Charlie Sisk*

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Charlie Sisk, Mayor



# Framingham Council

*Be it ordained by the Framingham Council, as follows:*

## **An Order Authorizing the Mayor to Establish a Municipal Load Aggregation Plan**

### SECTION 1.

The Mayor is hereby authorized, in accordance with MGL c 164, section 134, to group retail electricity customers to solicit bids, broker, and contract for electric power and energy services for such customers and to enter into agreements for services to facilitate the sale and purchase of electric energy and other related services.

Any municipal load aggregation plan established pursuant to this authorization shall provide for universal access, reliability, and equitable treatment of all classes of customers and shall meet any requirements established by law or the department concerning aggregated service. Said plan shall include, without limitation, an organizational structure of the program, its operations, and its funding; rate setting and other costs to participants; the methods for entering and terminating agreements with other entities; the rights and responsibilities of program participants; and termination of the program. And prior to adopting such a plan, the mayor shall conduct a public hearing.

Participation by any retail customer in a such an aggregation program shall be voluntary.

### SECTION 2.

#### **Severability**

If any provision of this ordinance shall be held to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then such provision shall be considered separately and apart from the remaining provisions, which shall remain in full force and effect.

### SECTION 3.

#### **Effective Date**

This ordinance shall take effect immediately.