

**MOTION  
M-17-609**

**CITY HALL: December 14, 2017**

**BY: COUNCILMEMBERS WILLIAMS, HEAD, GUIDRY, BROSETT, AND GRAY**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 3-130 of the Home Rule Charter of the City of New Orleans, the New Orleans City Council exercises powers of supervision, regulation, and control over electric and gas utilities providing service in the City; and

**WHEREAS**, to address the complex legal and technical issues necessary to properly meet its responsibility, the Council has selected a presiding hearing officer in accordance with the competitive selection process required by the Home Rule Charter and established by Council Rule 45; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council requires the continued services of Jeffrey S. Gulin, who pursuant to Motion M-17-12 has supervised proceedings and continues to supervise proceedings in a number of currently-active dockets, including Docket UD-16-02, in which a multi-day evidentiary hearing is scheduled to commence December 15, 2017; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council desires to authorize an appropriate contract amendment with Jeffrey S. Gulin to assist in meeting the Council's regulatory responsibility; now, therefore

**BE IT MOVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS**, That the President of the Council is hereby authorized to sign a contract amendment with Jeffrey S. Gulin to increase the maximum compensation by \$35,000.00.

**BE IT FURTHER MOVED**, that such contract amendment shall be properly routed in accordance with normal process and the City Council Rules.

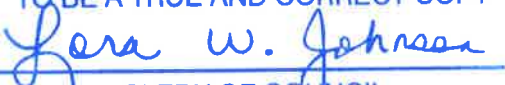
**THE FOREGOING MOTION WAS READ IN FULL, THE ROLL WAS CALLED ON THE ADOPTION THEREOF AND RESULTED AS FOLLOWS:**

**YEAS:** Brossett, Cantrell, Gray, Guidry, Head, Ramsey, Williams - 7

**NAYS:** 0

**ABSENT:** 0

**AND THE MOTION WAS ADOPTED.**

THE FOREGOING IS CERTIFIED  
TO BE A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY  
  
CLERK OF COUNCIL