

Electric Utility Enterprise Board Meeting Agenda

June 4, 2024 at 6:00 PM

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ELECTRIC UTILITY ENTERPRISE BOARD MEETING

This meeting will be conducted as part of the regular Council meeting during Other Business.

- A) CALL MEETING TO ORDER
- B) ROLL CALL
- C) ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION
 - 1. Consideration and Approval of the Minutes of the May 21, 2024 Board Meeting.

The purpose of this item is to approve the minutes of the May 21, 2024 Board Meeting.

2. Items Relating to Renewal of the Epic Homes Loan Program Third-party Capital Agreements.

- A. Second Reading of Ordinance No. 016, Authorizing a First Amendment to the 2022 Loan Agreement with U.S. Bank National Association to Provide Additional Funding for the Epic Loan Program.
- B. Second Reading of Ordinance No. 017, Authorizing a First Amendment to the 2022 Loan Agreement with Zions Bancorporation, N.A., DBA Vectra Bank Colorado to Provide Additional Funding for the Epic Loan Program.

These ordinances, unanimously adopted on First Reading on May 21, 2024, granted approval by the Utility Enterprise Board of two ordinances authorizing extensions of loan agreements with U.S. Bank and Vectra Bank to provide continuity in funding for the Epic Homes Loan Program.

Epic Homes Loan is offered to Fort Collins Utilities' customers to help fund energy efficiency upgrades and/or solar PV and battery system projects. This program aligns with the Our Climate Future plan by making residential electrification and renewables more accessible to our community members, so collectively we can continue to reduce climate pollution.

The existing U.S. Bank agreement expires on May 31, 2024. The existing Vectra Bank agreement expires in July 2025. Staff is proposing to renew both agreements together now to reduce the

administrative costs associated with preparing the renewals separately and to ensure continued success with program planning and participation.

The Council Finance Committee and The Energy Board both expressed support for the proposed agreement renewals at recent meetings.

Staff recommend renewal of the proposed U.S. Bank and Vectra Bank capital agreements as a key component of the ongoing implementation of the Epic Homes Loan program.

No substantive revisions were made to the AIS or the ordinances, but clarifying revisions were made to the AIS. Because the parties continue to negotiate on final terms such as maturity dates for the term loans, the most recent versions of the First Amendments are included as exhibits and replace those presented on First Reading. The ordinances allow for continued negotiations after the Board's approval of the ordinances, subject to changes approved by the President or the Treasurer of the Electric Utility Enterprise Board.

D) OTHER BUSINESS

E) ADJOURNMENT

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