

PROPOSED RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION THAT ADOPTS THE 16TH EDITION OF THE AMERICAN PUBLIC POWER ASSOCIATION (APPA) SAFETY MANUAL PERTAINING TO SAFE OPERATIONS and Addendum to Section 407 c), Use and Care of Rubber Gloves

WHEREAS, the City of Rochelle employees a number of dedicated employees;
and

WHEREAS, job-related injuries occur every day, often because employees are not trained in proper procedures. Investing in safety education is essential to identifying and eliminating hazards; and

WHEREAS, it is the City's goal to employ safe practices that ensure the highest level of protection possible to all employees; and

WHEREAS, the American Public Power Association's (APPA) Safety Manual has been a vital tool for public power workplace safety programs. It helps establish the fundamentals of compliance and instill best practices to establish a commitment to a safe work culture for employees. Since 1955, it has set the public power standard for safety compliance information; and

WHEREAS, the APPA Safety Manual is currently being used as the policy within the City's Electric Department, Water/Water Reclamation and Street Department; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCHELLE, ILLINOIS, that the 16th Edition of the American Public Power Association (APPA) Safety Manual and Addendum to Section 407 c), Use and Care of Rubber Gloves is adopted, and made available to City employees.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCHELLE, ILLINOIS, this 11TH day of December, 2017.

Chet Olson, Mayor

ATTEST: _____
Bruce McKinney, City Clerk