

**ORDINANCE NO. 2014-04**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEACH CITY, TEXAS APPROVING AGREEMENT WITH AQUA TEXAS, INC. AND AQUA UTILITIES, INC. D/B/A AQUA TEXAS AND REPLACING ORDINANCE NO. 2014-02.**

**WHEREAS**, Aqua Texas, Inc. and Aqua Utilities, Inc. d/b/a Aqua Texas ("Aqua Texas") filed an application with the City of Beach City for approval of a proposed increase in rates and tariff changes; and

**WHEREAS**, representatives of the City of Beach City, with the concurrence and assistance of representatives of customers affected by the rate change, negotiated a settlement agreement with representatives of Aqua Texas, a copy of which is attached to this resolution.

**WHEREAS**, the City Council determines that it is in the best interest of the City of Beach City to approve the settlement agreement and to approve the rate schedule set forth in the agreement and the miscellaneous charges and tariff provisions set forth in the application pursuant to the agreement;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEACH CITY, TEXAS, THAT:**

**Section 1.** The City of Beach City, Texas, approves a settlement agreement with Aqua Texas, Inc. and Aqua Utilities, Inc. d/b/a Aqua Texas ("Aqua Texas") in the form and substance of the agreement attached to this resolution and authorizes the Mayor and City Secretary to sign the agreement on behalf of the City.

**Section 2.** The City of Beach City, Texas approves the rate schedule, miscellaneous charges, and other provisions included in the Aqua Texas water utility tariff applicable within the City of Beach City attached to the settlement agreement as Exhibit A.

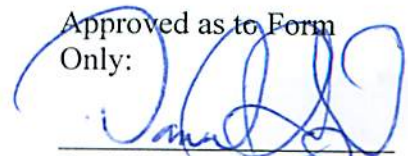
**Section 3.** This Ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

Passed and Approved this 23 day of September, 2014.

  
Billy Combs  
Mayor

Attest:

  
Marjorie R. Bercaw  
Assistant City Secretary

Approved as to Form  
Only:   
Daniel R. Jackson  
City Attorney