

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

IN RE:

**PETITION OF ATMOS ENERGY
CORPORATION FOR APPROVAL
OF NEGOTIATED FRANCHISE
AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF
SPRING HILL, TENNESSEE**

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Docket No. 10-00222

NOTICE OF COMPLIANCE WITH TRA RULE 1220-4-1-.05

Atmos Energy Corporation respectfully submits proof of publication of public notice in this matter as required by to TRA Rule 1220-4-1-.05. The relevant newspaper publication is attached. In addition, similar public notice has been made available at the company's business office.

Respectfully submitted

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PROOF OF PUBLICATION

Before me, Vickie L. Woody, of the county and state aforesaid,
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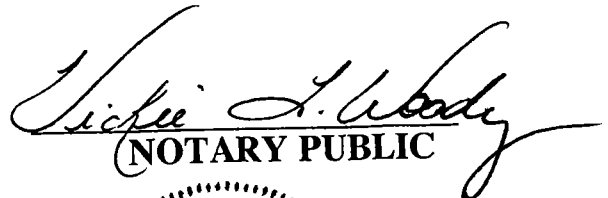
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Tennessee Regulatory Authority

Notice of Hearing

Docket No. 10-00222

Petition of Atmos Energy Corporation for Approval of Negotiated Franchise Agreement with the City of Spring Hill, Tennessee.

The Authority has scheduled a Hearing in the above-captioned proceeding pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. §65-4-107 for Monday, January 24, 2011 beginning at 1:00 p.m. in the Hearing Room on the Ground Floor at 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee. The Hearing will be conducted before the voting panel in this case and will be held in accordance with the Tennessee Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, Tenn. Code §4-5-101 et seq. All parties are entitled to be represented by counsel.

The purpose of the Hearing is to consider the Petition of Atmos Energy Corporation seeking approval of the negotiated franchise agreement between Atmos Energy Corporation and the City of Spring Hill, Tennessee. The current franchise fee of 3% applied to all bills rendered by Atmos Energy Corporation to all classes of customers in the city of Spring Hill, Tennessee will change to a volumetric fee of \$0.0375 per Ccf. for all sales customers and a volumetric fee of \$0.005 per Ccf for all transportation customers. The total franchise fee (collected by Atmos and paid to the City of Spring Hill) for the average residential customer is expected to be approximately \$26 per year. Further information can be found on file with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority in Docket 10-00222.

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