A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE MANCHESTER GROUP, LLC, DBA IGS ENERGY HOME SERVICES, AS THE CITY'S PREFERRED RESIDENTIAL UTILITY LINE AND HOME SYSTEM PROTECTION SERVICES VENDOR AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A SERVICE CONTRACT THEREFOR.

WHEREAS, the City administration has studied the issue of residential utility line and home system protection services within the City of Hudson and has recommended to this Council recognition of Manchester Group, LLC, dba IGS Energy Home Services, as the preferred residential utility line and home system protection services vendor in the City of Hudson to provide potential benefits to property owners in the City on a completely voluntary basis; and

WHEREAS, this Council desires that the City Manager enter into a contract with Manchester Group, LLC DBA IGS Energy Home Services for the terms of provision of such services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of Hudson, Summit County, State of Ohio, that:

<u>Section 1</u>. This Council designates Manchester Group, LLC, dba IGS Energy Home Services, as the preferred residential utility line and home system protection services vendor in the City of Hudson and authorizes the City Manager to proceed with preparing and entering into a service contract with Manchester Group, LLC DBA IGS Energy Home Services for the terms of residential utility line and home system protection services.

<u>Section 2</u>. The services to be provided by the vendor in Section 1 of this Resolution are only to be provided at the customer's sole option through an agreement between the customer and the vendor; and this service is being provided by an independent contractor and not by the City of Hudson.

<u>Section 3</u>. This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open to the public in compliance with the law.

<u>Section 4</u>. This Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED:

David A. Basil, Mayor

ATTEST:

Elizabeth Slagle, Clerk of Council

I certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on ______, 2016.

Elizabeth Slagle, Clerk of Council