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19-101. Name of system. The official name and designation of the electric system of Union City, Tennessee, shall hereinafter be "The Union City Electric System." (1963 Code, § 13-301)

19-102. "Union City Electric Power Board"--function--membership. The general supervision and control and the acquisition, improvement, operation and maintenance of the Union City Electric System shall be in charge of the "Union City Electric Power Board." The board shall consist of five (5) members, four (4) of whom shall be city property owners and residents who are otherwise qualified as provided in Tennessee Code Annotated, §§ 7-52-107--7-52-109. The fifth member of the board shall be one of the seven councilmen of the city. (1963 Code, § 13-302)

19-103. Rights, powers and duties of the board. The Union City Electric Power Board shall have all the rights, powers and duties set forth in the Municipal Electric Plant Act of 1935 for the State of Tennessee, and, in particular those rights, duties and requirements set forth in Tennessee Code Annotated, §§7-52-111--7-52-118. (1963 Code, § 13-303)

19-104. Bond and oath of board members. Each member of the Union City Electric Power Board shall, after his appointment and before taking office, execute a bond in the penal sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), payable to the city, to well and truly do and perform his duties as such board

member. Each board member shall also, upon taking office, qualify by taking the same oath of office as required for members of the city council. (1963 Code, § 13-304)

19-105. Compensation of board members. Members of the board shall serve as such without compensation, but they shall be allowed necessary traveling and other expenses while engaged in the business of the board, including an allowance of not to exceed twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) per month for attendance at meetings. (1963 Code, § 13-305)

19-106. Meetings of the board. The board shall hold public meetings at least once a month at such regular time and place as the board may determine, and shall do all things and acts required of it as provided by the Municipal Electric Plant Act of 1935. (1963 Code, § 13-306)

19-107. Limitation on board's control. The board shall have supervision of the Union City Electric System only and shall have no control or supervision of the water department or any other department of the city. (1963 Code, § 13-307)

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19-201. To be furnished under franchise. Gas service shall be furnished for the municipality and its inhabitants under such franchise as the governing body shall grant. The rights, powers, duties, and obligations of the municipality, its inhabitants, and the grantee of the franchise shall be clearly stated in the written franchise agreement which shall be binding on all parties concerned.² (1963 Code, § 13-401)

19-202. Protection of water and sewer lines. The director of public works and/or his representative shall consult with representatives of the gas franchise holder when it is deemed necessary to avoid injury or damage to city water or sewer lines or other city property in the vicinity of newly proposed gas lines. (1963 Code, § 13-402)

19-203. Chapter not applicable to "bottled gas" lines. This chapter shall not pertain to the installation of what is known as "bottled gas" lines in Union City. (1963 Code, § 13-403)

¹Municipal code reference
Gas code: title 12.

²The agreements are of record in the office of the city clerk.