

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Item 6

VOTE SHEET

November 7, 2017

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FPSC - COMMISSION CLERK

**Docket No. 20170169-EI** – Petition of Gulf Power Company for approval of negotiated renewable energy power purchase agreement with Bay County, Florida.

**Issue 1:** Should the Commission approve Gulf Power Company’s petition for approval of a negotiated renewable energy power purchase agreement (PPA) with Bay County, Florida?

**Recommendation:** Yes. Payments for energy are expected to produce net present value (NPV) savings of approximately \$250,000 over the term of the Contract. Also, the Contract is substantially similar to the contracts between Gulf and Bay County previously approved by the Commission. Therefore, staff recommends that the Commission approve Gulf’s petition for approval of a negotiated renewable energy PPA with Bay County, Florida. Staff further recommends that Gulf should be permitted to petition for recovery of costs associated with the Contract through the Fuel and Purchased Power Recovery Clause. As part of the Contract, Gulf will receive any renewable attributes or RECs resulting from electrical energy generated at the Bay County facility during the Contract term, but any proceeds received from these items should be returned to the ratepayers.

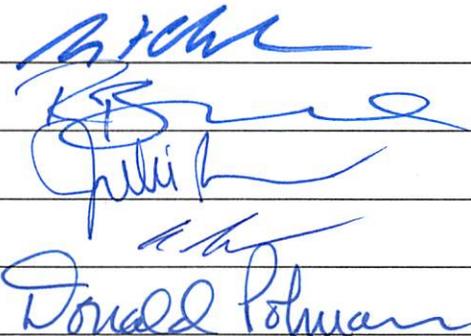
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COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: All Commissioners

COMMISSIONERS’ SIGNATURES

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**Issue 2:** Should this docket be closed?

**Recommendation:** Yes. If no person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed agency action files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the Order, a Consummating Order should be issued and the docket should be closed administratively.

**APPROVED**