

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application of Southern States ) DOCKET NO. 910831-WU  
Utilities, Inc. for amendment of ) ORDER NO. PSC-92-0004-FOF-WU  
Certificate No. 66-W in Osceola County. ) ISSUED: 3/3/92  
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ORDER AMENDING CERTIFICATE TO INCLUDE  
ADDITIONAL TERRITORY AND CLOSING DOCKET

BY THE COMMISSION:

On August 5, 1991, Southern States Utilities, Inc. (Southern States or Utility) filed an application with this Commission to amend Certificate No. 66-W to include additional territory (Windmill Point - Phase I) in Osceola County, Florida. The additional territory will be served by extending the Pine Ridge system's existing water lines to connect with the new distribution system being constructed by the Developer. Upon completion, the Developer will donate the lines to the Utility.

Southern States owns or operates approximately 140 system in 24 counties in Florida, serving thousands of customers. When this system is complete, Southern States will serve an additional 376 equivalent residential connections (ERCs). As stated previously, the new system will be interconnected with the Utility's existing Pine Ridge water system.

The application is in compliance with Section 367.045, Florida Statutes, and other pertinent statutes and administrative rules. In particular, the notarized application contains:

1. A filing fee in the amount of \$150.00, as prescribed by Rule 25-30.020, Florida Administrative Code.
2. Adequate service territory and system maps and a territory description, as prescribed by Rule 25-30.036, Florida Administrative Code. The additional territory in Osceola County is described in Attachment A of this Order.
3. Proof of notice to interested governmental and regulatory agencies and utilities within a four-mile radius of the territory, and proof of advertisement in a newspaper of general circulation in Osceola County, as prescribed by Rule 25-30.030, Florida Administrative Code.
4. Evidence that the Utility owns the land upon which its facilities are located, as required by Rule 25-30.036, Florida Administrative Code.

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The Commission received one objection to the proposed extension, which has now been withdrawn. No other objections to the application have been received and the time for filing such has expired.

Since Southern States has extensive experience and the financial resources to provide the customers in the additional territory with quality service, we find that it is in the public interest to amend Certificate No. 66-W to include the territory described in Attachment A of this Order, which by reference is incorporated herein. Southern States has returned Certificate No. 66-W to the Commission for entry reflecting the additional territory. The Utility has also filed revised tariff sheets reflecting the amendment.

Southern States shall charge the customers in the territory added herein the rates and charges approved in its tariff. The rates were effective on December 28, 1990, as a result of a price index rate adjustment. The service availability charges were effective July 30, 1990.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that Certificate No. 66-W, held by Southern States Utilities, Inc., 1000 Color Place, Apopka, Florida 32703, is hereby amended to include the territory described in Attachment A of this Order, which by reference is incorporated herein. It is further

ORDERED that the customers in the territory added herein shall be charged the rates and charges approved in the Utility's tariff. It is further

ORDERED that Docket No. 910831-WU is hereby closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 3rd day of MARCH, 1992.

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STEVE TRIBBLE, Director  
Division of Records and Reporting

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by: Kay Flynn  
Chief, Bureau of Records

NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.59(4), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Any party adversely affected by the Commission's final action in this matter may request: 1) reconsideration of the decision by filing a motion for reconsideration with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of this order in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code; or 2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water or sewer utility by filing a notice of appeal with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days after the issuance of this order, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900 (a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.

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ATTACHMENT A

SOUTHERN STATES UTILITIES, INC.

Service Territory Description

Windmill Point - Phase I

Township 26 South, Range 29 East, Osceola County

In Section 16

That portion of the North 1/4 of said Section 16 which is lying Westerly of the Shore Line of Lake Tohopekaliga.

In Section 17

That portion of the North 1/4 of said Section 17 which is lying East of the Western Right-of-way of State Road 531.