

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VOTE SHEET

DATE: June 30, 1992

RE: DOCKET NO. 910991-EU - Petition to resolve a territorial dispute with FLORIDA POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY by SUWANNEE VALLEY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. (Live Oak Innkeepers, Inc. -- Best Western Motel).

Issue 1: What is the capability of each utility to provide reliable electric service within the disputed area with existing facilities and the extent to which additional facilities are needed?

Recommendation: The Commission should accept the following facts as stipulated to by the parties: Both utilities provide identical electric service. Suwannee Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc. (SVEC) and Florida Power and Light Company (FPL) are both capable of providing service to the disputed area. However, FPL must use an underground extension to cross SVEC's facilities running parallel to Badcock Road.

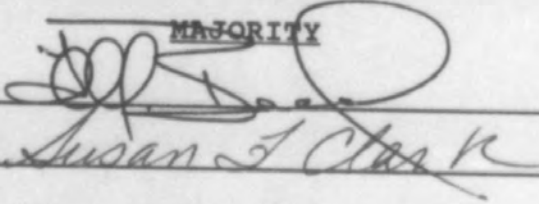
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Issue 2: What is the nature of the disputed area?

Recommendation: The Commission should accept the following facts as stipulated to by the parties: The disputed area is rural. The area will be used by Innkeepers of Live Oak, Inc. to operate a Best Western Motel.

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Issue 3: What additional facilities are necessary in order to provide service to the customer in the disputed area?

Recommendation: The Commission should accept the following facts as stipulated to by the parties: FPL crossed under SVEC's overhead lines by installing an overhead Triplex cable service from existing FPL facilities to the customer-owned service pole to provide temporary service. In order to provide permanent service, FPL will have to cross SVEC's facilities running parallel to Badcock Road using an underground extension. SVEC can serve the hotel without crossing or interfering with any of FPL's distribution facilities.

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Issue 4: What are the costs to provide the services requested by the customer?

Recommendation: The Commission should accept the following facts as stipulated to by the parties: The approximate cost for SVEC to provide permanent service to the area in dispute is \$3,154.28. The approximate cost for FPL to provide permanent service to the area in dispute is \$7,877.00.

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Issue 5: Should customer preference be determined in this matter?

Recommendation: No. Customer preference should not be the determining factor in this matter. Customer preference is but one factor to consider in resolving a territorial dispute if all other factors are substantially equal. In this matter, all factors are not substantially equal.

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Issue 6: Should the Commission grant the motion to resolve the territorial dispute upon the stipulated facts filed by SVEC and FPL?

Recommendation: Yes. The Commission should grant the motion and, in so doing, require FPL to discontinue service to the customer in question in deference to SVEC.

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