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RE: Application for Certificates to Provide Water and Wastewater Service in Alachua County Under Grandfather Rights by Turkey Creek, Inc. & Family Diner, Inc. d/b/a Turkey Creek Utilities

Docket No.

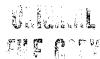
Dear Mr. Tribble:

Enclosed please find the original and fifteen copies of the Response In Opposition To Motion For Continuance to be filed on behalf of Turkey Creek Master Owners Association in connection with the above referenced matter.

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## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application for Certificates to Provide Water and Wastewater Service in Alachua County Under Grandfather Rights by TURKEY CREEK, INC. & FAMILY DINER,

DOCKET NO. 921098-WS FILED: August 27, 1993

INC. d/b/a TURKEY CREEK UTILITIES

## **RESPONSE IN OPPOSITION TO MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE**

The proposed Intervenor, TURKEY CREEK MASTER OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., by and through its undersigned attorney, responds to the TURKEY CREEK UTILITIES' Motion For Continuance, and opposes said continuance upon the following grounds:

- 1. The thrust of the UTILITIES' argument for a continuance is that many issues may become moot because of the sale. However, there are clearly some issues that will remain regardless of whether the sale occurs or not. The question whether the amounts charged since July, 1992, through the date of the sale are appropriate, and the amount of any refund to which the Owners are entitled, are issues which will not be resolved by the sale of the UTILITY.
- 2. These proceedings began in early January, 1993, and will not be resolved until after January 1, 1994, even assuming that the current case assignment schedule is followed. A continuance of the final hearing will only further delay a resolution of these issues. If some issues are rendered moot by the sale, then their mootness can be determined at the hearing and in any subsequent recommendation or order.
- 3. The Commissioners' economy of time will be preserved by a denial of the Motion For Continuance. One day has been set aside on the Commissioners' calendar. The Commissioners will either have to devote a day to at least the resolution of the refund issue at

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a later time or will resolve all the pending matters at the hearing currently scheduled. It would take more commissioner and staff time to reschedule the hearing to a later date than to maintain the current schedule.

4. The Owners continue to be prejudiced by the collection of unreasonable rates by the UTILITY. This prejudice will be exacerbated by a continuance of the final hearing.

DATED this May of September, 1993.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing has been provided by U.S. Mail, on this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of September, 1993, to the following persons:

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