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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Application for rate increase for Orange-
Osceola Utilities, Inc. in Osceola County,
and in Bradford, Brevard, Charlotte, Citrus, Clay,
Collier, Duval, Highlands, Lake, Lee, Marion,
Martin, Nassau, Orange, Osceola, Pasco, Putnam,
Seminole, St. Johns, St. Lucie, Volusia, and
Washington Counties, by Southern States
Utilities, Inc.

DOCKET NO. 950495-WS
FILED: December 4, 1995

PETITION OF HARBOUR WOODS
CIVIC ASSOCIATION FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE

The Harbour Woods Civic Association, by and through its undersigned attorney, pursuant to Section 120.53, Florida Statutes, and Rules 25-22.036(7)(a) and 25-22.039, Florida Administrative Code, petitions for leave to intervene in the above-styled proceeding, and in support thereof states:

- 1. The name and address of petitioner is as follows:

Harbour Woods Civic Association
11364 Woodsong Loop N
Jacksonville, Florida 32225

Documents relating to this proceeding should be served on:

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and

Paul W. Mauer, President
Harbour Woods Civic Association
11364 Woodsong Loop N
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- 2. The Harbour Woods Civic Association is an association of residents of the

Harbour Woods community representing some 110 residences in the Arlington area of Jacksonville, Florida. Members of the Harbour Woods Civic Association take their regulated

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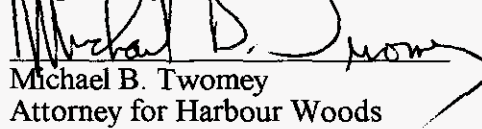
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water and wastewater service from Southern States Utilities, Inc.'s ("SSU") Beacon Hills water and wastewater plants, which are located solely in Duval County, Florida. In the above-styled docket SSU has requested a permanent increase in its annual revenues exceeding \$18.6 million and an interim revenue increase exceeding \$12 million on an annual basis. The Florida Public Service Commission ("PSC") is vested with the statutory authority and responsibility for setting "fair, just and reasonable" rates for SSU and its customers in this docket. SSU's rate petition requests that the sought-after revenue increases be applied to numerous SSU systems in Florida, specifically including the water and wastewater plants serving the members of the Harbour Woods Civic Association. Accordingly, the Harbour Woods Civic Association and its members are persons "whose substantial interests are being determined in [this] proceeding" within the definition of Section 120.52(12), Florida Statutes, and who are per se entitled to status as "parties" in this proceeding.

WHEREFORE, the Harbour Woods Civic Association requests (a) that it be granted leave to intervene and be permitted to participate in this proceeding with full rights as a party, (2) that the Order Granting Intervention direct SSU to immediately serve the Harbour Woods Civic Association with a full and complete copy of its petition, testimony and all supporting documentation filed with the PSC, its staff and other parties, and (3) that PSC staff and other parties to this case be directed to serve upon the Harbour Woods Civic Association copies of all documents either filed with the PSC or served upon other parties up to, and including, the date of the Order Granting Intervention.

Respectfully submitted,


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing has been furnished by

U.S. Mail this 4th day of December, 1995 to the following persons:

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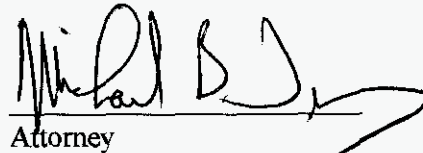
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