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Very truly yours,

MARTIN S FRIEDMAN

For The Firm

MSF/bsr

Enclosures

cc: Mr. C. Dale Borrowman

Mr. Mike Kelley

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THE VILLAGES OF LAKE-SUMTER, INC.

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DIVISION OF COMMUNICATIONS BUREAU OF SERVICE EVALUATION

APPLICATION FORM

for

AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE
WITHIN THE STATE OF FLORIDA

Instructions

- A. This form is used for an original application for a certificate and for approval of sale, assignment or transfer of an existing certificate. In case of a sale, assignment or transfer, the information provided shall be for the purchaser, assignee or transferee (See Appendix A).
- B. Respond to each item requested in the application and appendices. If an item is not applicable, please explain why.
- C. Use a separate sheet for each answer which will not fit the allotted space.
- D. If you have questions about completing the form, contact:

Florida Public Service Commission Division of Communications Bureau of Service Evaluation 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Gunter Building Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850 (904) 413-6600

E. Once completed, submit the original and six (6) copies of this form along with a non-refundable application fee of \$250.00 to:

> Plorida Public Service Commission Division of Administration 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Gunter Building Tallahassee, Plorida 32399-0850 (904) 413-6251

This is an application for (check one):

(X) Original Authority (New company).

() Approval of Transfer (To another certificated company).

() Approval of Assignment of existing certificate (To an uncertificated company).

() Approval for transfer of control (To another certificated company).

- Select what type of business your company will be conducting (check all that apply):
 - () Facilities based carrier company owns and operates or plans to own and operate telecommunications switches and transmission facilities in Florida.
 - () Operator Service Provider company provides or plans to provide alternative operator services for IXCs; or toll operator services to call aggregator locations; or clearinghouse services to bill such calls.
 - Reseller company has or plans to have one or more switches but primarily leases the transmission facilities of other carriers. Bills its own customer base for services used.
 - (X) Switchless Rebiller company has no switch or transmission facilities but may have a billing computer. Aggregates traffic to obtain bulk discounts from underlying carrier. Rebills end users at a rate above its discount but generally below the rate end users would pay for unaggregated traffic.
 - () Multi-Location Discount Aggregator company contracts with unaffiliated entities to obtain bulk/volume discounts under multi-location discount plans from certain underlying carriers. Then offers the resold service by enrolling unaffiliated customers.

- Name of coloration, partnership, cooperative, joint venture or sole proprietorship: Villages of Lake Sumter, Inc.
- 4. Name under which the applicant will do business (fictitious name, etc.):
 The Villages Telephone Service
- National address (including street name & number, post office box, city, state and zip code).

1100 Main Street, Lady Lake, Florida 32159

Florida address (including street name & number, post office box, city, state and zip code):

Same as # 5

Structure of organization;

,	`	Individual	(X)	Corporation	
i	1	Foreign Corporation General Partnership	()	Foreign	Partnership Partnership

- If applicant is an individual or partnership, please give name, title and address of sole proprietor or partners.
 - (a) Provide proof of compliance with the foreign limited partnership statute (Chapter 620.169 FS), if applicable.
 - (b) Indicate if the individual or any of the partners have previously been:
 - (1) adjudged bankrupt, mentally incompetent, or found guilty of any felony or of any crime, or whether such actions may result from pending proceedings.
 - (2) officer, director, partner or stockholder in any other Florida certificated telephone company. If yes, give name of company and relationship. If no longer associated with company, give reason why not.

- 9. If incorporated, please give:
 - (a) Proof from the Florida Secretary of State that the applicant has authority to operate in Florida.

Corporate charter number: 220546

(b) Name and address of the company's Florida registered agent. R. Dewey Burnsed 1000 West Main St.

(c) Provide proof of compliance with the fictitious name statute (Chapter 865.09 FS), if applicable.

Fictitious name registration number: 696169000139

- (c) Indicate if any of the officers, directors, or any of the ten largest stockholders have previously been:
 - adjudged bankrupt, mentally incompetent, or found guilty of any felony or of any crime, or whether such actions may result from pending proceedings.
 - (2) officer, director, partner or stockholder in any other Florida certificated telephone company. If yes, give name of company and relationship. If no longer associated with company, give reason why not.
- ✓ 10. Who will serve as liaison with the Commission in regard to (please give name, title, address and telephone number):
 - (a) The application; Michael Kelley
 - (b) Official Point of Contact for the orgoing operations of the company;
 - (c) Tariff; Michael Kelley

- (d) Compla: s/Inquiries from customers;
 Dale Borrowman
- 11. List the states in which the applicant:
 - (a) Has operated as an interexchange carrier.
 - (b) Has applications pending to be certificated as an interexchange carrier.

N/A

(c) Is certificated to operate as an interexchange carrier.

N/A

- (d) Has been denied authority to operate as an interexchange carrier and the circumstances involved.

 N/A
- (e) Has had regulatory penalties imposed for violations of telecommunications statutes and the circumstances involved.
 N/A
- (f) Has been involved in civil court proceedings with an interexchange carrier, local exchange company or other telecommunications entity, and the circumstances involved.

N/A

12. What services will the applicant offer to other certificated telephone companies: N/A

()	Facilities. () Operators.	
()	Billing and Collection. () Sales.	
()	Maintenance.	
()	Other:	-

13. Do you have a marketing program?

Yes

14. Will your marketing program: NONE

() Pay commissions?
() Offer sales franchises?
() Offer multi-level sales incentives?
() Offer other sales incentives?

 Explain any of the offers checked in question 14 (To whom, what amount, type of franchise, etc.).

N/A

- 16. Who will receive the bills for your service (Check all that apply)?
- 17. Please provide the following (if applicable):
 - (a) Will the name of your company appear on the bill for your services, and if not who will the billed party contact to ask questions about the bill (provide name and phone number) and how is this information provided?

 YES
 - (b) Name and address of the firm who will bill for your service. Sprint United Telephone
- 18. Please provide all available documentation demonstrating that the applicant has the following capabilities to provide interexchange telecommunications service in Florida.

See Attached

A. rinancial capability. See Attached

Regarding the showing of financial capability, the following applies:

The application should contain the applicant's financial statements, including:

- 1. the balance sheet
- 2. income statement
- statement of retained earnings for the most recent 3 years.

If available, the financial statements should be audited financial statements.

If the applicant does not have audited financial statements, it shall be so stated. The unaudited financial statements should then be signed by the applicant's chief executive officer and chief financial officer. The signatures should affirm that the financial statements are true and correct.

- B. Managerial capability. See Attached
- C. Technical capability. See Attached
- 19. Please submit the proposed tariff under which the company plans to begin operation. Use the format required by Commission Rule 25-24.485 (example enclosed).

See Attached

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X Method of access is 800
MTS for pay telephone service providers
Block-of-time calling plan (Reach out Florida, Ring America, etc.).
800 Service (Toll free)
WATS type service (Bulk or volume discount)
Within as agrees to VIS dedicated Incliffic
Method of access is via switched facilities

	Travel Service Method of access is 950 XX Method of access is 800
	900 service
	Operator Services Available to presubscribed customers Available to non presubscribed customers (for example to patrons of hotels, students in universities, patients in hospitals. Available to inmates
	Services included are:
	Station assistance Person to Person assistance Directory assistance Operator verify and interrupt Conference Calling
21.	What does the end user dial for each of the interexchange carrier services that were checked in services included (above). 1 + NPA NXXXXXX 1 + 800 NXX XXXX
22.	Other:

** APPL CANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT STATEMENT **

- 1. REGULATORY ASSESSMENT FEE: I understand that all telephone companies must pay a regulatory assessment fee in the amount of .15 of one percent of its gross operating revenue derived from intrastate business. Regardless of the gross operating revenue of a company, a minimum annual assessment fee of \$50 is required.
- GROSS RECEIPTS TAX: I understand that all telephone companies must pay a gross receipts tax of two and one-half percent on all intra and interstate business.
- 3. SALES TAX: I understand that a seven percent sales tax must be paid on intra and interstate revenues.
- 4. APPLICATION FEE: A non-refundable application fee of \$250.00 must be submitted with the application.
- 5. RECEIPT AND UNDERSTANDING OF RULES: I acknowledge receipt and understanding of the Florida Public Service Commission's Rules and Orders relating to my provision of interexchange telephone service in Florida. I also understand that it is my responsibility to comply with all current and future Commission requirements regarding interexchange service.
- 6. ACCURACY OF APPLICATION: By my signature below, I the undersigned owner or officer of the named utility in the application, attest to the accuracy of the information contained in this application and associated attachments. I have read the foregoing and declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information is a true and correct statement.

Further, I am aware that pursuant to Chapter 837.06, Florida Statutes, "Whoever knowingly makes a false statement in writing with the intent to mislead a public servant in the performance of his official duty shall be guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 and s. 775.083".

	Il Samo Jone	6/26/96
UTILITY OFFICIAL:	Signature	Date
	H. GARY MORSe	
	Inca Pres.	952-753-6238
	Title	Telephone No.

** APPENDIX A **

CERTIFICATE TRANSFER STATEMENT

NOT APPLICABLE

I, (TYPE NAME)		
(TITLE)		of (NAME OF COMPANY)
	4 4 4	, and current
holder of certificate r	umber	, have reviewed
this application and jo	in in the petitioner's	request for a
transfer of the above-	ention certificate.	
UTILITY OFFICIAL:	Signature	Date
	Title	Telephone No.

** APPENDIX B **

CUSTOMER DEPOSITS AND ADVANCE PAYMENTS

A statement of how the Commission can be assured of the security of the customer's deposits and advance payments may be responded to in one of the following ways (applicant please check one):

- (XX) The applicant will not collect deposits ner will it collect payments for service more than one month in advance.
- The applicant will file with the Commission and maintain a surety bond in an amount equal to the current balance of deposits and advance payments in excess of one month. (Bond must accompany application.)

DTILITY OFFICIAL:

Signature

H. Gray Monse

252-753-6737

** APPENDIX C **

INTRASTATE NETWORK

1.	POP: Addresses w leased. N/A	here located, an	d indicate if owned or		
	1)	2)			
	3)	4)			
2.	SWITCHES: Address where located, by type of switch, and indicate if owned or leased. N/A				
	1)	2)			
	3)	4)			
3.	TRANSMISSION FACILITIES: Pop-to-Pop facilities by type of facilities (microwave, fiber, copper, satellite, etc.) and indicate if owned or leased. N/A				
	1) POP-to-POP	TYPE	OWNERSHIP		
	2)				

4. ORIGINATING SERVICE: Please provide the list of exchanges where you are proposing to provide originating service within thirty (30) days after the effective date of the certificate (Appendix D).

See Attached

- 5. TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS: Please explain how the applicant will comply with the EAEA requirements contained in Commission Rule 25-24.471 (4) (a) (copy enclosed).

 Applicant will provide Intralata toll services to end users by dialing the appropriate access code or through the use of an auto-dialer.
- 6. CURRENT FLORIDA INTRASTATE SERVICES: Applicant has () or has not (XX) previously provided intrastate telecommunications in Florida. If the answer is has, fully describe the following:
 - a) What services have been provided and when did these services begin? N/A
 - b) If the services are not currently offered, when were they discontinued? N/A

HTTLITY OFFICIAL:

Signature

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Title

26/96 Date

357-253-67

Telephone No.

* * APPENDIX D **

FLORIDA TELEPHONE EXCHANGES

AND

EAS ROUTES

Describe the service area in which you hold yourself out to provide service by telephone company exchange. If all services listed in your tariff are not offered at all locations, so indicate.

In an effort to assist you, attached is a list of major exchanges in Florida showing the small exchanges with which each has extended area service (EAS).

** FLORIDA EAS FOR MAJOR EXCHANGES **

Extended Service Area	with	These Exchanges
PENSACOLA:		Cantonment, Gulf Breeze Pace, Milton Holley-Navarre.
PANAMA CITY:		Lynn Haven, Panama City Beach,
		Youngstown-Fountain and Tyndall AFB.
TALLAHASSEE:		Crawfordville, Havana, Monticello, Panacea, Sopchoppy and St. Marks.
JACKSONVILLE:		Baldwin, Ft. George, Jacksonville Beach, Callahan, Maxville, Middleburg Orange Park, Ponte Vedra and Julington.
GAINESVILLE:		Alachua, Archer, Brooker, Hawthorne, High Springs, Melrose, Micanopy, Newberry and Waldo.
OCALA:		Belleview, Citra, Dunnellon,

Forest Lady Lake (B21),

McIntosh, Oklawaha,

Orange Springs, Salt Springs and

Silver Springs Shores.

DAYTONA BEACH:

New Smyrna Beach.

TAMPA:

None Central East Plant City North Zephyrhills South Palmetto

West

Clearwater

CLEARWATER:

St. Petersburg, Tampa-West and

Tarpon Springs.

ST. PETERSBURG:

Clearwater.

LAKELAND:

Bartow, Mulberry, Plant City, Polk City and Winter Haven.

ORLANDO:

Apopka, East Orange, Lake Buena

Vista, Oviedo, Windermere,

Winter Garden,

Winter Park, Montverde, Reedy

Creek, and Oviedo-Winter

Springs.

WINTER PARK: Apopka, East Orange, Lake Buena Vista, Orlando, Oviedo, Sanford, Windermere, Winter Garden, Oviedo-Winter Springs Reedy Creek, Geneva and Montverde.

TITUSVILLE:

Cocoa and Cocoa Beach.

COCOA:

Cocoa Beach, Eau Gallie, Melbourne and Titusville.

MELBOURNE:

Cocoa, Cocoa Beach, Eau Gallie

and Sebastian.

SARASOTA:

Bradenton, Myakka and Venice.

FT. MYERS:

Cape Coral, Ft. Myers Beach, North Cape Coral, North Ft. Myers, Pine Island, Lehigh

Acres and Sanibel-Captiva Islands.

NAPLES:

Marco Island and North Naples.

WEST PALM BEACH:

Boynton Beach and Jupiter.

POMPANO BEACH

Boca Raton, Coral Springs,

Deerfield Beach and Ft.

Lauderdale.

FT. LAUDERDALE:

Coral Springs, Deerfield Beach, Hollywood and Pompano Beach.

HOLLYWOOD:

Ft. Lauderdale and North Dade.

NORTH DADE:

Hollywood, Miami and Perrine.

MIAMI:

Homestead, North Dade and

Perrine

** APPENDIX E **

** GLOSSARY **

ACCESS CODE: The term denotes a uniform four or seven digit code assigned to an individual IXC. The five digit code has the form 10XXX and the seven digit code has the form 950-XXXX.

BYPASS: Transmission facilities that go direct from the local exchange end user to an IXC point of presence, thus bypassing the local exchange company.

CARRIERS CARRIER: An IXC that provides telecommunications service, mainly bulk transmission service, to other IXC only.

CENTRAL OFFICE: A local operating unit by means of which connections are established between subscribers' lines and trunk or toll lines to other central offices within the same exchange or other exchanges. Each three (3) digit central office code (NXX) used shall be considered a separate central office unit.

CENTRAL OFFICE CODE: The term denotes the first three digits (NXX) of the seven (7) digit telephone number assigned to a customer's telephone exchange service.

COMMISSION: The Florida Public Service Commission.

COMPANY, TELEPHONE COMPANY, UTILITY: These terms may be used interchangeably herein and shall mean any person, firm, partnership or corporation engaged in the business of furnishing communication service to the public under the jurisdiction of the Commission.

DEDICATED FACILITY: The term denotes a transmission circuit which is permanently for the exclusive use of a customer or a pair of customers.

END USER: The term denotes any individual, partnership, association, corporation, governmental agency or any other entity which (A) obtains a common line, uses a pay telephone or obtains interstate service arrangements in the operating territory of the company or (B) subscribes to interstate services provided by an IXC or uses the services of the IXC when the IXC provides interstate service for its own use.

EQUAL ACCESS EXCHANGE AREAS: EAEA means a geographic area, configured based on 1987 planned toll center/access tandem areas, in which local exchange companies are responsible for providing equal access to both carriers and customers of carriers in the most economically efficient manner.

EXCHANGE: The entire telephone plant and facilities used in providing telephone service to subscribers located in an exchange area. An exchange may include more than one central office unit.

EXCHANGE (SERVICE) AREA: The territory, including the base rate suburban and rural areas served by an exchange, within which local telephone service is furnished at the exchange rates applicable within that area.

EXTENDED AREA SERVICE: A type of telephone service furnished under tariff provision whereby subscribers of a given exchange or area may complete calls to, and receive messages from, one or more other contiguous exchanges without toll charges, or complete calls to one or more other exchanges without toll message charges.

FACILITIES BASED: An IXC that has its own transmission and/or switching equipment or other elements of equipment and does not rely on others to provide this service.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE SERVICES: A classification of exchange service furnished under tariff provisions whereby a subscriber may be provided telephone service from an exchange other than the one from which he would normally be served.

FEATURE GROUPS: General categories of unbundled tariffs to stipulate related services.

Feature Group A: Line side connections presently serving specialized common carriers.

Feature Group B: Trunk side connections without equal digit or code dialing.

Feature Group C: Trunk side connections presently serving AT&T-C.

Feature Group D: Equal trunk access with subscription.

INTEREXCHANGE COMF (: means any telephone company, as defined in Section 364.02(4), .S. (excluding Payphone Providers), which provides telecommunication service between exchange areas as those areas are described in the approved tariffs of individual local exchange companies.

INTER-OFFICE CALL: A telephone call originating in one central office unit or entity but terminating in another central office unit or entity both of which are in the same designated exchange area.

INTRA-OFFICE CALL: A telephone call originating and terminating within the same central office unit or entity.

INTRASTATE COMMUNICATIONS: The term denotes any communications in Florida subject to oversight by the Florida Public Service Commission as provided by the laws of the State.

INTRA-STATE TOLL MESSAGE: Those toll messages which originate and terminate within the same state.

LOCAL ACCESS AND TRANSPORT AREA: LATA means the geographic area established for the administration of communications service. It encompasses designated exchanges, which are grouped to serve common social, economic and other purposes.

LOCAL EXCHANGE COMPANY (LEC): Means any telephone company, as defined in Section 364.02(4), F.S., which, in addition to any other telephonic communication service, provides telecommunication service within exchange areas as those areas are described in the approved tariffs of the telephone company.

OPTIONAL CALLING PLAN: An optional service furnished under tariff provisions which recognizes a need of some subscribers for extended area calling without imposing the cost on the entire body of subscribers.

900 SERVICE: A service similar to 800 service, except this service is charged back to the customer based on first minute plus additional minute usage.

PIN NUMBER: A group of numbers used by a company to identify their customers.

PAY TELEPHONE SERVICE COMPANY: Means any telephone company, other than a Local Exchange Company, which provides pay telephone service as defined in Section 364.335(4), F.S.

POINT OF PRESENCE (POP): Bell-coined term which designates the

actual (physical) 1-cation of an IXC's facility. Replaces some applications of the term "demarcation point."

PRIMARY SERVICE: Individual line service or party line service.

RESELLER: An IXC that does not have certain facilities but purchases telecommunications service from an IXC and then resells that service to others.

STATION: A telephone instrument consisting of a transmitter, receiver, and associated apparatus so connected as to permit sending and/or receiving telephone messages.

BUBSCRIBER, CUSTOMER: These terms may be used interchangeably herein and shall mean any person, firm, partnership, corporation, municipality, cooperative organization, or governmental agency supplied with communication service by a telephone company.

SUBSCRIBER LINE: The circuit or channel used to connect the subscriber station with the central office equipment.

SWITCHING CENTER: Location at which telephone traffic, either local or toll, is switched or connected from one circuit or line to another. A local switching center may be comprised of several central office units.

TRUNK: A communication channel between central office units or entities, or private branch exchanges.

ATTACHMENTS:

A - CERTIFICATE TRANSFER STATEMENT

B - CUSTOMER DEPOSITS AND ADVANCE PAYMENTS

C - INTRASTATE NETWORK

D - FLORIDA TELEPHONE EXCHANGES and EAS ROUTES

E - GLOSSARY

OF E STATE OF FLORIDA

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)		
THE VILLAGES TELEPHONE SERVICE)		
FOR A CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE TO)	CASE No.	
PROVIDE INTRASTATE	í		
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES	í		

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The Villages Telephone Service (VTS) ("Applicant") a Division of The Villages of Lake Sumter, Inc., a

Florida Corporation files this verified application respectfully requesting that the Florida Public Service

Commission ("Commission") issue Applicant a Certificate of Service Authority to resell intrastate

telecommunications services within the state of Florida pursuant to the Commissions rules and regulations.

In support of its requests, Applicant states:

 Applicant is a Florida Corporation authorized to do business in the state of Florida, with its principal offices located at:

> 1100 Main Street Lady Lake, FL 32159

A copy of Applicant's Articles of Incorporation and Certificate of Authority to transact business in Florida are attached hereto as Exhibit I.

The name and address of Applicants in-state attorney is:

Martin S Freidman Rose, Sundstrom & Bentley 2548 Blairstone Pines Drive Tallahassee, FL 32301 (904) 877-6555 Applicant proposes to engage in the business of providing intrastate interexchange non-switched private line, non-switched local exchange vate line, direct dial (1+), and 800 services within and throughout Florida and hereby requests a Certificate of Service pursuant to the Commissions rules and regulations.

Applicant will be providing to its customers intrastate interexchange non-switched private line, non-switched local exchange private line, direct dial (1+), and 800 services through resale of services of other carriers in accordance to Applicants approved tariff.

- 3. Applicant has the experience in the telecommunications industry through contractual agreements with Kelley & Associates, Inc. a specialized telecommunications consulting firm, with its corporate offices located at 1197 Colby Ct., St. Peters, MO 63376. Applicant also has the technical and financial resources necessary to ensure Applicants success. A brief description of the business entity, qualifications and experience of the responsible principals and the consulting staff is attached hereto as Exhibit II. Since Applicant has never operated within the telecommunications industry it has no balance sheet specifically for this division. Although its overall corporate balance sheets and financial statements along with forecasts of revenues and expenses regarding this division are attached hereto as Exhibit III.
- 4. Applicant's proposed Tariff which contains the rules and regulations applicable to its customers, a description of the services Applicant provides and a list of rates associated with such services is attached as Exhibit IV hereto, which Tariff is required to be filed pursuant to the requirements of the Commission.

Applicant will comply with all applicable Commission rules except those which are specifically

waived by the commission.

6. Applicant requests classification as a competitive telecommunications company within the state of

Florida. Applicant believes that its proposed services will be subject to sufficient competition to justify a

lessor degree of regulation. Granting of this application will allow greater price and service options for

telephone users.

Correspondence or communications pertaining to this Application should be addressed to:

Michael Kelley

Telecommunications Consultant

Kelley & Associates, Inc.

RE: The Villages Telephone Service

1197 Colby Ct.

St. Peters, MO 63376

Wherefore, Applicant, The Villages Telephone Service, respectfully requests the Public Service

Commission of Florida to (i) issue a certificate of Public Service authorizing Applicant to provide intrastate

telecommunication services in Florida, (ii) classify it as a competitive telecommunications company and (iii)

suspend or modify certain statutes and rules as they apply to Applicant.

Respectfully submitted this 27 day of June, 1996.

Martin S. Freidman

Rose, Sundstrom & Bentley

2548 Blairstone Pines Drive

Tallahassee, Fl 32301

VERIFICATION

I, H. Gary Morse am Executive Vice President, Chief Executive Officer of The Villages Telephone Service, the Applicant herein, and am authorized to file this verification on behalf of Applicant. I verify that, based on information and belief, I have knowledge of the statements in the foregoing Application and the exhibits attached thereto, and I declare that they are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed

Drinted Name

SWORN TO BEFORE ME, the undersigned Notary Public, on this 25 day of June, 1996.

Notary Public

Reneé B. Dix

Printed Name

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THE VILL! ES TELEPHONE SERVICE

EXHIBIT I



Bepartment of State

I certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of the Articles of Amendment, filed on February 28, 1992, effective March 10, 1992, to Articles of Incorporation for ORANGE BLOSSOM HILLS, INC., changing its name to THE VILLAGES OF LAKE-SUMTER, INC., a Florida corporation, as shown by the records of this office

The document number of this corporation is 220546.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, the Capital, this the day of March, 1992.

CR2EO22 (2-91)

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Jim Smith Secretary of State

THE VILLAGES TELEPHONE SERVICE

EXHIBIT II

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS ENTITY

The Villages Telephone Service (VTS) is a competitive reseller of telecommunications services.

VTS offers the marketplace within the Ocala Extended Service Area, more specifically the City of Lady Lake Florida, an alternative choice of long distance services. In addition to the competitive pricing, the personal "Single point of contact" customer service offerings, VTS provides a truly value added service.

The Officers and Management Team of The Villages Telephone Service are as Follows:

Harold Schwartz,

President

H. Gary Morse,

Executive Vice President, Chief Executive Officer

John Wise,

Treasurer

R. Dewey Burnsed,

Secretary

Mr. Schwartz is a very active 86 year old President and Board Chairman of the Company.

His varied business career has included a chain of 7 broadcast stations, downtown St.

Louis offices and apartment buildings, and land development throughout the sunbelt of the United States and the Caribbean.

Mr. Morse, 59, is Mr. .nwartz' son. He has been the Executive Vice President and C.E.O. of the Corporation since 1983. He had prior experience in advertising and sales promotion in land development and resort management.

John F. Wise, 53, is the Chief Financial Officer of the Corporation. He is responsible for accounting, financial reporting, planning and budgeting. From 1988 to 1989 he was a consultant, primarily in the land development and mortgage servicing industries. From 1980 to 1987 he was involved in the Florida citrus industry as the General Manager of Adams Packing Association and Allsun Pure Juice Corporation. He was the Senior Vice President of American Agronomics Corporation, a New York Stock Exchange listed company, from 1980 to 1983. From 1970 to 1979 he was employed by Peat Marwick Mitchell & Company rising to the position of audit manager.

R. Dewey Burnsed, 57, is an attorney. Following receipt of his Juris Doctor degree from the University of Florida in 1965, he moved to the Leesburg area. For 30 years he has practiced law with the firm of McLin, Burnsed, Morrison, Johnson, Newman, and Roy and its predecessors and is currently an officer, shareholder and director in the firm. Mr. Burnsed's law firm serves as general counsel to the Corporation. Mr. Burnsed was a trustee for the Lake/Sumter Community College between September 1985 and June 1987. He also serves as a member of the Board of Directors of First bank of the Villages of Lady Lake, Florida.

The Manager of the Company is Mr. C. Dale Borrowman, 37, is currently employed by the Corporation as the Director of Information Systems. His responsibilities encempass all areas pertaining to information and computer technology. Prior to re-joining the corporation in 1995, Mr. Borrowman was affiliated with Engineered Support Systems, Inc. of St. Louis, MO. for eight years as the Director of Information Systems. A graduate

of Quincy College, Mr. rowman has held senior management level positions over the past twelve years as well as working with multi-vendor technology platforms.

The consulting firm of Kelley & Associates have been contracted to consult on the day to day operations of Applicant. The two point consultants assigned to specifically head up the support team for Applicant in its endeavors are Michael Kelley and Anthony Kilroy. These two gentlemen have combined telephony experience in excess of forty years. Kelley & Associates, as an organization has in excess of 100 years of telecommunications experience ranging from plant and facility design to marketing and servicing end users of all types of interexchange and intraexchange services.

THE VILLAGES TELEPHONE SERVICE

EXHIBIT III



THE VILLAGES OF LAKE-SUMTER, INC.

Consolidated Financial Statements

December 31, 1993 and 1992

(With Independent Accountants' Review Report Thereon)



Gertified Public Accountants

111 North Orange Avenue, Suite 1600 P.O. Box 3031 Orlando, FL 32802

Independent Accountants' Review Report

The Board of Directors
The Villages of Lake-Sumter, Inc.:

We have reviewed the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of The Villages of Lake-Sumter, Inc. as of December 31, 1993 and 1992 and the related consolidated statements of income, shareholders' equity and cash flows for the years then ended, in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services issued by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. All information included in these consolidated financial statements is the representation of the management of The Villages of Lake-Sumter, Inc.

A review consists principally of inquiries of Company personnel and analytical procedures applied to financial data. It is substantially less in scope than an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion regarding the financial statements taken as a whole. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

Based on our reviews, we are not aware of any material modifications that should be made to the accompanying consolidated financial statements in order for them to be in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

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February 11, 1994



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THE VILLAGE OF LAKE-SUMTER, INC. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS DECEMBER 31, 1993 AND 1992 (See accompanying review report of KPMG Peat Marwick)

ASSETS	1993	1992
Current Assets:		
Cash, including restricted cash of \$300,000 in		
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1993 and \$160,000 in 1992	\$ 3,423,821	2,137,262
Accounts and notes receivable, less allowance		
for doubtful accounts of \$50,000 in 1993 and		
1992	1,108,311	1,185,564
Inventories (Notes 2, 5 and 6)	12,704,685	11,117,672
Prepaid expenses	490,801	545,614
	470,001	343,614
Total current assets	17,727,618	14,986,112
Property, plant and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation of \$9,878,209 in 1993 and \$8,681,136 in 1992 (Notes 3, 6 and 7)	32,781,028	26,426,366
Land held for future development and sale (Note 6)	10,060,998	5,156,195
Due from affiliates (Note 4)	789,727	
Investment in life insurance contract (Note 6)		378,217
Other assets	670,739	546,497
Other assocs	789,208	250,082
	\$62,819,318	47,743,469
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Current Liabilities:		
Customer deposits	\$ 4,435,354	4,132,957
Accounts payable	2,150,868	2,233,585
Accrued expenses (Note 4)	5,795,238	590,245
Net liabilities of discontinued operation	.,,	3,0,243
(Note 4)		210 605
Due to affiliates	15. 040	319,685
	151,247	547,509
Unearned revenues	728,818	621,165
Current installments of long-term debt (Note 6)	2,254,000	1,379,900
Total current liabilities	15,515,525	9,825,046
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Long-term debt less current installments (Note 6) Minority interest in consolidated partnership	22,150,459 84,768	15,671,400 35,675
	01,700	35,075
Shareholders' Equity:		
Common stock, \$100 par value, 100 shares		
authorized, 50.84 shares issued	5,084	5,084
Additional paid in capital	272,335	272,335
Retained earnings		
Less 29.68 and 22.5 shares of treasury stock	31,618,480	23,933,929
in 1993 and 1992, respectively, at cost	(6,827,333)	(2,000,000)
Total shareholder's equity	25,068,566	22,211,348
Commitments and contingencies (Note 8)		
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	\$62,819,318	47,743,469

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

THE VILLAGES OF LAKE-SUMTER, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993 AND 1992 (See accompanying review report of KPMG Peat Marwick)

	1993	1992
Revenues: Developed lots and homes Food and beverage services Homeowner maintenance fees Retail store operations Other	\$54,359,830 5,266,960 5,855,421 3,204,545 4,797,148	50,746,905 4,552,830 4,988,497 3,241,639 4,128,638
Total revenues	73,483,904	67,658,509
Cost of Sales: Developed lots and homes Other	37,082,805 4,961,885	32,692,241 4,370,831
Total cost of sales	42,044,690	37,063,072
Gross profit	31,439,214	30,595,437
Selling, general and administrative expenses	25,436,686	21,916,172
Operating profit	6,002,528	8,679,265
Other income (expenses): Other income, net (including loss on sale of property, plant and equipment of \$38,487 in 1993 and a gain of \$171,270 in 1992 Interest income Interest expense	164,801 190,445 (1,880,193)	315,462 166,247 (1,604,797)
Total other (expenses), net	(1,524,947)	(1,123,088)
Net income from continuing operations before minority partners' share of income of consolidated partnership	4,477,581	7,556,177
Minority partners' share of income of consolidated partnership	(49,093)	(37,245)
Income from continuing operations	4,428,488	7,518,932
Discontinued operation (Note 4) Income from operations of Sunbelt Utilities, Inc., (less income taxes (benefit) of \$55,477 and (\$9,912) in 1993 and 1992, respectively)	102,675	41,932
Gain on sale of Sunbelt Utilities, Inc. net assets (less income tax expense of \$3,497,275) (Note 9)	6,472,644	-
Net income	\$11,003,807	7,560,864

THE VILLAGES OF LAKE-SUMTER, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993 AND 1992 (See accompanying review report of KPMG Peat Marwick)

	Common	Stock	Additional		Treas	ury Stock
Total	Shares	Amount	Capital	Earnings	Shares	Amount
\$17,232,638	45.00	4,500	257,217	18,970,921	22.50	(2,000,000
(49,355)	5.50	550	15,118	(65,023)		
89,304	.34	34		89,270		
7.40	1					
17,272,587	50.84	5,084	272,335	18,995,168	22.50	(2,000,000)
7,560,864				7,560,864		
(2,622,103)				(2,622,103)		
22,211,348	50.84	5,084	272,335	23,933,929	22.50	(,000,000)
(4,827,333)					7.19	(4,827,333)
11,003,807				11,003,807		
(3,319,256)				(3,319,256)		
\$25,068,566	50.84	5,084	272,335	31,618,480	29.68	(6,827,333)
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THE VILLAGES OF LAKE-SUMTER, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1993 AND 1992 (See accompanying review report of KPHG Peat Marwick)

	1993	1992
Cash lows from operating activities: Income from r .inuing operations Adjustments reconcile income from continuing operations net cash provided by operating	\$ 4,428,488	7,518,932
activities: Depreciation		2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2
Minority partners' share of income of con-	1,760,965	1,699,377
solidated partnership	49,093	37,245
(Gain) loss on sale of property & equipment Cash provided by (used for) changes in:	38,487	(171,270)
Accounts and notes receivable Inventories and land held for future	77,253	134,096
development and sale	(6,491,816)	1,106,974
Due from affiliates	(807,772)	266,909
Prepaid expenses	54,813	(86,449)
Other assets	(539,126)	(19,818)
Customer deposits	302,397	327,251
Accounts payable	(82,717)	510,989
Accrued expenses Unearned revenues	5,204,993	(600,767)
Unearned revendes	107,653	30,878
Net cash provided by operating activities	4,102,711	10,754,347
Cash flows from investing activities (Note 4):		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(10,050,005)	(2,117,639)
Proceeds from sale of property & equipment	1,895.891	276,827
Investment in life insurance contract	(124,242)	(32,432)
Gain on sale of Sunbelt Utilities, Inc.	6,472,644	-
Income from operations of Sunbelt Utilities, Inc.	102,675	41,932
Net cash used for investing activities	(1,703,037)	(1,831,312)
Cash flows from financing activities (Note 9): Proceeds from issuance of long-term debt Repayment of long-term debt Net change in notes payable to banks Change in net liabilities of discontinued operation	11,061,807 (3,708,648)	2,745,493 (4,427,149) (4,110,000) 140,272
Dividends paid	(319,685)	
Distributions paid to minority partners' of	(3,319,256)	(2,622,103)
consolidated partnership	a 1 May 22 Mar	160 7051
Purchase of treasury stock	(4,827,333)	(62,795)
Net cash used for financing activities	(1,113,115)	(8,336,282)
Net increase in cash	1,286,559	586,753
Cash, beginning of year	2,137,262	1,550,509
Cash, end of year	\$3,423,821	2,137,262
Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information:)
Cash paid for interest (including interest paid related to discontinued operations of \$586,618 in 1993 and \$717,028 in 1992)	\$2,355,981	2,496,805
Cash paid (received) by discontinued operations for income taxes, net of refund		Attractional Carlottering
received	\$ 171,121	(128,962)

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

1. Organization and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Operations

The Villa of Lake-Sumter, Inc. ("the Company"), formerly Orange Blossom Hills, Inc., nad developed a retirement community known as The Villages located in Lady Lake, Florida. The Company constructs and sells single family site built homes, including the related land. Sales are recorded at closing. Funds collected prior to closing are recorded as customer deposits, and are shown as a liability on the accompanying consolidated balance sheets.

The Company also operates recreational facilities, restaurants, retail stores and shopping centers within the community.

Principles of Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and a 75% owned partnership which the Company acquired during 1991. The partnership operates within the cable television inductry. All significant intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

Inventories

Inventories are stated at cost which is not in excess of estimated market value. Costs incurred to develop lots and construct homes are capitalized and charged to cost of sales when the lots and homes are sold. Cost of other inventories, consisting primarily of food and beverages and retail merchandise is determined principally using the first-in, first-out method.

Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost. Normal maintenance and repair costs are expensed as incurred. Depreciation is provided for property, plant and equipment by use of the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets, as follows:

YEARS

Buildings	and	improvements	15	-	31.5
Machinery	and	equipment	3	-	10
Furniture	and	fixtures	3	-	10
Vehicles			3	-	5

Unearned Revenues

Unearned revenues primarily relate to annual golf membership and greens fee agreements collected in advance related to the Company's golf course operations. These fees are recognized as earned revenue evenly over the term of the agreements.

Income Taxes

The Company and its stockholders have elected under subchapter S of the Internal Revenue Code to have the Company's taxable income or loss reported by its shareholders. Because of this election, Federal and state income taxes have not been provided for in the accompanying consolidated financial statements, except for Federal and State income taxes provided related to the operations of Sunbelt Utilities, Inc. (see Note 4).

Restatement of 1992 Consolidated Financial Statements

The 1992 Consolidated Financial Statements have been restated to reflect the acquisition of Sunbelt Utilities, Inc. and Homecrafters of Florida, Inc. (see Note 4).

2. In rentories

Inventor at December 31, 1993 and 1992 consist of the following:

	1993	1992
Developed lots and land Homes under construction Other	\$ 3,655,679 7,904,576 1,144,430	5,368,007 4,241,220 1,508,445
	\$12,704,685	11,117,672

The Company includes developed lots and land actively held for sale as a component of inventory. Land held for future development and sale is excluded from inventory as it will not be available for sale during the Company's upcoming fiscal year.

3. Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment at December 31, 1993 and 1992 consist of the following:

	1993	1992
Shopping centers and retail facilities Recreational facilities, restaurants and	\$12,987,172	10,086,391
common areas	12,778,549	10,362,621
Construction and related equipment Sales, administrative and other offices	1,165,807	1,059,914
and equipment	15,727,709	13,598,576
Less accumulated depreciation	42,659,237	35,107,502
bess accumulated depreciation	(9,878,209)	(8,681,136)
	\$32,781,028	26,426,366

4. Transactions with Affiliates

The Company routinely borrows from and advances funds to companies related through common ownership. Certain administrative costs are shared by the Company and its affiliates which are allocated between the companies based on the benefits received.

During 1992, the Company, as land owner, formed Village Community Development District No. 1 ("CDD") pursuant to Chapter 190, Florida Statutes. The CDD will plan, finance, and construct the infrastructure improvements, including roads, drainage, and water and sewer facilities necessary for the Company to construct and sell homes on its Sumter County, Florida property. On June 19, 1992, the CDD sold \$16.4 million of its Capital Improvement Revenue Bonds and began planning and constructing the necessary infrastructure improvements. The Company is required to make payments to the CDD as new homes and the related land are sold within the boundaries of the CDD. The payments to the CDD (\$15,150 in 1992 and \$1,739,708 in 1993) are charged to cost of sales when the home and lot are sold. Commencing in 1995, the Company must additionally pay annual assessments on the land it owns within the boundaries of the CDD. These payments will be expensed in the period incurred.

Also during 1992, the Company, as landowner, formed Village Center Community Development District ("Village Center") an entity similar to the CDD. On November 29, 1993, Village Center sold \$26.0 million of its Utility Revenue Bonds. The proceeds were used to acquire the net assets of Sunbelt Utilities,

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4. Transactions th Affiliates, continued

Inc. ("Sunbelt , to acquire a sewer plant from the Town of Lady Lake, and to fund improvements to its purchased utility system. The Village Center bonds are payable solely from revenues generated from its utility operations.

On November 30, 1993, Sunbelt and Homecrafters of Florida, Inc. ("Homecrafters) were merged into the Company. Shareholders of Sunbelt received 5.5 shares of common stock of the Company for all the outstanding common stock of Sunbelt. Shareholders of Homecrafters were given .34 shares of common stock of the Company for all the outstanding common stock of Homecrafters. These mergers were accounted for as poolings of interests, as the shareholders of the merged companies were substantially identical to the shareholders of the Company. Sunbelt provided water and sewer utility services to the residents of the Villages. Homecrafters owned and leased property in a commercial area at the Villages.

The Company's 1992 financial statements have been restated to include the net liabilities and discontinued operations of Sunbelt. Substantially all the assets of Sunbelt were sold to Village Center on November 29, 1993 for a contract sales price of approximately \$20,180,000. Sunbelt received cash of \$11,447,299 and a subordinated note in the amount of \$370,849 after closing prorations and retirement of Sunbelt indebtedness. A summary of the Sunbelt's operations for the eleven months ended November 30, 1993 and the year ended December 31, 1992 is

	1993	1992
Operating revenues Operating expenses Interest expense Other income Gain on sale of net assets Income tax (expense) benefit	\$ 2,026,071 (1,312,924) (610,085) 55,090 9,969,919 (3,552,752)	1,936,597 (1,264,519) (749,739) 109,681 - 9,912
Net income	\$ 6,575,319	41,932

A summary of Sunbelt's net assets (liabilities), including amounts due from the Company, at November 30, 1993 and December 31, 1992 and 1991 is as follows:

	Nov. 30 1993	Dec. 31 1992	Dec. 31 1991
Current Assets Property and equipment, net Other assets	\$10,573,180	478,946 10,015,850 1,416,293	506,592 9,960,267 1,410,757
Total assets	10,944,029	11,911,089	11,877,616
Current liabilities Long-term debt Other liabilities	(4,376,132)	(836,165) (7,966,527) (3,428,082)	(783,990) (8,261,224) (3,011,815)
Total liabilities	(4,376,132)	(12,230,774)	(12,057,029)
Total net assets (liabilities) Plus amount due from Company	6,567,897	(319,685)	(179,413)
	\$ 6,567,897	(7,423)	(49,355)

4 Transact 3 with Affiliates, continued

Prior to the merger with the Company, Sunbelt was a C Coporation and was required to pay Federal and state income taxes on its earnings. Included in accrued expenses in the accompanying consolidated balance sheet at December 31, 1993 is \$4,223,000 of Federal and state income taxes related to Sunbelt's final C Corporation tax returns.

Prior year financial statements have also been restated to include the assets, liabilities, and operations of Homecrafters on a combined basis. A summary of Homecrafter's operations for the eleven months ended November 30, 1993 and the year ended December 31, 1992 is as follows:

	1993	1992
Revenues Operating expenses Interest expense	\$ 277,541 (103,603) (57,511)	235,817 (155,925) (81,356)
Net income (loss)	\$ 116,427	(1,464)

A summary of Homecrafter's net assets, including amounts due to the Company, at November 30, 1993 and December 31, 1992 and 1991 is as follows:

	1993	1992	1991
Current assets Property and equipment, net	\$ 8,896 1,864,105	2,803 1,926,766	4,777 2,001,575
Total assets	1,873,001	1,929,569	2,006,352
Current liabilities Long-term debt	(192,900) (585,445)	(408,575) (762,270)	(503,407) (955,170)
Total liabilities	(778;345)	(1,170,845)	(1,458,577)
Total net assets Less amount due to the Company	1,094,656 (890,390)	758,724 (672,076)	547,775 (458,471)
	\$ 204,266	86,648	89,304

Prior to the merger with the Company, Homecrafters was an S Corporation and as such no Federal or state income taxes were provided in its financial statements.

As of December 31, 1993, the Company acquired the net assets of Lake Tropicana Ranchettes, Inc. ("Tropicana") and Rainbow Acres, Inc. ("Rainbow"). Tropicana and Rainbow were owned by the president of the Company who received cash of \$70,000 and 5.9% notes aggregating \$312,578 (see note 6).

A summary of the net assets purchased is as follows:

Cash	5	156,951
Accounts receival	ole	53,153
Inventories		6,753
Due from the Comp	pany	208,953
Total assets		425,810
Less accrued expe	nses	(43,232)
Total net ass		200 555
Total net ass	ecs 5	382,578

5. Notes Fayable to Banks

At December 3 1993, the Company had a \$2,000,000 bank line of credit bearing interest at Prime us 1% (7.0% as of December 31, 1993) used to finance its homes under construction. This line of credit is collateralized by the homes under construction and the related land. Homes under construction must be subject to a contract and meet other requirements before the bank will advance funds. The Company was not indebted under this line of credit at December 31, 1993.

At December 31, 1993, the Company had an additional \$2,000,000 bank line of credit bearing interest at prime plus 1%, collateralized by developed lots. The Company was not indebted under this line of credit at December 31, 1993.

6. Long-Term Debt

Long-term debt at December 31, 1993 and 1992 consist of the following:

	1993	1992
Unsecured notes payable to president of the Company, interest payable monthly at 6.61%, through 2013. Beginning 2014, monthly payments including interest of \$2,853 due through 2023.	6 2 202 200	
Mortgage notes payable to bank, payable in monthly installments of \$3,358 through August 1994 and \$20,166 thereafter plus interest at prime plus 1% with a balloon payment due in 1998, collateralized by a shopping center and bowling alley. The Company is expanding the shopping center facility, and \$1.375 million	\$ 2,207,299	3,205,839
of the notes represents a construction loan for the expansion.	4,687,448	4,709,400
Mortgage note payable to bank, interest payable monthly at 11% with a balloon payment due in 2006, collateralized by shopping center and investment in life insurance contract.	1,724,038	1,900,000
Note payable to bank, payable in monthly installments of \$51,666 plus interest at prime plus 1% maturing in 1998, collateralized by operating assets.	2,893,333	1,866,667
Notes payable to former shareholders, payable in monthly installments of \$19,343 including interest at 10% maturing in 1997 and 2000, collateralized by 22.5 shares of treasury stock.	827,024	968,648
Industrial development revenue bond, payable in monthly installments of \$7,352 plus interest at 7.93%, matures 2005, collateralized by The Villages Country Club golf course.		

. Long-Term Debt, cop ned	1993	1992
Mortgage note payable L bank, payable in monthly installments of \$10,515 plus interest at prime plus 1% maturing in 1998, collateralized by the Company's administrative		
office building.	525,750	651,930
Unsecured notes payable to president of the Company for acquisition of Rainbow Acres, Inc. and Lake Tropicana Ranchettes, Inc., payable in monthly installments of \$3,455, including interest at 5.9% through 2003.	312,578	
Mortgage notes payable to bank, payable in monthly installments of \$17,141 plus interest at prime plus 1% maturing in 1997, collateralized by the Company's hotels.	968,485	385,680
Mortgage note payable to bank, interest payable monthly at prime plus 1% with a balloon payment due in January 1995, collateralized by the Company's model home inventory.	720,000	191,969
Mortgage note payable to bank, payable in monthly installments of \$16,075 plus interest at prime plus 1%, secured by Homecrafters real property. The note was paid off in 1993 (see Note 4)		955,170
Mortgage note payable to bank in monthly installments of interest only at prime plus 1%, principal payable \$150,000 per calendar quarter, collateralized by developed commercial property.	2,251,705	_
Mortgage note payable to insurance company in monthly installments of \$28,997 including interest at 9.1%, maturing in 2013, collateralized by a shopping center.	3,190,503	-
Purchase money mortgages payable in install- ments currently aggregating \$448,891 annually including interest at rates ranging from 5.45% to 8%, collateralized by land		
held for future development.	2,761,788	- 1
Other	290,332	775,245
Total long-term debt	24,404,459	17,051,300
Less current installments	(2,254,000)	(1,379,900)
Long-term debt less current installments	\$22,150,459	15,671,400
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6. Long-Term Debt, continued

Maturitie of long-term debt for the years ended December 31, 1994 through 1998 and thereaf: are as follows:

1994	\$ 2,254,000
1995	3,203,000
1996	2,421,000
1997	2,447,000
1998	5,051,000
Thereafter	9,028,459
	\$24,404,459

7. Leases

The Company leases its owned shopping centers and retail facilities under various non-cancellable operating leases, which expire at various dates though the year 2013. At December 31, 1993 and 1992, the gross amount of property, plant and equipment leased under operating lease agreements was as follows:

	1993	1992
Shopping centers and retail facilities Less accumulated depreciation	\$ 7,946,579 (1,235,807)	5,095,537 (802,138)
	\$ 6,710,772	4,293,399

Future minimum lease payments to be received under non-cancellable operating leases for the years ended December 31, 1994 through 1998 and thereafter are as follows:

1994	\$ 975,000
1995	940,000
1996	865,000
1997	791,000
1998	731,000
Thereafter	7,400,000
	\$11,702,000
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Rental income for the years ended December 31, 1993 and 1992 amounted to \$796,987 and \$666,962, respectively.

8. Commitments and Contingencies

The Company has entered into land purchase options to acquire 1,955 acres of land for future development. The payments required to exercise these options for the years ended December 31, 1994 through 1998 and thereafter are as follows:

1994	\$ 640,000
1995	545,000
1996	560,000
1997	575,000
1998	510,000
Thereafter	4,397,500
	\$7,227,500

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8. Commitments and Contingencies, continued

T Company is not required to make scheduled option payments. However, if a scheduled option payment is not made, the option terminates and the Company forfe. its right to acquire additional property in the future pursuant to the options.

During December 1993, the Company sold a warehouse it acquired in the merger with Homecrafters for a cash price of \$855,000. The purchaser sells building supplies to subcontractors who construct homes at The Villages. The Company has agreed to repurchase the warehouse at decreasing sales prices over the next ten years should its subcontractors not purchase minimum amounts of building materials from the warehouse owner. The Company does not believe it will be required to repurchase the warehouse because it requires its subcontractors to purchase building materials from the warehouse owner.

During 1993, the Company sold a parcel of property to the Lazy B Cattle Venture, Ltd. ("Lazy B"), an affiliated company, and received a \$350,000 subordinated promissory note. Lazy B received an \$850,000 bank financing commitment, which is guaranteed by the Company, to build a fast food restaurant at The Villages. As of December 31, 1993, the balance due on this bank note was \$383,003.

9. Extinguished Debt

In conjunction with the sale of substantially all the assets of Sunbelt Utilities, Inc. (see Note 4), Sunbelt defeased approximately \$8 million of industrial development revenue bonds by irrevocably placing U.S. Government Securities in a trust. The trust is to be used solely in satisfying scheduled payments of principal and interest on the bonds. The extraordinary loss on defeasance before income taxes was \$1,448,638, and is reflected as a reduction in the gain on sale of Sunbelt Utilities, Inc. in the accompanying consolidated Statements of Income.

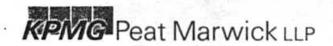


THE VILLAGES OF LAKE-SUMTER, INC.

Consolidated Financial Statements

December 31, 1995 and 1994

(With Independent Accountants' Review Report Thereon)



111 North Orange Avenue, Suite 1600 F D. Box 3031 Orlando, FL 32802

Independent Accountants' Review Report

The Board of Directors
The Villages of Lake-Sumter, Inc.:

We have reviewed the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of The Villages of Lake-Sumter, Inc. as of December 31, 1995 and 1994 and the related consolidated statements of income, shareholders' equity and cash flows for the years then ended, in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services issued by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. All information included in these consolidated financial statements is the representation of the management of The Villages of Lake-Sumter, Inc.

A review consists principally of inquiries of Company personnel and analytical procedures applied to financial data. It is substantially less in scope than an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion regarding the financial statements taken as a whole. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

Based on our reviews, we are not aware of any material modifications that should be made to the accompanying consolidated financial statements in order for them to be in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

KPM6 Peat Marvick LLP

February 2, 1996



THE VILLAGE OF LAKE-SUMTER, INC. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS DECEMBER 31, 1995 AND 1994 (See accompanying review report of KPMG Peat Marwick LLP)

ASSETS	1995	1994
Current Assets:		
Cash, including stricted cash of \$650,000 in		
1995 and \$470, \() in 1994	\$ 5,064,439	3,687,616
Accounts and notes receivable, less allowance for doubtful accounts of \$50,000 in 1995 and	, .,,	-,,
1994	1,627,296	1,933,859
Inventories (Notes 2, 6 and 7)	21,449,281	14,350,460
Prepaid expenses	421,906	452,836
Total current assets	28,562,922	20,424,771
Property, plant and equipment, net of accumulated		
depreciation of \$11,644,492 in 1995 and		
\$10,241,629 in 1994 (Notes 3, 7 and 8)	36,736,488	29,885,554
Restricted funds held by trustee for capital		
projects and repayment of debt (Note 4)	2,263,961	9,631,654
Land held for future development and sale (Note 7)	12,689,368	11,716,088
Due from affiliates (Note 5)	3,171,863	2,144,770
Investment in life insurance contract (Note 7)	791,580	725,707
Other assets	1,189,344	685,174
	\$85,405,526	75,213,718
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Current Liabilities:		
Note payable bank (Note 6)	2,315,439	100
Customer deposits	6,047,564	5,396,713
Accounts payable	2,658,292	2,310,916
Accrued expenses	2,362,694	1,368,586
Unearned revenues	874,981	803,311
Current installments of long-term debt (Note 7)	3,339,000	2,928,000
Total current liabilities	17,597,970	12,807,626
Long-term debt less current installments (Note 7)	29,586,268	29,850,088
Minority interest in consolidated partnership	164,532	108,648
Shareholders' Equity:		
Common stock, \$100 par value, 100 shares		
authorized, 50.84 shares issued	5,084	5,084
Additional paid in capital	272,335	272,335
Retained earnings	44,606,670	38,997,270
Less 29.68 shares of treasury stock at cost	(6,827,333)	(6,827,333)
Total shareholder's equity	38,056,756	32,447,356
Commitments and contingencies (Note 9)		
	\$85,405,526	75,213,718
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See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

THE VILLAGES OF LAKE-SUMTER, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1995 AND 1994 (See accompanying review report of KPHG Peat Marwick LLP)

	1995	1994
Revenues:		
Developed lots and homes	\$77,428,593	70,155,333
Food and beverage services	7,397,793	6,330,860
Homeowner maintenance fees (Note 9)	7,880,801	6,844,857
Retail store operations	6,242,599	
Other	0,242,599	3,432,258
ocher	5,365,621	5,193,655
Total revenues	104,315,407	91,956,963
Cost of Sales:		-
Developed lots and homes	47,507,720	44,661,644
Other	8,302,097	5,590,287
Total cost of sales	55,809,817	50 251 021
Total Cost of Bales	55,609,617	50,251,931
Gross profit	48,505,590	41,705,032
Selling, operating and general and administrative		
expenses, including advertising expense of		
\$3,431,000 in 1995 and \$2,852,000 in 1994.	36,786,276	29 677,141
Operating profit	11,719,314	12,027,891
Other income (expenses):		
Other income, net (including loss on disposition of property, plant and equipment of \$28,237 in		
1995 and \$86,269 in 1994)	204 241	24 005
Interest income	204,741	34,825
	330,142	216,898
Interest expense	(2,704,864)	(2,104,056)
Total other expenses, net	(2,169,981)	(1,852,333)
Net income before minority partners' share		
of income of consolidated partnership	9,549,333	10,175,558
Minority partners' share of income of		
consolidated partnership	(80,884)	(80,131)
Net income	\$ 9,468,449	10,095,427
The Allegain	\$ 7,400,449	10,095,427

THE VILLAGES OF LAKE-SUMTER, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1995 AND 1994 *(See accompanying review report of KPMG Peat Marwick LLP)

		Common	Stock	Additional		Treas	ury Stock
	Total	Shares	Amount	Paid-In Capital	Retained Earnings	Shares	Amount
Balances - December 31, 1993	\$25,068,566	50.84	5,084	272,335	31,618,480	29.68	(6,827,333)
Net income	10,095,427				10,095,427		
Dividends	(2,716,637)				(2,716,637)		
Balances - December 31, 1994	\$32,447,356	50.84	5,084	272,335	38,997,270	29.68	(6,827,333)
Net income	9,468,449				9,468,449		
Dividends	(3,859,049)				(3,859,049)		
Balances - December 31, 1995	\$38,056,756	50.84	5,084	272,335	44,606,670	29.68	(6,827,333)

THE VILLAGES OF LAKE-SUMTER, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1995 AND 1994 (See accompanying review report of KPMG Peat Marwick LLP)

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Cash flows from operating activities:	1995	1994
Net income	\$ 9,468,449	10,095,427
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cath provided ', operating activities:	4 3/100/113	10,093,427
Depreciat!	1,981,034	1 000 000
Minority p. ners' snare of income of	1,301,034	1,900,808
consolidated partnership	80,884	80 121
Loss on disposition of property and equipment	28,237	80,131
Cash provided by (used for) changes in:	20,23,	86,269
Accounts and notes receivable	306,563	1025 5401
Inventories and land held for future	500,505	(825,548)
development and sale	(8,072,101)	13 300 0661
Due from affiliates	(1,027,093)	(3,300,865)
Prepaid expenses	30,930	37,965
Other assets	(504, 170)	104,034
Customer deposits	650,851	961,359
Accounts payable	347,376	160,048
Accrued expenses	994,108	(4,426,652)
Unearned revenues	71,670	74,493
Net cash provided by operating activities	4,356,738	3,441,179
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Purchase of property and equipment	(0.012.620)	
Proceeds from sale of property and equipment	(8,912,638)	(7,516,112)
Investment in life insurance contract	52,433 (65,873)	5,268,509
	(03,073)	(54,968)
Net cash used for investing activities	(8,926,078)	(2,302,571)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from issuance of long-term debt	4,614,967	10 222 000
Repayment of long-term debt	(4,467,787)	18,223,000
(Increase) decrease in restricted funds held by	(4,407,707)	(6,693,371)
trustee	7,367,693	(9,631,654)
Net change in notes payable to banks	2,315,339	100
Dividends paid	(3,859,049)	(2,716,637)
Distributions paid to minority partners' of		(-,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
consolidated partnership	(25,000)	(56,251)
Net cash provided by (used for) financing		
activities	5,946,163	(874,813)
Net increase in cash	1,376,823	263,795
Cash, beginning of year	3,687,616	3,423,821
Cash, end of year	\$5,064,439	_
Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information:	33,004,433	3,687,616
Cash paid for interest	\$2,713,000	2,057,386
Debt assumed by Lazy B Cattle Venture, Ltd.	\$ -	3,156,000

1. Organization and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Operations

The Villages of Lake-Sumter, Inc. ("The Villages") has developed a retirement community known as The Villages located in Lady Lake, Florida. The Villages constructs and sells single family site built homes, including the related land. Sales are recorded at closing. Funds collected prior to closing are recorded as customer deposits, and are shown as a liability in the accompanying consolidated balance sheets.

The Villages also operates recreational facilities, restaurants, retail stores and a shopping center within the community.

Principles of Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of The Villages and a 75% owned partnership. The partnership operates within the cable television industry. All significant intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

Inventories

Inventories are stated at cost which is not in excess of estimated market value. Costs incurred to develop lots and construct homes are capitalized and charged to cost of sales when the lots and homes are sold. Cost of other inventories, consisting primarily of food and beverages and retail merchandise is determined principally using the first-in, first-out method.

Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost. Normal maintenance and repair costs are expensed as incurred. Depreciation is provided for property, plant and equipment by use of the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets, as follows:

			YEARS		
Buildings Machinery Furniture Vehicles	and	improvements equipment fixtures		-	31.5 10 10

Unearned Revenues

Unearned revenues primarily relate to annual golf membership and greens fee agreements collected in advance related to The Villages' golf course operations. These fees are recognized as earned revenue evenly over the term of the agreements.

Income Taxes

The Villages and its stockholders have elected under Subchapter S of the Internal Revenue Code to have The Villages' taxable income or loss reported by its shareholders. Because of this election, Federal and state income taxes have not been provided for in the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

1. Organization and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies, continued

Capital In vement Revenue Bonds

The Villages has recorded the indebtedness of Village Community Development District No. 1 ("CDD") issued subsequent to the effective date of Emerging Issues Task Force Issue No. 91-10 as required by generally accepted accounting principles. The Villages is required to make payments to the CDD as lots are sold and to make annual installments on unsold lots. Accordingly, The Villages has recorded indebtedness in the amount of \$10,175,000 related to the issuance of Capital Improvement Revenue Bonds by the CDD on November 17, 1994 (see Notes 4 and 7).

Use of Estimates

Management of the Company has made a number of estimates and assumptions relating to the reporting of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities to prepare these financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Financial Instruments Fair Value

The carrying amounts reported in the accompanying consolidated balance sheets for cash, accounts receivable, restricted funds held by Trustee for capital projects and repayment of debt, notes payable bank and accounts payable approximate fair value due to the short term nature of these financial accounts. The carrying value of variable rate long-term debt approximates fair value due to required repricing. The fair value of fixed rate long-term debt is estimated using discounted cash flows based upon the incremental borrowing rates currently available to the company for loans with similar security, terms and maturities. The fair value of fixed rate long-term debt included in the accompanying consolidated balance sheet is estimated to be approximately equal to its carrying value.

Inventories

Inventories at December 31, 1995 and 1994 consist of the following:

	1995	1994
Developed lots Homes under construction Other	\$13,540,479 6,603,064 1,305,738	5,981,947 7,187,994 1,180,519
	\$21,449,281	14,350,460

The Villages includes developed lots and land actively held for sale as a component of inventory. Land held for future development and sale is excluded from inventory as it will not be available for sale during The Villages' upcoming

2. Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment at December 31, 1995 and 1994 consist of the following:

	1995	1994
Shopping centers and retail facilities (Note 5) Recreational facilities, restaurants and	\$ 5,505,287	5,498,264
common areas (Note 9) Construction and related equipment Sales, administrative and other offices	22,106,438	14,339,072 1,334,184
and equipment	19,371,694	18,955,663
Less accumulated depreciation	48,380,980 (11,644,492)	40,127,183 (10,241,629)
	\$36,736,488	29,885,554

4. Village Community Development District No. 1

During 1992, The Villages, as land owner, formed Village Community Development District No. 1 ("CDD") pursuant to Chapter 190, Florida Statutes. The CDD plans, finances, and constructs the infrastructure improvements, including roads, drainage, and water and sewer facilities necessary for The Villages to construct and sell homes on its Sumter County, Florida property. On June 19, 1992, the CDD sold \$16.4 million of its Capital Improvement Revenue Bonds ("Bonds"). The Villages is required to make payments to the CDD as new homes and the related land are sold within the boundaries of the CDD. The payments to the CDD related to the 1992 Bond issue (\$3,127,000 in 1995 and \$3,702,000 in 1994) are charged to cost of sales when the home and lot are sold. Commencing in 1994, The Villages was required to pay annual assessments for maintenance and debt service, and The Villages paid \$581,045 in 1995 and \$536,508 in 1994 related to the 1992 Bond issue for these assessments on the land it owns within the boundaries of the CDD. These assessment payments are expensed during the year incurred. Indebtedness issued in the CDD's 1992 Bond issue and related infrastructure improvements funded by the CDD are not reflected in the accompanying consolidated balance sheet. The Villages is the owner of all unsold lots within the boundaries of the CDD, and therefore, the CDD is dependent on The Villages for funding for the unsold lots. At December 31, 1995, the balance due on the bonds was approximately \$7,585,000.

On November 17, 1994, the CDD sold \$10,175,000 of its Capital Improvement Revenue Bonds. The Villages has recorded this indebtedness (see Notes 1 and 6) as required by generally accepted accounting principles. Payments made by The Villages to the CDD will be treated as debt payments and interest expense will be recorded on the related indebtedness outstanding.

The CDD received cash of \$9,919,340, which was held by a Trustee, after costs of the offering in the amount of \$255,660. The debt issuance costs are included in other assets in the accompanying consolidated balance sheet and are being amortized as an additional element of interest expense related to the 1994 Bonds. The Villages will increase its land inventory by amounts disbursed by the CDD for improvements related to property owned by The Villages. These inventory costs will be charged to cost of sales as lots are sold. As of December 31, 1995, the CDD had disbursed 1995 bond funds in the amount of \$7,230,170 for improvements which were recorded as an increase in land inventory by The Villages.

The portion of the proceeds from the Capital Improvement Revenue Bonds that has not been disbursed by the Trustee is shown on the accompanying consolidated

4. Village Community Development District No. 1, continued

balance sheet as "Restricted funds held by trustee for capital projects and repayment of debt. The composition of these funds at December 31, 1995 and 1994 is as follows:

	1995	1994
Construction Fund Interest Fund Debt Service Reserve Fund	\$ 1,329,774 7,687 926,500	7,967,336 646,818 1,017,500
	\$ 2,263,961	9,631,654

5. Transactions with Affiliates

The Villages routinely borrows from and advances funds to companies related through common ownership and to certain shareholders. Certain administrative costs are shared by The Villages and its affiliates which are allocated between the companies based on the benefits received.

The Lazy B Cattle Venture, Ltd. ("Lazy B") was formed in 1991 as a retirement program for 17 members of The Villages' management team.

During 1993, The Villages sold property to Lazy B and received a \$350,000 subordinated promissory note which bears interest at Prime +1%. Lazy B obtained bank financing, which is guaranteed by The Villages, and built a fast food restaurant at The Villages.

During 1994, The Villages sold its Winn Dixie and Publix anchored shopping centers to Lazy B. The gross sale price was \$8,413,000 which approximated the net book value of the assets sold. The Villages received cash of \$4,095,000, subordinated promissory notes bearing interest at 8% in the amount of \$1,162,000, and Lazy B assumed The Villages indebtedness in the amount of \$3,156,000. The Villages does not guarantee indebtedness of Lazy B related to these shopping centers.

6. Notes Payable to Banks

At December 31, 1995, The Villages had a \$1,000,000 unsecured bank line of credit bearing interest at Prime (8.75% as of December 31, 1995). The Villages was not indebted under this line of credit at December 31, 1995.

At December 31, 1995, The Villages had an additional \$6,000,000 bank line of credit bearing interest at prime, collateralized by developed lots and undeveloped land within the boundaries of the CDD. The Villages was indebted in the amount of \$2,315,439 under this line of credit at December 31, 1995.

7. Long-Term Debt

Long-term debt at December 31, 1995 and 1994 consist of the following:

Capital Improvement Revenue Bonds issued by Villages Community Development District No. 1; \$5,450,000 bears interest at 6.75% due in varying installments through 2002 and \$3,815,000 bears interest at 8% due in varying installments through 2015.	,265,000 10,175,00	00

7. Long-Term Debt, continued	1995	1394
Unsecured no payable to the president and a former sto older of The Villages, interest payable mon. ly at 6.61%, through 2013. Beginning 2014, monthly payments including		
interest of \$25,152 due through 2023.	2,204,299	2,207,299
Mortgage notes payable to bank, payable in monthly installments of \$6,333 plus interest at prime plus 1% with a balloon payment due in 1999, collateralized by a		
bowling alley.	1,772,240	1,884,417
Mortgage note payable to bank, interest payable monthly at 11% with a balloon payment due in 2006, collateralized by shopping center and		
investment in life insurance contract.	1,724,038	1,724,038
Note payable to bank, payable in monthly installments of \$92,842 (\$72,500 in 1994) plus interest at prime plus 1% maturing in 1998, collateralized by operating assets.	3,200,107	3 419,167
Notes payable to former shareholders, payable in monthly installments of \$19,343 including interest at 10% maturing in 1997 and 2000, collateralized by 22.5 shares of treasury stock.	497,733	670,570
Industrial development revenue bond, payable in monthly installments of \$7,352 plus interest at 5.74%, matures 2005, collateralized by an 18 hole Country Club golf course.	867,728	955,952
Mortgage note payable to bank, payable in monthly installments of \$10,515 plus interest at prime plus 1% maturing in 1998, collateralized by operating assets.	273,390	410,085
Unsecured notes payable to president of the Villages, payable in monthly installments of \$3,455, including interest at 5.9% through		410,003
2003.	261,716	288,932
Mortgage notes payable to bank, payable in monthly installments of \$8,571 plus interest at prime plus 1% maturing in 1999, collateralized by The Villages's hotels.		
	762,790	865,638
Mortgage note payable to bank, interest payable monthly at prime plus 1% with a balloon payment due in January 1997, collateralized by The Villages's model home inventory.		
and the same of th	514,600	440,315
Mortgage note payable to bank in monthly installments of interest only at prime plus 1%, principal payable \$150,000 per calendar quarter, collateralized by developed commercial property.		
	1,970,902	2,570,902

7 Long-Term Debt, continued	1995	1994
Mortgage note payable to bank, payable in monthly instaling s of \$33,333 plus interest at prime plus ht. turing in 2000. Collateralized by the Viringes sales and administration building which was completed in 1995.	3,788,478	2,330,821
Mortgage notes payable to bank, payable in monthly installments of \$6,042 plus interest at prime plus 18 maturing in 2001, collateralized by The Villages's 27 hole Hacienda Hills golf course, and an additional 9 holes under construction at December 31, 1995.	3,465,744	2,260,028
Purchase money mortgages payable in install- ments currently aggregating \$445,000 annually including interest at rates ranging from 5.45% to Prime +1%, collateralized by land held for future development.	2,264,491	2,491,434
Other	92,012	83,490
Total long-term debt	32,925,268	32,778,088
Less current installments	(3,339,000)	(2,925,000)
Long-term debt less current installments	\$29,586,268	29,850,088

Maturities of long-term debt for the years ended December 31, 1996 through 2000 and thereafter are as follows:

1996 1997 1998 1999 2000	\$ 3,339,000 3,921,000 4,045,000 4,566,000 2,263,000		
Thereafter	14,791,268		
	\$32,925,268		

During 1995, The Villages capitalized interest in the amount of \$493,000 related to its construction activities.

The net book value of property, plant and equipment pledged as collateral for long-term debt was \$27,570,000 at December 31, 1995.

8. Leases

The Villages leases its owned shopping center and retail facilities under various non-cancellable operating leases, which expire at various dates through the year 2000. The Villages leases retail space to related parties at rates similar to those charged to non-related parties. At December 31, 1995 and 1994, the gross amount of property, plant and equipment leased under operating lease agreements was as follows:

8. 1	Leases, continued	1995	1994
	Shopping centers and retail facilities Less accumulated depreciation	\$ 2,292,018 (1,130,870)	1,946,678 (868,622)
		\$ 1,161,148	1,078,056

Future minimum lease payments to be received under non-cancellable operating leases for the years ended December 31, 1996 through 2000 and thereafter are as follows:

1996	S	261,000
1997		242,000
1998		207,000
1999		145,000
2000		66,000
Thereafter		-
	\$	921,000
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Rental income for the years ended December 31, 1995 and 1994 amounted to \$223,121 and \$898,730, respectively. During 1994 The Villages sold two of its shopping centers (see Note 5).

9. Commitments and Contingencies

The Villages has entered into a land purchase option to acquire 1,320 acres of land for future development. The payments required to exercise this option for the years ended December 31, 1996 through 2000 and thereafter are as follows:

		Option Amount	Acres to be Acquired
1996	s	350,000	70
1997	1000	350,000	75
1998		350,000	80
1999		350,000	85
2000		350,000	90
Thereafter	2	,800,000	920
	\$4	,550,000	1,320
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The Villages is not required to make scheduled option payments. However, if a scheduled option payment is not made, the option terminates and The Villages forfeits its right to acquire additional property in the future pursuant to the options. During 1995 and 1994, The Villages acquired 65 and 60 acres, respectively, when it exercised its option with a cash payment of \$350,000 each year.

During December 1993, The Villages sold a warehouse to a purchaser who sells building supplies to subcontractors who construct homes at The Villages. The Villages has agreed to repurchase the warehouse at decreasing sales prices over the next ten years should its subcontractors not purchase minimum amounts of building materials from the warehouse owner. The Villages does not believe it will be required to repurchase the warehouse because it requires its subcontractors to purchase building materials from the warehouse owner.

9. Commitments and Contingencies, continued

The Vi ages is contingently liable for bank indebtedness of Lazy B Cattle Venture, . in the amount of \$765,000.

On December 15, 1995, The Villages agreed to sell certain recreation and security facilities and drainage and other common areas, and to assign its right to collect monthly homeowner amenity fees from approximately 5,300 of the approximately 6,700 residences in The Villages to Village Center Community Development District ("Village Center"). Village Center has validated \$25.0 million of its Recreational Revenue Bonds to acquire these assets. The Village Center Recreational Bonds will be payable solely from revenues generated from its recreational activities. Village Center has received a commitment, subject to contingencies, to insure the payment of principal and interest on its tax exempt Recreational Revenue Bonds from a major municipal bond insurance company. There can be no guarantee that the contingencies can be met or that this sale will be consummated. The Villages will record a gain on this sale if it is consummated.

THE VILLAGES TELEPHONE SERVICE

EXHIBIT IV

I. THE VILLAGES TELEPHONE SERVICE

PROPOSED

TARIFF

for

LONG DISTANCE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES

In the state of Florida

This tariff contains the descriptions, regulations, and rates applicable to the furnishing of service and facilities for telecommunications services provided by The Villages Telephone Service within the state of Florida. This tariff is on file with the Florida Public Service Commission and copies may be inspected, during normal business hours, at The Villages Telephone Service's principal place of business.

The Villages Telephone Service operates as a competitive telecommunications company as defined by the Florida Public Service Commission

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III. TARIFF FORMAT

- A. Sheet Numbering Sheet numbers appear in the upper right corner of the page. Sheets are numbered sequentially. However, new sheets are occasionally added to the tariff. When a new sheet is added between sheets already in effect, a decimal is added. For example, a new sheet added between sheets 8 and 9 would be 8.1.
- B. <u>Sheet Revision Numbers</u> Revision numbers also appear in the upper right corner of each page. These numbers are used to determine the most current sheet version on file with the Florida Public Service Commission. For example, the 3rd revised Sheet 8 cancels the 2nd revised Sheet 8.
- C. Paragraph Numbering Sequences there are nine levels of paragraph coding. Each level of coding is subservient to its next higher level;

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- D. The term "Company" used throughout this tariff refers to The Villages Telephone Service.
- E. The term "Customer" used throughout this tariff refers to the customers of Company.

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IV. EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

The following are the only symbols used for the purposes indicated below:

- C To signify changed regulation
- D To signify discontinued rate, regulation or test
- I To signify change resulting in an increase to a customer's bill
- M To signify material relocated from one page to another without change
- N To signify new rate, regulation, or test
- R To signify change resulting in a reduction to a customer's bill
- S To signify reissued material
- T To signify change in text or regulation but no change in rate or charge

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Undertaking of Company

Company's services and facilities are furnished for communications originating and terminating within the state of Florida under the terms of this tariff.

1.2. Limitations

1.2.1. Service is offered subject to the availability of the necessary facilities and equipment, or both facilities and equipment, and subject to the provisions of this tariff. Specifically, until further notice all services offered by this tariff are only available to the businesses and residents which have an NPA of either 904 or 352 and are located in one of the following cities with an associated NXX

Astor-759 Belleview-245, 347 Clermont-242, 394, 978

Eustis-357, 483, 589 Forest-625 Groveland-429 Howey-324

Lady Lake-750, 753, 821 Leesburg-319, 323, 326, 360, 365, 406, 728, 787

Montverde-469 Mt. Dora-383, 735 Ocala-236, 237, 351, 368, 402, 620, 624, 629, 690, 694, 732, 812, 816, 840, 843, 854, 867, 873, 895, 898 Ocklawaha-288

Salt Springs-685 Silver Springs Shores-680, 687 Tavares-343, 742

Umatilla-669 Wildwood-330, 748

- 1.2.2. The Company reserves the right to discontinue or limit service upon written notice when the customer is using the service in violation of provisions of this tariff, or in violation of the law.
- 1.2.3. The services provided under this tariff are directly or indirectly controlled by Company and the customer may not alter or affect the services nor transfer or assign its use of the services without the express written consent of the Company, which consent may be withheld, without limitation, by Company in its sole discretion at any time such alteration, effect, transfer or assignment would result in an interruption of the services or a change in the customer's location to which the services are to be provided.
- 1.2.4. In the event prior written permission from the Company is given for any assignment or transfer, all regulations and conditions contained in this tariff shall apply to all such permitted assignees or transferees.

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V. RULES AND REGULATIONS

1.3. Liabilities of the Company

1.3.1. The Company has no liability for damages arising out of mistakes, interruptions, omissions, delays, errors, or defects in the transmission occurring in the course of furnishing service or facilities. The Company's liability for such damages occurring in the course of furnishing the Company's services but not caused by its gross negligence or willful misconduct or that of its employees or agents, in no event shall exceed an amount equivalent to the proportionate charge to the customer for the period during which such mistakes, interruption, omissions, delays, errors, or defects in the Company's furnishing of its services occur.

1.4. Interruption of Service

- i.4.1. Credit allowance for the interruption of service is subject to the general liability provisic as set forth in Section 1.3.1. herein. The customer shall receive no credit allowance for interruption of service which is due to the Company's testing or adjusting, negligence of the customer, or to the failure of channels or equipment provided by the customer. It shall be the obligation of the customer to notify the Company immediately of any interruption in service for which a credit allowance is claimed. Before giving such notice, the customer shall ascertain that the trouble is not being caused by any action or omission within the customer's control, or is not in wiring or equipment, if any, furnished by the customer in connection with the Company's services.
- 1.4.2. Credit for failure of service shall be allowed only when such failure is caused by or occurs due to causes within the control of the Company.

1.4.3. No credit shall be allowed:

- (A) For failure of services or facilities of customer or other carriers; or
- (B) For failure of services or equipment caused by the negligence or willful acts of customer or others.

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1.4. Interruption of Service (con't.)

- 1.4.4. Credit for an interruption shall commence after customer notifies the Company of the interruption or when the Company becomes aware thereof, and ceases when service has been restored. For purposes of credit computation, every month shall be considered to have 720 hours. No credit shall be allowed for an interruption of a continuous duration of less than two hours.
- 1.4.5. The customer shall be credited for an interruption of two hours or more at the rate of 1/720th of the monthly charge for the service affected for each hour or major fraction thereof over the first two hours that the interruption continues.

1.5. Obligations of the Customer

- 1.5.1. The customer is obligated to place an order for origination, termination, and/or changes to Company service or facilities; pay all charges for service or facilities rendered by Company; and to comply with all Company's regulations governing the provision of service or facilities. The customer is also responsible for assuring that its authorized users comply with the regulations of Company, as specified in this tariff.
- 1.5.2. When placing an order for service or facilities, the customer must provide:
 - (A) Name(s) and address(es), of the person(s) liable for the payment of service charges. In the case of a corporation or partnership, a designated individual shall be named responsible for such bill responsibility.
 - (B) Name(s), address(es), and telephone number of person(s) to whom notices shall be addressed by Company.
 - (C) Location(s) at which facilities and services are to be provided.
- 1.5.3. The customer shall reimburse Company for the replacement or repair of Company's equipment when the damage results from:
 - (A) Negligence or willful act of the customer's employees, agents, or contractors, or authorized users.

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1.5.3. (con't.)

(B) Loss through theft, fire, flood, cable cuts, or other catastrophes to Company provided equipment or facilities located on the customer's premises.

1.6. Availability of Service / Facilities for Maintenance, Testing and Adjustment

1.6.1. Upon reasonable notice, Company reserves the right of entrance for its employees, agents, or contractors to the premises of the customer for the purpose of installing, inspecting, repairing, or general maintenance of the service or facilities of Company. It is the responsibility of the customer to make necessary arrangements for entrance of Company's employees, agents, or contractors. No interruption allowance will be granted for the time during which such tests and adjustments are made.

1.7. Payment and Billing

- 1.7.1. The customer is responsible for payment of all regulated charges for service furnished.
 - (A) Service is provided and billed in arrears on a monthly (30 days) basis for measured services and billed in advance for privateline non switched services.
 - (B) the bills for services rendered or to be rendered in the case of privateline nonswitched services are due upon receipt and considered delinquent 10 days from the date of the invoice.
 - (C) the Company may require a deposit if the customer is unable to establish a good credit rating, or if the customer has undisputed charges in two (2) out of the last twelve (12) billing periods which have become delinquent. The deposit shall not exceed estimated charges for two months service based on the average bill during the preceding twelve months or in the case of new applicants, two months average monthly bill for all customers within a customer class. The deposit shall bear interest at a rate of 9% simple

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1.7. Payment and Billing (con't.)

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- (c) interest per annum, and will be returned upon satisfactory payment of all undisputed charges during the last 12 billing periods, or discontinuance of service.
- (D) At the time an application for service is made, an applicant may be required to pay an amount equal to at least one month's service and/or service connection charges, which may be applicable to the customer's account on the first bill rendered.

1.8. Discontinuance of Service

- 1.8.1. The Company may discontinue the service under the following circumstances, provided suitable notice has been given to the customer, as required;
 - (A) Non-payment of any sum due to the Company for service for more than fifteen (15) days beyond the bill date for such service;
 - (B) A violation of or failure to comply with any regulation governing the furnishing of service; or
 - (C) An order of a court or other government authority having jurisdiction which prohibits the Company from furnishing service; or
 - (D) Failure to post a required deposit; or
 - (E) Material misrepresentation of identity in obtaining service or the use of service in a manner that in the opinion of the Company constitutes fraud or abuse.
- 1.8.2. Service shall not be disconnected unless written notice by first class mail is sent or delivered to the customer at least 5 days prior to the date of the proposed discontinuance. At least 24 hours preceding discontinuance, a reasonable effort shall be made to contact the customer to advise him of the proposed discontinuance and what steps must be taken to avoid it.

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1.9. Measurement of Distance

- 1.9.1. The distance between the Company's switch and destination point is calculated using the "V" and "H" coordinates in the following manner:
 - (A) Obtain the "V" and "H" coordinates for each called from number utilizing equal access or phone number on customer's master file using authorization codes and the destination point.
 - (B) Obtain the difference between the "V" coordinates for each of the areas. Obtain the difference between the "H" coordinates.
 - (C) Square each difference obtained in Step B.
 - (D) Divide the sum of the squares obtained in Step C by ten (10) Round to the next higher whole number, if any fraction is obtained.
 - (E) Obtain the square root of the whole number obtained in Step D. Round to the next higher whole number, if any fraction is obtained. This is the distance between the areas

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DEFINITIONS

2.1. Definitions

Access Line - An arrangement which connects the customer's location to a Company switching center or point of presence.

Authorized User - A customer, or a person designated by a customer to use or communicate over such services or facilities as may be provided by this tariff.

Company - The Villages Telephone Service

Commission - The Florida Public Service Commission.

Customer - any individual, corporation, partnership or other entity which utilizes the services provided by the Company on a subscription basis.

Dedicated - A nonswitched privateline circuit type of access where the customer accesses the Company network to receive (1+) and (800) services at a lower rate than Switched services.

Day - From 8:00 AM up to but not including 5:00 PM local time Monday through Friday.

Evening - From 5:00 PM up to but not including 11:00 PM local time Monday through Friday.

Night - From 11:00 PM up to but not including 8:00 AM local time Monday through Friday.

Weekend - From 8:00 AM up to but not including 8:00 AM local time Saturday through Monday.

Holidays - The company observes the following holidays: New Year's Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day.

DEFINITIONS

2.1. Definitions (cont'd)

Individual Case Basis - The term Individual Case Basis (ICB) denotes a condition in which the regulations, if applicable, rates and charges for an offering under the provisions of this tariff are developed based on the circumstances, including costs to provide service, in each case.

LEC - Local Exchange Company

VCC - Villages Calling Card

VDC - Villages Debit Card

VOS - Villages Outbound Service, (1+) direct long distance service

VIS - Villages Inbound Service, (800/888) direct long distance service

Switched - Where originating and terminating access between the Customer and Company is provided on local exchange company Feature Group circuits.

Monthly Charge - Is the fixed monthly charge for non-switched privateline services plus any associated usage sensitive services.

Monthly Service Charge - Is the fixed monthly fees charged to Customers of the Company to cover the billing and administrative expenses of the Company.

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DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES AND RATES

3.1. Villages Outbound Service (VOS)

3.1.1 Company's VOS is a Switched and Dedicated 1+ long distance service and is flat rated for all time periods. Usage is billed in six (6) second increments with a thirty (30) second minimum. The cost per minute is as follows:

Dedicated

\$00,1000 per minute

Switched

\$00,1800 per minute

3.2. Villages Inbound 800/888 Service (VIS)

3.3.1. Company's VIS service is a switched and Dedicated Inbound long distance service and is flat rated for all time periods. Usage is billed in six (6) second increments with a thirty (30) second minimum. The cost per minute is as follows:

Dedicated

\$00.1000 per minute

Switched

\$00.1800 per minute

3.3. Dedicated Interexchange Digital Private Line Service

3.3.1. Transmission facilities between Company service points which when connected with dedicated access to customer locations, allows for communications between locations of the customer, or his authorized user. These combined facilities are utilized on a dedicated (non-switched) basis between two or more customer locations, as specified by the customer.

3.4. Villages Calling Card (VCC)

3.4.1. Company's VCC service is a flat rated switched product that allows the Customer to utilize VTS long distance service when they are unable to use VOS. Usage is billed in full minute increments.

Switched

\$00.2500 per minute

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3.5. Villages Debit Card (VDC)

3.5.1. Company's VDC service is a flat rated switched product that allows the customer to utilize VTS long distance service when they are unable to use VOS. Usage is paid for by Customer in advance and billed in full minute increments.

Switched

\$00.2500 per minute

3.6. COMPANY Dedicated Interexchange Digital Private Line Service (cont'd)

3.6.2. (A) Voice Grade Facility

Two point effective two-four wire voice grade analog or 64 Kbps digital interface (digitalized voice or otherwise compatible 64 Kbps bit stream facility)

Rate \$ ICB

3.6.3. (B) DS1/1.544 Mbps Facility

Two point digital interface operating at 1.544 Mbps, which may be furnished on either a channelized or non-channelized basis

Rate \$ ICB

3.6.4. Rates for services offered on an individual case basis (IBC) will be structured to recover the Company's cost of providing the services. Terms of specific ICB contracts will be made available to the commission upon request on a proprietary basis.

SPECIAL PROMOTIONS

4.1. Special Promotions

4.1.1. Company may from time to time engage in special promotional service offerings designed to attract new customers or to increase existing customers awareness of a particular tariff offering. These promotions will be subject to prior notification and approval by the Florida Public Service Commission.

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