

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for review of
proposed numbering plan relief
for the 941 area code.

DOCKET NO. 000604-TL
ORDER NO. PSC-01-0285-PCO-TL
ISSUED: February 5, 2001

ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION

By Petition, the City of Punta Gorda, (Punta Gorda) a municipal corporation located in Charlotte County, Florida, has requested permission to intervene in this proceeding. Punta Gorda states that it is located within the 941 area code. Being so located, citizens of Punta Gorda, commercial businesses, schools, hospitals, and government offices will be directly impacted by a change in the area code. Accordingly, its interests will be affected by any action by the Commission in this docket.

Having reviewed the Petition, it appears that Punta Gorda's substantial interests may be affected by this proceeding because it is charged with protecting the health, safety and welfare of it's citizens in the 941 area code. Therefore, the Petition shall be granted. Pursuant to Rule 25-22.039, Florida Administrative Code, Punta Gorda takes the case as it finds it.

Therefore, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the Petition for Leave to Intervene filed by the City of Punta Gorda, be and the same is hereby granted. It is further

ORDERED that all parties to this proceeding shall furnish copies of all testimony, exhibits, pleadings and other documents which may hereinafter be filed in this proceeding, to:

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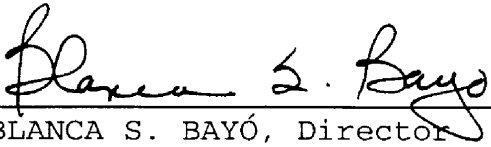
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By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this 5th Day
of February, 2001.



BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director
Division of Records and Reporting

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Mediation may be available on a case-by-case basis. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to a hearing.

Any party- adversely affected by this order, which is preliminary, procedural or intermediate in nature, may request: (1) reconsideration within 10 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.0376, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by a Prehearing Officer; (2) reconsideration within 15 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by the Commission; or (3) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court, in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility, or the First District Court of Appeal, in

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the case of a water or wastewater utility. A motion for reconsideration shall be filed with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code. Judicial review of a preliminary, procedural or intermediate ruling or order is available if review of the final action will not provide an adequate remedy. Such review may be requested from the appropriate court, as described above, pursuant to Rule 9.100, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.