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December 4, 2003

Mr. Troy Rendell Division of Economic Regulation Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850 COMMISSION

Re: Service Management Systems, Inc.; PSC Docket No. 021228-WS Application for Staff Assisted Water and Sewer Rate Increase in Brevard County <u>Our</u> <u>File No. 36082.02</u>

Dear Mr. Rendell:

In accordance with your instructions concerning the preparation of the customer notice and tariffs for implementation of the decision on the Service Management Systems Staff Assisted Rate Case. I am attaching hereto the notice as you have drafted it, but condensed down to fit on two pages. Please review this customer notice and let me know if you have any other questions or changes. We would like to prepare to distribute that immediately upon the Order becoming final, in approximately ten days from today's date.

I am also attaching two originals of each tariff sheet that have been prepared in accordance with your instructions in order to implement the rate changes authorized in the Commission's Order. Please let me know if you have any questions or changes to those and I will make them immediately. As soon as the Order becomes final, please return a stamped original of these tariff sheets to me and I will forward them on to the Utility.

If you need anything further to allow implementation of the PAA Order after it becomes final on December 15, 2003, please let me know.

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#### N O T I C E TO CUSTOMERS OF SERVICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, INC. AND ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

December \_\_\_\_\_, 2003

DOCKET NO: 021228-WS ORDER NO: PSC-03-1342-PAA-WS ISSUED: November 24, 2003

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Notice is hereby given that the Florida Public Service Commission approved an increase in water and wastewater rates and charges for Service Managemen
Systems, Inc. (SMS or utility) by the above referenced order. A schedule of Commission approved rates are as follows:
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Monthly Rates - Water			
Residential, Multi-Residential, and General Service			
<u>1</u>	Base Facility Charge Commission Approved Rates		
	Meter Sizes	Existing Rates	
	5/8" x 3/4"	\$16.88	\$16.88
	3/4"	\$25.31	\$25.32
	1"	\$42.21	\$42.20
	1 1/2"	\$84.41	\$84.40
	2"	\$135.05	\$135.04
	3"	\$270.09	\$270.08
	4"	\$422.02	\$422.00
	6"	\$844.04	\$844.00
<u>(</u>	Gallonage Charge (Per 1,000 Gallons)	\$5.24	\$6.13
		Monthly Rates - Non-Potable Water	
		Residential and General Service	
		Existing Rate	Commission Approved Rate
<u>Gallonage Charg</u> (Per 1,000 Gallor	ns)	\$0.56	\$0.69
		Monthly Rates - Wastewater	
		RESIDENTIAL	
1	Base Facility Charge	Existing Rates	Commission Approved Rates
	Meter Size:		
-	All Meter Sizes	\$14.87	\$20.02
<u>9</u>	Gallonage Charge		
1	Per 1,000 Gallons	\$4.62	\$4.34
(	(6,000 gallon cap)		
		<u>Monthly Rates - Wastewater</u> <u>RESIDENTIAL WASTEWATER ONLY</u>	
,	Flat Rate	Existing Rate	Commission Approved Rates
	All Meter Sizes	\$37.06	\$31.39
		Monthly Rates - Wastewater	
		GENERAL SERVICE	
		Existing Rates	Commission Approved Rates
]	<u>Base Facility Charge</u> <u>Meter Sizes</u>		
	$\frac{1012128}{5/8" \times 3/4"}$	\$14.87	\$20.02
	3/4"	\$22.30	\$30.02
	1"	\$37.17	\$50.04
	1 1/2"	\$74.33	\$100.08
	2"	\$118.95	\$160.13
	3"	\$237.88	\$320.25
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	4" 6"	\$371.68 \$743.38	\$500.39 \$1,000.79
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Per 1,000 Gallons

\$4.62

\$5.21

The rates shall be effective for service rendered as of the Commission's stamped approval date on the tariff sheets provided the customers have received notice.

If the effective date of the new rates falls within a regular billing cycle, the initial bills at the new rate may be prorated. The old charge shall be prorated based on the number of days in the billing cycle before the effective date of the new rates. The new charge shall be prorated based on the number of days in the effective date of the new rates. A schedule of Commission approved rates are as follows:

	Water	
System Capacity Charge	Existing Charge	Commission Approved Charge
Water	\$75.00	N/A
Main Extension Charge		
Residential-Per ERC (350 GPD)	N/A	\$500.00
Non-potable	\$50.00	N/A
All Others-Per Gallon	N/A	\$1.43
Plant Capacity Charge		
Residential-Per ERC (350 GPD)	\$835.00	\$780.00
Non-potable	\$250.00	N/A
All Others-Per Gallon	N/A	\$2.23

Wastewater Commission Approved Existing Charge Charge System Capacity Charge \$365.00 N/A Wastewater Main Extension Charge \$635.00 N/A Residential-Per ERC (280 GPD) N/A \$2.27 All Others-Per Gallon Plant Capacity Charge \$0.00 \$560.00 Residential-Per ERC (280 GPD) \$0.00 N/A All Others-Per Gallon

<u>Water</u>

Residential and General Service Customer Deposit

<u>Meter Size</u>	Existing Deposit	<u>Commission</u> <u>Approved Deposit</u>
5/8" x 3/4"	N/A	\$68.00
All over 5/8" x 3/4"	N/A	2 x Average Bill

#### Wastewater

# Residential and General Service Customer Deposit

<u>Meter Size</u>	Existing Deposit	<u>Commission</u> <u>Approved Deposit</u>
5/8" x 3/4"	N/A	\$62.00
All over 5/8" x 3/4"	N/A	2 X Average Bill

The customer deposit and service availability charges shall be effective for connections made on or after the Commission's stamped approv: date on the tariff sheets provided customers have received notice. If you have any questions about your bill, please call the utility at \_\_\_\_\_\_.

# FIRST REVISED SHEET NO. 11.0 CANCELS ORIGINAL SHEET NO. 11.0

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# NAME OF COMPANY <u>SERVICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, INC.</u>

# WATER TARIFF

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# FIRST REVISED SHEET NO. 12.0 CANCELS ORIGINAL SHEET NO. 12.0

### NAME OF COMPANY SERVICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, INC.

### WATER TARIFF

RATE -

### RESIDENTIAL, MULTI-RESIDENTIAL, GENERAL SERVICE

#### RATE SCHEDULE

- AVAILABILITY Available throughout the area served by the Company.
- <u>APPLICABILITY</u> For water service to all Customers for which no other schedule applies.
- <u>LIMITATIONS</u> Subject to all of the Rules and Regulations of this tariff and General Rules and Regulations of the Commission.
- BILLING PERIOD Monthly

Meter Size 5/8" x 3/4 \$16.88 3/4" \$25.32 1" \$42.20 \$84.40 1 1/2" 2" \$135.04 3" \$270.08 \$422.00 4" 6" \$844.00 Gallonage Charge \$6.13 per 1,000 gallons

MINIMUM CHARGE - Base Facility Charge

<u>TERMS OF PAYMENT</u>-Bills are due and payable when rendered. In accordance with Rule 25-30.320, Florida Administrative Code, if a Customer is delinquent in paying the bill for water service, service may then be discontinued.

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WATER TARIFF

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# IRRIGATION SERVICE

#### RATE SCHEDULE IS

AVAILABILITY - Available throughout the area served by the Company.

<u>APPLICABILITY</u> - For non-potable water service for irrigation.

<u>LIMITATIONS</u> - Subject to all of the Rules and Regulations of this Tariff and General Rules and Regulations of the Commission.

BILLING PERIOD - Monthly

RATE -

All meter sizes

\$ 0.69 per 1,000 gallons

MINIMUM CHARGE - Not Applicable

<u>TERMS OF PAYMENT</u>-Bills are due and payable when rendered. In accordance with Rule 25-30.320, Florida Administrative Code, if a Customer is delinquent in paying the bill for water service, service may then be discontinued.

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# FIRST REVISED SHEET NO. 14.0 CANCELS ORIGINAL SHEET NO. 14.0

### NAME OF COMPANY \_ SERVICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, INC.

WATER TARIFF

### CUSTOMER DEPOSITS

<u>ESTABLISHMENT OF CREDIT</u> - Before rendering water service, the Company may require an Applicant for service to satisfactorily establish credit, but such establishment of credit shall not relieve the Customer from complying with the Company's rules for prompt payment. Credit will be deemed so established if the Customer complies with the requirements of Rule 25-30.311, Florida Administrative Code.

AMOUNT OF DEPOSIT - The amount of initial deposit shall be the following according to meter size:

	Residential	General Service
5/8" x 3/4"	\$68.00	\$68.00
All Over 5/8" x 3/4"	2 x Avg. Bill	2 x Avg. Bill

<u>ADDITIONAL DEPOSIT</u> - Under Rule 25-30.311(7), Florida Administrative Code, the Company may require a new deposit, where previously waived or returned, or an additional deposit in order to secure payment of current bills provided.

<u>INTEREST ON DEPOSIT</u> - The Company shall pay interest on Customer deposits pursuant to Rules 25-30.311(4) and (4a). The Company will pay or credit accrued interest to the Customers account during the month of <u>JANUARY</u> each year.

<u>REFUND OF DEPOSIT</u> - After a residential Customer has established a satisfactory payment record and has had continuous service for a period of 23 months, the Company shall refund the Customer's deposit provided the Customer has met the requirements of Rule 25-30.311(5), Florida Administrative Code. The Company may hold the deposit of a non-residential Customer after a continuous service period of 23 months and shall pay interest on the non-residential Customer's deposit pursuant to Rules 25-30.311(4) and (5), Florida Administrative Code.

Nothing in this rule shall prohibit the Company from refunding a Customer's deposit in less than 23 months.

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# NAME OF COMPANY <u>SERVICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, INC.</u> WATER TARIFF

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#### SERVICE AVAILABILITY FEES AND CHARGES

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	Refer to Service Availability Policy
Description	Amount Sheet No./Rule
Back-Flow Preventor Installation Fee	•
5/8" x 3/4"	\$
1"	\$ \$
1 1/2"	
2"	\$
Over 2"	\$ Actual Cost <sup>1</sup>
Customer Connection (Tap-in) Charge	
5/8" x 3/4" metered service	\$ \$
1" metered service	\$
1 1/2" metered service	\$
2" metered service	\$
Over 2" metered service	\$ Actual Cost <sup>1</sup>
Guaranteed Revenue Charge	
With Prepayment of Service Availability Charges:	
Residential-per ERC/month (GPD)	\$
All others-per gallon/month	\$
Without Prepayment of Service Availability Charges:	
Residential-per ERC/month (GPD)	\$
All others-per gallon/month	\$
Inspection Fee	\$ Actual Cost <sup>1</sup>
Main Extension Charge	
Residential-per ERC ( <u>350</u> GPD)	\$ 500.00
All others-per gallon	\$ 1.43
or	
Residential-per lot (foot frontage)	\$
All others-per front foot	\$
Meter Installation Fee	
5/8" x 3/4"	\$ 150.00
1"	\$ Actual Cost <sup>1</sup>
1 1/2"	\$ Actual Cost <sup>1</sup>
2"	\$ Actual Cost <sup>1</sup>
Over 2"	\$ Actual Cost <sup>1</sup>
Plan Review Charge	\$ Actual Cost <sup>1</sup>
Plant Capacity Charge	
Residential-per ERC ( <u>350</u> GPD)	\$ 780.00
All others-per gallon	\$ 2.23
System Capacity Charge	
Residential-per ERC (GPD)	\$
All others-per gallon	\$
<sup>1</sup> Actual Cost is equal to the total cost incurred for services rendered.	

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# FIRST REVISED SHEET NO. 24.0 CANCELS ORIGINAL SHEET NO. 24.0

### NAME OF COMPANY SERVICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, INC.

#### WATER TARIFF

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#### SERVICE AVAILABILITY POLICY

There shall be a main extension charge of \$500.00 per ERC (350 gallons per day) and a plant capacity charge of \$780.00 per ERC for water. These charges shall apply only to new Customers who connect to the system. Customers who are currently connected to the system are not subject to these charges.

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# FIRST REVISED SHEET NO. 12.0 CANCELS ORIGINAL SHEET NO. 12.0

# NAME OF COMPANY \_\_\_\_\_\_ SERVICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, INC.\_\_\_\_

#### WASTEWATER TARIFF

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#### GENERAL SERVICE

#### RATE SCHEDULE GS

- <u>AVAILABILITY</u> Available throughout the area served by the Company.
- <u>APPLICABILITY</u> For wastewater service to all Customers for which no other schedule applies.
- <u>LIMITATIONS</u> Subject to all of the Rules and Regulations of this tariff and General Rules and Regulations of the Commission.
- BILLING PERIOD Monthly

<u>RATE</u> -	Meter Size	Base Facility Charge
	5/8" x 3/4"	\$20.02
	3/4"	\$30.02
	1"	\$50.04
	1 1⁄2"	\$100.08
	2"	\$160.13
	3"	\$320.25
	4"	\$500.39
	6"	\$1,000.79
	Gallonage Charge	
	per 1,000 gallons	\$5.21

MINIMUM CHARGE - Base Facility Charge

<u>TERMS OF PAYMENT</u>-Bills are due and payable when rendered. In accordance with Rule 25-30.320, Florida Administrative Code, if a Customer is delinquent in paying the bill for wastewater service, service may then be discontinued.

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# NAME OF COMPANY SERVICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, INC.

#### WASTEWATER TARIFF

# RESIDENTIAL AND MULTI-RESIDENTIAL SERVICE

#### RATE SCHEDULE RS & MS

AVAILABILITY - Available throughout the area served by the Company.

<u>APPLICABILITY</u> - For wastewater service for all purposes in private residences and individually metered apartment units.

LIMITATIONS - Subject to all of the Rules and Regulations of this Tariff and General Rules and Regulations of the Commission.

BILLING PERIOD - Monthly

RATE -

 Base Facility Charge

 All Meter Sizes
 \$20.02

Gallonage Charge

per 1,000 gallons (10,000 gallon maximum) \$4.34

- MINIMUM CHARGE Base Facility Charge
- <u>TERMS OF PAYMENT</u>-Bills are due and payable when rendered. In accordance with Rule 25-30.320, Florida Administrative Code, if a Customer is delinquent in paying the bill for wastewater service, service may then be discontinued.

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# NAME OF COMPANY SERVICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, INC.

# WASTEWATER TARIFF

# RESIDENTIAL WASTEWATER ONLY SERVICE

#### RATE SCHEDULE RWO

- <u>AVAILABILITY</u> Available throughout the area served by the Company.
- APPLICABILITY For residential wastewater service only.
- <u>LIMITATIONS</u> Subject to all of the Rules and Regulations of this Tariff and General Rules and Regulations of the Commission.
- BILLING PERIOD Monthly
- RATE Flat Rate
  - \$ 31.39

#### MINIMUM CHARGE - \$31.39

<u>TERMS OF PAYMENT</u>-Bills are due and payable when rendered. In accordance with Rule 25-30.320, Florida Administrative Code, if a Customer is delinquent in paying the bill for wastewater service, service may then be discontinued.

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#### NAME OF COMPANY SERVICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, INC.

WASTEWATER TARIFF

#### CUSTOMER DEPOSITS

<u>ESTABLISHMENT OF CREDIT</u> - Before rendering wastewater service, the Company may require an Applicant for service to satisfactorily establish credit, but such establishment of credit shall not relieve the Customer from complying with the Company's rules for prompt payment. Credit will be deemed so established if the Customer complies with the requirements of Rule 25-30.311, Florida Administrative Code.

AMOUNT OF DEPOSIT - The amount of initial deposit shall be the following according to meter size:

	<b>Residential</b>	General Service
5/8" x 3/4"	\$62.00	\$62.00
All Over 5/8" x 3/4"	2 x Avg. Bill	2 x Avg. Bill

<u>ADDITIONAL DEPOSIT</u> - Under Rule 25-30.311(7), Florida Administrative Code, the Company may require a new deposit, where previously waived or returned, or an additional deposit in order to secure payment of current bills provided.

<u>INTEREST ON DEPOSIT</u> - The Company shall pay interest on Customer deposits pursuant to Rule 25-30.311(4) and (4a). The Company will pay or credit accrued interest to the Customers account during the month of JANUARY each year.

<u>REFUND OF DEPOSIT</u> - After a residential Customer has established a satisfactory payment record and has had continuous service for a period of 23 months, the Company shall refund the Customer's deposit provided the Customer has met the requirements of Rule 25-30.311(5), Florida Administrative Code. The Company may hold the deposit of a non-residential Customer after a continuous service period of 23 months and shall pay interest on the non-residential Customer's deposit pursuant to Rule 25-30.311(4) and (5), Florida Administrative Code.

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### WASTEWATER TARIFF

# SERVICE AVAILABILITY FEES AND CHARGES

_	REFER TO SERVICE AVAILABILITY
POLICY DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT SHEET NO./RULE NO.
Customer Connection (Tap-in) Charge         5/8" x 3/4"       metered service         1"       metered service         1 1/2"       metered service         2"       metered service         Over 2"       metered service	\$ \$ \$ \$ Actual Cost <sup>1</sup>
Guaranteed Revenue Charge         With Prepayment of Service Availability Charges:         Residential-per ERC/month ()GPD         All others-per gallon/month         Without Prepayment of Service Availability Charges:         Residential-per ERC/month ()GPD         All others-per gallon/month         All others-per gallon/month	\$
Inspection Fee	\$ Actual Cost <sup>1</sup>
Main Extension Charge         Residential-per ERC (280GPD)         All others-per gallon         or         Residential-per lot (foot frontage)         All others-per front foot	\$ 2.27 \$
Plan Review Charge	\$ Actual Cost <sup>1</sup>
Plant Capacity Charge Residential-per ERC (GPD)	\$ \$
System Capacity Charge Residential-per ERC (GPD)	

<sup>1</sup>Actual Cost is equal to the total cost incurred for services rendered.

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# NAME OF COMPANY \_ SERVICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, INC.

#### WASTEWATER TARIFF

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# SERVICE AVAILABILITY POLICY

There shall be a main extension charge of \$635.00 per ERC (280 gallons per day) for wastewater. These charges shall apply only to new Customers who connect to the system. Customers who are currently connected to the system are not subject to these charges.

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