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June 24, 2004

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Re:

Docket No. 031087-WU - Application for certificate to provide water service in Polk County by The Colinas Group, Inc., receivers for Lazy S Utility Co.

Dear Ms. Snyder:

Thank you for your letter dated May 24, 2004, regarding the application filed in the above-referenced docket. In your letter, you indicated that you object to the proposal because it is unfair to charge a flat rate for water usage when the size of families and amount of water usage varies.

The Commission needs to know your intent regarding your objection to this application. If you choose to pursue the objection, you may request a formal hearing, which will be scheduled and at which you will be required to provide testimony and other evidence to support your protest. Although the Commission allows individuals to represent themselves at hearing, you may wish to hire an attorney to represent you.

CMP _ COM _ CTR _ ECR _	Please advise this Commission by <u>July 30, 2004</u> , if you intend to pursue your objection and wish to request a formal hearing. Your request should be made in writing and should be addressed to Blanca Bayó, Director, Division of Commission Clerk and Administrative Service Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399 0850. If we do not hear from you by July 30, 2004, we will assume that you do not wish pursue a formal hearing and your letter will be placed on the correspondence side of the docking in this case for informational purposes.	es, 9-
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If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (850) 413-6224.

Sincerely,

Rosanne Gervasi Senior Attorney

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cc: Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Charles S. Freed, P.E.

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