

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT OF PROCEEDING FOR DETERMINATION  
OF NEED FOR PROPOSED ELECTRICAL POWER PLANT**

TO

FLORIDA MUNICIPAL POWER AGENCY  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS  
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

AND

ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

DOCKET NO. 050256-EM

PETITION OF FLORIDA MUNICIPAL POWER AGENCY FOR DETERMINATION OF  
NEED FOR PROPOSED TREASURE COAST ENERGY CENTER UNIT 1

ISSUED: April 22, 2005

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Rule 25-22.080(3), Florida Administrative Code, that the Florida Public Service Commission has received the petition of the Florida Municipal Power Agency for a determination of need for an electrical power plant. The proposed electrical power plant is a 300 megawatt (MW) natural gas-fired, combined cycle unit to be located at the Treasure Coast Energy Center, a new site to be constructed in St. Lucie County, Florida. The petitioner proposes to place the unit in commercial service by the Summer of 2008. This matter has been assigned Commission Docket No. 050256-EM.

Copies of the petition and supporting documentation are available for public inspection during normal business hours at the following location:

Florida Public Service Commission  
Division of Commission Clerk and Administrative Services  
Room 110, Betty Easley Conference Center  
4075 Esplanade Way  
Tallahassee, Florida

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The final hearing in this docket has been scheduled for July 8, 2005.

By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission this 22nd day of April, 2005.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director  
Division of the Commission Clerk  
and Administrative Services

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