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September 19, 2006

STAFF'S THIRD DATA REQUEST

Martin S. Friedman, Esquire  
Rose, Sundstrom & Bentley, LLP  
2180 West State Road 434  
Sanlando Center, Suite 2118  
Longwood, FL 32779

Re: Docket No. 060260-WS - Application for increase in water and wastewater rates in Highlands County by Lake Placid Utilities, Inc.

Dear Mr. Friedman:

Staff requests the following information to complete our review of the application.

- (1) On MFR Schedule E-4, Lake Placid reflected its current miscellaneous service charges. Further, the utility proposed after hours charges of \$22.50 for initial connection, normal reconnection, and violation reconnection, and \$15.00 for Premises visit. It is the Commission's practice to approve miscellaneous service charges (including initial connection, normal and violation reconnection and premises visit charges) for a water and/or wastewater utility as long as the amounts and conditions are the same as recent Commission decisions. By Order No. PSC-06-0684-PAA- WS, issued August 8, 2006, in Docket No. 050587-WS, In re: Application for staff-assisted rate case in Charlotte County by MSM Utilities, LLC., the Commission found that MSM Utilities, LLC (MSM) shall be allowed to increase its water and wastewater miscellaneous service charges as follows:

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Water Miscellaneous Service Charges

	<u>Commission Approved</u>	
	<u>Normal Hrs</u>	<u>After Hrs</u>
Initial Connection	\$20	N/A
Normal Reconnection	\$20	\$40
Violation Reconnection	\$20	\$40
Premises Visit	\$20	\$40

Wastewater Miscellaneous Service Charges

	<u>Commission Approved</u>	
	<u>Normal Hrs</u>	<u>After Hrs</u>
Initial Connection	\$20	N/A
Normal Reconnection	\$20	\$40
Violation Reconnection	Actual Cost	Actual Cost
Premises Visit	\$20	\$40

- (a) In an effort to set reasonable charges to make the cost causer pay for the above services, please state whether the utility agrees that it would be more appropriate for Lake Placid to establish the charges as approved for MSM above, instead of the utility's proposed charges on MFR Schedule E-4.
- (b) If the utility's response to Question (1)(a) above is in agreement with any of the above charges approved for MSM, please state the charge(s) that the utility is in agreement with.
- (c) Please provide the following: (1) a breakdown of the number of initial connections, normal reconnections, and premises visits during normal hours for the 2005 test year; and (2) a breakdown of the number of normal reconnections and premises visits for the 2005 test year during after hours.
- (2) Please provide, on a CD in a format compatible with Excel for Windows, copies of all electronic schedules, tables, workpapers, models, projections and forecasts created in the process of filing all E and F schedules contained in the MFRs in the current rate increase request. For each electronic schedule, table, workpaper, model, projection or forecast provided in this response, please provide its file name, a description of the purpose and/or contents of the file, and the Schedule (or table number, if applicable) that the file corresponds to in the MFRs. In the event of any subsequent revisions to any E or F schedules, please provide an updated CD, in a format compatible with Excel for Windows, which contains all of the above-requested information for each revised or updated schedule.

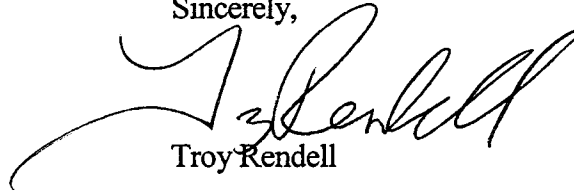
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Please submit the above information to the Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services by October 19, 2006. If you have any questions, please contact me at (850) 413-6934.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T. Rendell", with a large, sweeping flourish extending from the end of the signature.

Troy Rendell

TR:tj

cc: Division of Economic Regulation (Joyce, Daniel, Reiger, Bruce, Lingo)  
Office of the General Counsel (Fleming)  
Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services  
Office of Public Counsel