## **MEMORANDUM**

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TO:

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FROM:

CAROLINE KLANCKE, SENIOR ATTORNEY

RE:

DOCKET NOS. 090445-WS & 090459-WS

Please place the attached letter in the pleadings side of the above-referenced dockets. Thank you.

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

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July 14, 2011

Ms. Patti Daniel, Public Utilities Supervisor Bureau of Certification, Economics and Tariffs Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re:

Application for original certificates for proposed water and wastewater systems in Indian River, Okeechobee, and St. Lucie Counties by Grove Land Utilities, LLC; PSC Docket No. 090445-WS
Our File No. 44072.01

Application for original certificates for proposed water and wastewater system and request for initial rates and charges in Martin and St. Lucie Counties by Bluefield Utilities, LLC; PSC Docket No. 090459-WS

Our File No. 44073.01

Dear Ms. Daniel:

The Department of Community Affairs' letters of January 7, 2010, to you, expressed comprehensive planning concerns on the above applications. The Department of Community Affairs has determined that we no longer have any objections to the applications for certification of the proposed utilities, given the new, more focused role of the Department as established in HB 7207(2011), which also provides local governments with the primary role to comment on consistency of proposed utilities with their comprehensive plans.

If you should have any questions, please call me at 850-922-1751.

Sincerely.

J. Thomas Beck, AICP

Director, Division of Community Planning

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cc: Mr. William D. Royce, Director, Okeechobee County Planning Department
Mr. Peter Jones, AIA, Planning Manager, St. Lucie County Growth Management
Ms. Nicki Van Vonno, AICP, Director, Growth Management, Martin County
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