BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In Re: Conservation Cost Recovery Clause DOCKET NO. 130004-GU FILED: October 9, 2013

PREHEARING STATEMENT OF THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC COUNSEL

The Citizens of the State of Florida, through the Office of Public Counsel, pursuant to the Order Establishing Procedure in this docket, Order No. PSC-13-0088-PCO-GU, issued February 18, 2013, submit this Prehearing Statement.

APPEARANCE:

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A. WITNESSES:

None.

B. EXHIBITS:

None.

C. STATEMENT OF BASIC POSITION

None at this time.

D. STATEMENT OF FACTUAL ISSUES AND POSITIONS

GENERIC CONSERVATION COST RECOVERY ISSUES

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- **<u>ISSUE 1</u>**: What are the final conservation cost recovery true-up amounts for the period January 2012 through December 2012?
- **POSITION:** No position at this time.
- **ISSUE 2**: What are the total conservation cost recovery amounts to be collected during the period January 2014 through December 2014?
- **<u>POSITION</u>**: No position at this time.
- **<u>ISSUE 3</u>**: What are the conservation cost recovery factors for the period January 2014 through December 2014?
- **<u>POSITION</u>**: No position at this time.
- **<u>ISSUE 4</u>**: What should be the effective date of the new conservation cost recovery factors for billing purposes?
- **<u>POSITION</u>**: No position at this time.

E. <u>STIPULATED ISSUES</u>:

None.

F. <u>PENDING MOTIONS</u>:

None.

G. <u>REQUESTS FOR CONFIDENTIALITY</u>

Citizens have no pending requests for claims for confidentiality.

H. OBJECTIONS TO WITNESS QUALIFICATIONS AS AN EXPERT

OPC has no objections to any witness' qualifications as an expert in this proceeding.

I. <u>REQUIREMENTS OF ORDER</u>

There are no requirements of the Order Establishing Procedure with which the Office of

Public Counsel cannot comply.

Dated this 9th day of October, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and foregoing Notice of Service of Office of Public Counsel's Prehearing Statement has been furnished by U.S. mail and/or electronic mail on this 9th day of October, 2013, to the following:

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