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From: Ellen Plendl

**Sent:** Thursday, May 12, 2016 3:48 PM **To:** Consumer Correspondence

**Subject:** Docket 150269-WS

**Attachments:** 601223,anttila.pdf; roy-anttila-letter.pdf

See attached customer correspondence and PSC reply for correspondence side of Docket 150269-WS.

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## Summertree Resident Letter

May 1, 2016

The Honorable Rick Scott, Governor 400 South Monroe Street Tallahassee, FL 32399

RE: Utilities, Inc. of Florida - Docket No. 150269-WS

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Dear Governor Scott.

I agree with the statements made in the cover letter from the Summertree Water Alliance Taskforce on my behalf. We are asking you to support our cause by writing a letter to CORIX, the Canadian holding company for Utilities, Inc. of Florida, to encourage UIF to negotiate an equitable sale to Pasco County Utilities.

After 25 years of failed service and unjustified rate increases, Summertree residents want Utilities, Inc. of Florida out of our community permanently. Our community would like you to be aware of our concerns regarding the poor service, poor secondary water quality, perpetual rate increases, and Summertree's loss of confidence in Utilities, Inc. of Florida to continue operating our Summertree system.

Our Taskforce pursued legislation with the help of State Senator Wilton Simpson and State Representative Richard Corcoran to pass the Consumer Water Protection Act (Senate Bill 272) which you signed into law on June 13, 2014 addressing secondary water quality attributes. In 2015, Senator Simpson and Representative Corcoran secured a \$1M state grant to help reduce the costs for impact fees, engineering and construction to interconnect with Pasco County Utilities. Governor Scott, Summertree greatly appreciated your signing the 2014 Consumer Water Protection Act and a \$1M state grant in 2015 which greatly helped our community.

The Taskforce is working with Pasco County Commissioner Jack Mariano, the Pasco Board of County Commissioners and Pasco County Utilities to finalize an interconnection to Pasco Utilities for our bulk water supply. Summertree is continuing to work with Pasco County Utilities to pursue a direct acquisition of our Summertree system from Utilities, Inc. of Florida.

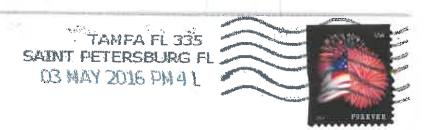
The Summertree residents have had enough. We do not trust Utilities, Inc. of Florida; they have NOT worked to fix our water problems and have provided minimal customer services yet unfair rate increases are bound to continue that is why want OUT!

Governor Scott, the Summertree community would appreciate your support to help end this injustice by writing a letter to CORIX 's President and CEO, Scott A. Thomson, Corix Corporate Offices – CANADA to encourage Utilities, Inc. of Florida to negotiate an equitable sale to Pasco County Utilities. We do not trust Utilities, Inc. of Florida to continue managing our Summertree system.

Sincerely,

Signature:	May !	Centrilo	Batricia	Maxtela	
Print Name:	Roy Antila		Patricia	M. Anttila	
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## Hublic Serbice Commission

May 13, 2016

Mr. & Mrs. Roy Anttila 11451 Golf Round Drive New Port Richey, FL 34654-1661

RE: FPSC Inquiry 1212406C

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Anttila:

The Governor's office forwarded a copy of your correspondence regarding Utilities, Inc. of Florida to the Florida Public Service Commission (FPSC). The FPSC regulates investor-owned electric, and natural gas utilities throughout the state, and investor-owned water and wastewater utilities in those counties which have opted to transfer jurisdiction to the FPSC. The FPSC has authority in the telephone industry which is limited to the Lifeline Assistance Program, Florida Relay Service, and pay telephone service. We appreciate the opportunity to assist you.

You expressed a concern about Utilities, Inc. of Florida's application for limited proceeding water rate increase in Pasco County. We will add your comments to the correspondence side of Docket No. 160021-EI regarding the petition.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Ellen Plendl at 1-800-342-3552 or by fax at 1-800-511-0809.

Sincerely,

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