## Antonia Hover

From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject: Antonia Hover on behalf of Records Clerk Monday, January 4, 2021 5:02 PM 'Lindsay Yates' Consumer Contact RE: Docket #20200226-SU Environmental Utilities LLC

Good Afternoon, Lindsay Yates.

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20200226, and forwarding them to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Thank you!

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From: Lindsay Yates <lyates@springsips.com>
Sent: Saturday, January 2, 2021 5:02 PM
To: Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>
Subject: Docket #20200226-SU Environmental Utilities LLC

I am writing to you as a property owner on Don Pedro Island, which is within the proposed service area contained in the application from Environmental Utilities, LLC ("EU") for central sewer.

I object to EU's request for the bifurcation of the certificate and rate-making proceedings and I object to the granting of a temporary waiver of Rule 25-30.033(1)(p) and (q). Given the inadequate information regarding the applicant's financial strength and sewer utility management experience, as well as inadequate information regarding the costs to the stakeholders involved with this project, the applicant's request for a waiver should be denied.

It is important for the stakeholders in the proposed service area to have all of the relevant information regarding the proposed central sewer, including the projected rates, connection fees and the type of system intended for installation. It is equally as important that the applicant, particularly since it is a start-up company, show to the stakeholders that it has the financial strength to construct and operate said system. In order to protect the consumers in the affected areas, I respectfully ask that EU's request for bifurcation and a temporary waiver be denied. Thank you for your consideration.

Yours truly,

Lindsay C. Yates

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