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VIA E-PORTAL

Mr. Adam Teitzman Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 20240003-GU - Purchased Gas Adjustment (PGA) True Up.

Dear Mr. Teitzman:

Attached for filing, please find the Joint Motion of Florida Public Utilities Company and Florida City Gas for an Extension of Time to File Actual/Estimated True Up and Projection Testimony and Exhibits.

Thank you for your assistance with this filing. As always, please don't hesitate to let me know if you have any questions whatsoever.

Sincerely, Beth Keating

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In Re: Purchased Gas Adjustment (PGA) True-up

Docket No. 20240003-GU

Filed: July 30, 2024

JOINT MOTION OF FLORIDA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMPANY AND FLORIDA CITY GAS FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE ACTUAL/ESTIMATED TRUE UP AND PROJECTION TESTIMONY AND EXHIBITS

Florida Public Utilities Company (herein "FPUC") and Florida City Gas ("FCG")(jointly herein "Companies") hereby file this joint motion requesting an extension of time for the Companies to file their actual/estimated true up and projections testimony and exhibits for this proceeding on or before August 6, 2024. In support of this Motion, the Companies state:

1. By Order No. PSC-2024-0029-PCO-GU, issued February 6, 2024, the schedule for this proceeding was set. Pursuant to that Order, the utilities' actual/estimated true up filing and schedules, as well as projection schedules, are due August 1, 2024. Subsequently, Order No. PSC-2024-0213-PCO-GU was issued, which modified certain filing requirements and prehearing procedures, but otherwise the previously set schedule remained unchanged.

2. As the Commission is aware, at the end of 2023, Chesapeake Utilities Corporation, FPUC's parent company, acquired Florida City Gas. Consistent with the approach approved by the Commission in Order No. PSC-2015-0321-PAA-GU, issued August 10, 2015, in Docket No. 20150117-GU and Consummating Order No. PSC-2015-0367-CO-GU, issued September 9, 2015, the Companies intend to pursue consolidation of FPUC and FCG purchased gas and capacity costs and allocation of those consolidated costs across the entire FPUC and FCG platform through both the PGA and the swing service mechanisms, which the Companies anticipate consolidating at a later date.

3. In furtherance of this initial step towards consolidating the Companies, the Companies intend to make a joint Actual/Estimated and Projections filing, which will reflect each Company's true up and projections on an individual basis, as well as the proposed consolidation. The Companies have been coordinating to ensure the consistency and accuracy of the impending filing but have encountered unexpected impediments that appear likely to delay the filing. Therefore, in an abundance of caution, the Companies respectfully request that the Prehearing Officer grant the Companies a short extension of time to allow them to file their Actual/Estimated and Projections on or before August 6, 2024.

4. Undersigned counsel has conferred with counsel for the other parties to this proceeding regarding their position on FPUC and FCG's Joint Motion and is authorized to represent that Peoples Gas System and the Office of Public Counsel have both indicated that they take no position on the Joint Motion, as long as the request does not result in adjustments to the remainder of the schedule for this proceeding. To date, St. Joe Natural Gas has not provided a response.

WHEREFORE, Florida Public Utilities Company and Florida City Gas respectfully request that their Motion for Extension of Time be granted and that they be allowed to make their Actual/Estimated and Projection filing, including associated testimony and exhibits, on or before August 6, 2024.

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of July, 2024, by:

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<u>Certificate of Service</u>

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished by Electronic Mail to the following parties of record this 30th day of July, 2024:

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