



**Florida Power**  
CORPORATION

**James P. Fama**  
SENIOR COUNSEL

October 28, 1992

VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

Mr. Steve Tribble, Director  
Division of Records and Reporting  
Florida Public Service Commission  
101 East Gaines Street  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 920949-EU  
Our File No. 9200264

Dear Mr. Tribble:

Enclosed please find an original and fifteen copies of the following affidavits for filing in the above docket:

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1. Notice of filing Newspaper Affidavits of The Sebring News-Sun, Inc. and The Tampa Tribune;
2. Affidavit of Suzanne B. Wakefield, Senior Customer Service Administration Coordinator, Florida Power Corporation; and
3. Affidavit of John C. Martz, District Manager, Avon Park, Florida Power Corporation.

3 Please acknowledge receipt of filing by returning the enclosed copy of this cover letter.

Sincerely yours,

*James P. Fama*  
James P. Fama

JPF:jr  
Enclosures

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TPSC-RECORDS/REPORT



BEFORE THE  
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NOTICE OF FILING NEWSPAPER AFFIDAVITS

Florida Power Corporation hereby gives notice of filing the attached Affidavit of The Sebring News-Sun, Inc. and Affidavit of The Tampa Tribune, Heartland edition, verifying publication of the Notice of Public Hearing before the Public Service Commission on December 7, 1992, in Tallahassee, Florida.

FLORIDA POWER CORPORATION  
OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL

By: James P. Fama  
James P. Fama  
3201 34th Street South  
St. Petersburg, FL 33711  
(813) 866-5786

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# The Sebring News - Sun, Inc.

Published Twice Weekly

SEBRING, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF HIGHLANDS:

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared .....

RICHARD BIRT .....

who on oath says that he is Controller of THE NEWS-SUN a bi-weekly newspaper published at Sebring in Highlands County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a Proof of Publication .....

in the matter of Notice of Public Hearing .....

in the Court .....

was published in said newspaper in the issues of .....

October 14, 1992 .....

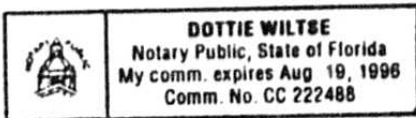
Affiant further says that the THE NEWS-SUN is a newspaper published at Sebring, in Highlands County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Highlands County, Florida, Wednesday and/or Sunday and has been entered as a second class mail matter at the post office in Sebring and/or Avon Park, in said county, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that he has neither paid nor promised any person, firm or corporation any discount, rebate, commission or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in the said newspaper.

Sworn to and subscribed before me  
this 15 day of October .....

*Richard Birt*

A. D. 19 92 .....

*Dottie Wiltse*



# The Tampa Tribune

DAVID E. BETHEL  
Advertising Director  
813-272-7445

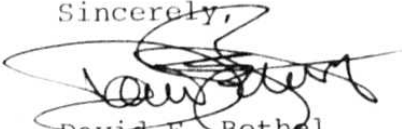
October 12, 1992

Florida Power Corporation  
Box 14042  
St. Petersburg, FL 33733

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

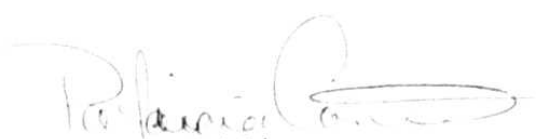
We have examined our files and find that Florida Power Corporation ran a 2 col. x 6" ad in the Heartland edition of the Tampa Tribune on October 11, 1992 advertising "NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING".

Sincerely,



David E. Bethel  
Advertising Director

Sworn to and subscribed before me this *12<sup>th</sup>* day of *October* 1992.



Notary Public

Notary Public, State of Florida  
My Comm. Expires Apr. 25, 1994

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Docket No. 920949-EU

Filed: October 28, 1992

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of Notice of Filing Newspaper Affidavits has been served by U. S. Mail, postage prepaid to the following parties this 28th day of October, 1992.

D. Bruce May, Esquire  
Holland & Knight  
315 South Calhoun, Suite 600  
Tallahassee, FL 32301


Andrew B. Jackson, Esquire  
P. O. Box 2025  
Sebring, FL 33871

Martha Carter Brown, Esquire  
Florida Public Service Commission  
101 E. Gaines Street  
Fletcher Building, Room 226  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0863

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Co-Chairman  
Citizens for Utility  
Rate Equity  
1520 10th Avenue  
Sebring, FL 33872

Nancy Hawk  
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**AFFIDAVIT OF  
SUZANNE B. WAKEFIELD**

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF PINELLAS

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared SUZANNE B. WAKEFIELD, who upon being duly sworn deposes and says:

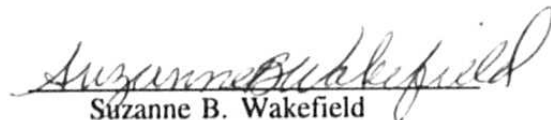
1. My name is Suzanne B. Wakefield and I am employed by Florida Power Corporation as Senior Customer Service Administration Coordinator. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this affidavit.

2. A notification letter was sent to all Sebring customers informing them of the proposed sale, the key dates in this proceeding, and the locations of where more information on the proposed rate changes can be obtained. A copy of this letter is attached hereto as Exhibit "A."

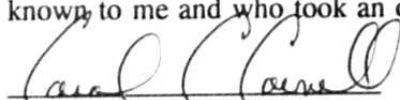
3. A notification postcard was sent to all Florida Power Corporation customers in the Sebring area informing them of a Notice of Public Hearing on the Joint Petition of Florida



Power Corporation and Sebring Utilities Commission for approval of the sale of the Sebring electric system to Florida Power Corporation. A copy of this postcard notice is attached hereto as Exhibit "B."

  
Suzanne B. Wakefield

The foregoing was acknowledged before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1992 by Suzanne B. Wakefield, who is personally known to me and who took an oath.

  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
Carol C. Cornell

(Seal)



**OFFICIAL SEAL**  
CAROLYN C. CORNELL  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES  
AUGUST 10, 1995

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of Affidavit of Suzanne B. Wakefield, Senior Customer Service Administration Coordinator of Florida Power Corporation, has been served by U. S. Mail, postage prepaid to the following parties this 28th day of October, 1992.

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Holland & Knight  
315 South Calhoun, Suite 600  
Tallahassee, FL 32301


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James P. Fama, Esquire



Dear Sebring Utilities Customer:

The Sebring Utilities Commission (Sebring) and the City of Sebring have agreed to sell the Sebring electric system to Florida Power Corporation. The sale is contingent upon the approval of the Florida Public Service Commission (FPSC). If this transaction is approved, it is anticipated that you will experience lower electric rates. The purpose of this letter is to notify you of the proposed sale and the review process currently underway at the FPSC, and to tell you where you can obtain more information on the proposed rate changes.

A public hearing will be held at the FPSC, Fletcher Building, 101 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, on December 7 and 8, 1992, to address the Joint Petition of Florida Power and Sebring for approval of this transaction. The key dates in this proceeding are as follows:

October 20	Filing of intervenor and Commission staff written testimony
November 23	Prehearing conference
December 7, 8	Hearing
December 18	Final written order

Copies of the Joint Petition, and the testimony and evidence filed in support of the petition, are on public file at the FPSC offices in Tallahassee.

As part of the Joint Petition, Florida Power and Sebring have asked the FPSC to approve an amendment to the existing territorial agreement to allow Florida Power to operate an electric system in territory previously allocated to Sebring. In addition, the two utilities have asked the FPSC to approve a supplemental rider rate, to be added to Florida Power's normal rates for up to 15 years, in order to recover the funds necessary to retire Sebring's debt.

The Joint Petition and details concerning the savings that are estimated to flow to Sebring customers as a result of the new Florida Power rates and the supplemental rider rate, are on file at Sebring's main office at 321 Mango Street, Sebring (385-0191), and Florida Power's Avon Park office at 600 West Main Street, Avon Park (453-3157). Should you have questions or comments regarding the proposed sale of the Sebring system or the rates that are expected to result from the sale, please contact either of these offices.

Sincerely,

Sebring Utilities Commission

Florida Power Corporation

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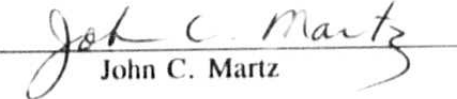
1. My name is John C. Martz and I am employed by Florida Power Corporation as District Manager of the Avon Park office. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this affidavit.

2. With respect to a notification letter to Sebring customers and postcard notification to Florida Power customers referencing information available to review regarding the proposed sale and details concerning rate comparison, I state that the following documents are on file at Florida Power Corporation's Avon Park office at 600 West Main Street, Avon Park, Florida:

- a. Joint Petition for Approval of Amendment to Territorial Agreement;
- b. Exhibit 1 to Joint Petition for Approval of Amendment to Territorial Agreement;
- c. Direct Testimony of Florida Power Corporation Witnesses (Peter Dagostino, Samuel F. Nixon, Jr. and Henry Southwick);

- d. Direct Testimony of Sebring Utilities Commission Witnesses (Frank L. Williams, David J. Rumolo, Gerald E. Warren, II, Nancy L. Holloway, and Joseph E. Calhoun, Sr.);
- e. FPSC Order of Prehearing Procedure dated September 24, 1992;
- f. FPSC Notice of Hearing dated September 25, 1992;
- g. FPSC Notice of Hearing (Sebring Public Customer Hearing on November 4, 1992 at 1:00 p.m.) dated October 7, 1992;
- h. FPSC Amended Notice of Hearing (Tallahassee Public Hearing on December 7 and 8, 1992 at 9:30 a.m.) dated October 7, 1992;
- i. Letter to Sebring Utilities' customers from Florida Power Corporation and Sebring regarding the proposed sale, key dates and information about his proceeding, and details concerning rate comparisons;
- j. Charts regarding rate comparisons of Florida Power and Sebring residential, General Service Non-Demand and General Service Demand.

3. Item J above, rate comparison charts not on file with the Public Service Commission, are attached hereto as Exhibits I through V.

  
John C. Martz

The foregoing was acknowledged before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1992 by John C. Martz, who is personally known to me and took an oath.

  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
Notary Public, State of Florida  
My Commission Expires June 3, 1994  
Bonded thru RICHARD Ins. Agency

(Seal)

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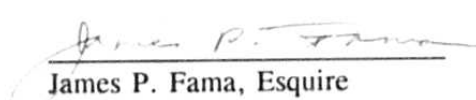
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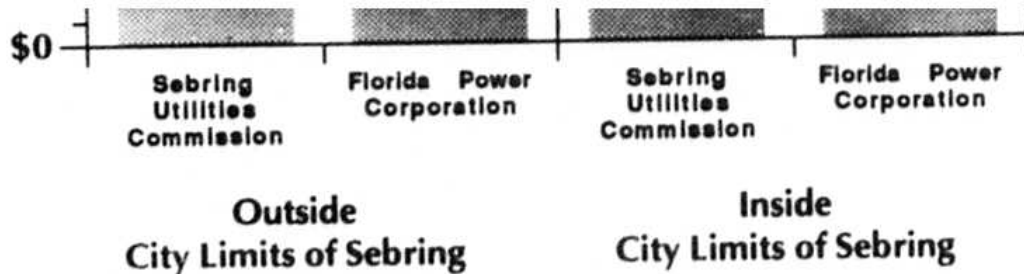
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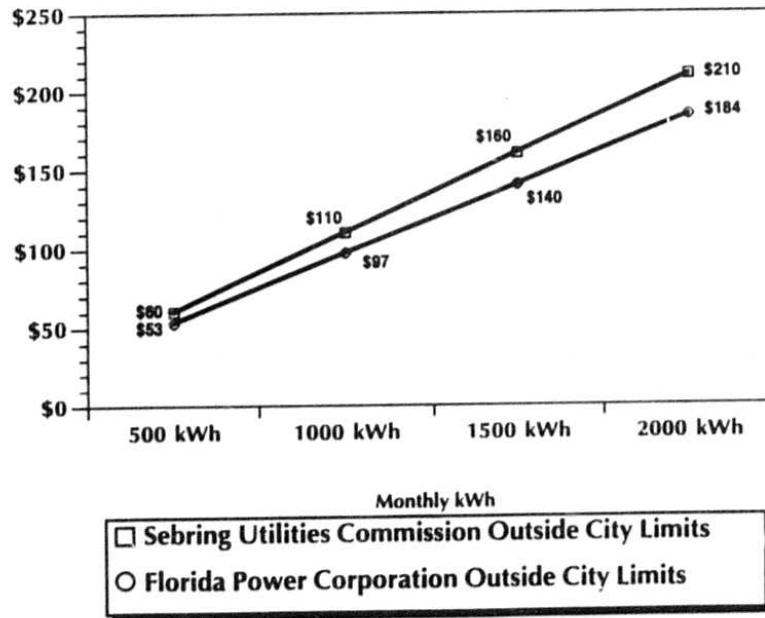
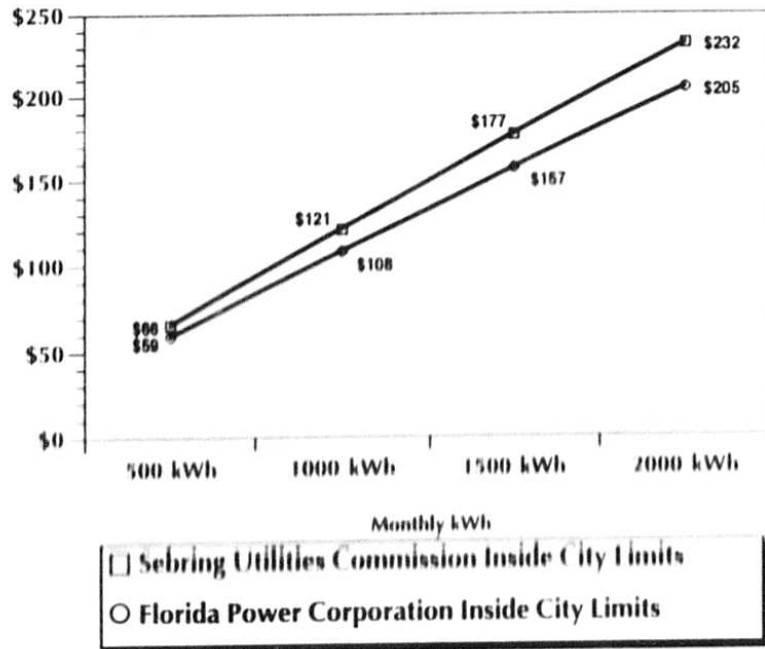
*By participating in the Load Management program, you can further reduce your bill \$4.50 to \$17.00 a month depending on the time of year and the appliances you select to have controlled.*

*The Florida Power rates include all approved rate increases through 1993*

EXHIBIT 1



# Rate Comparison



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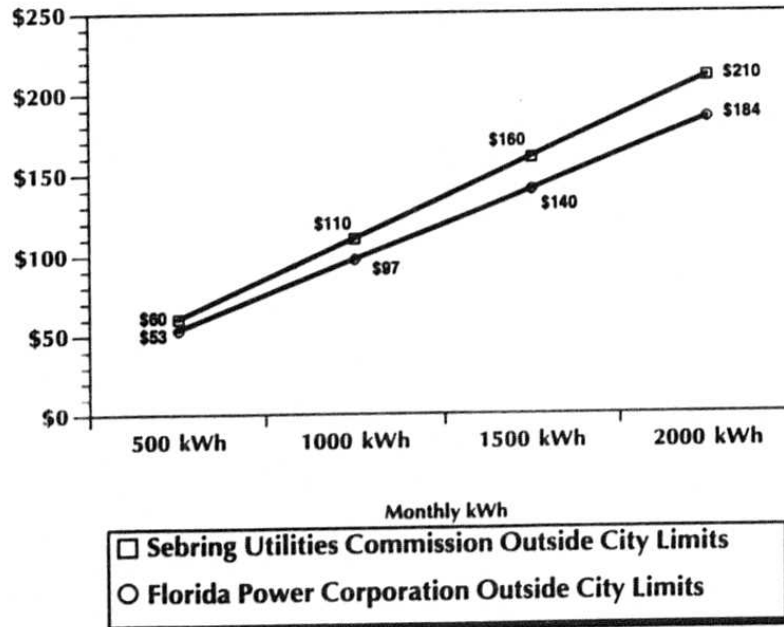
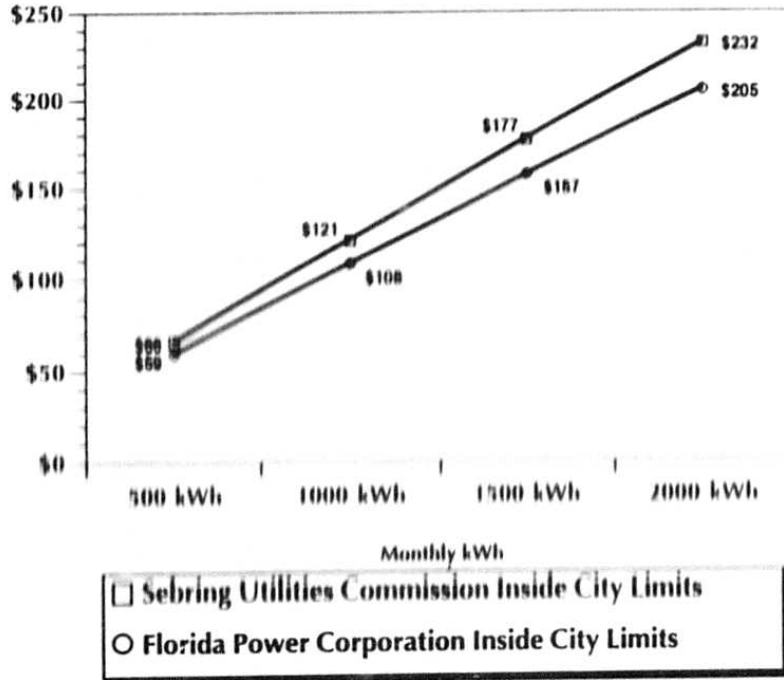
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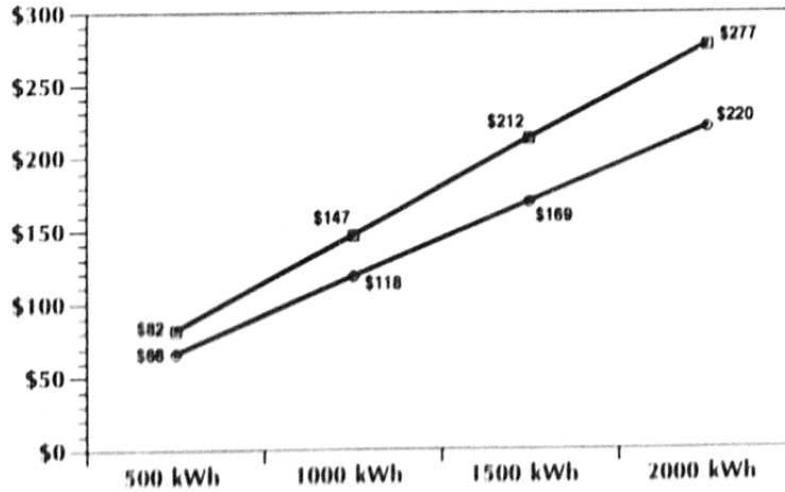
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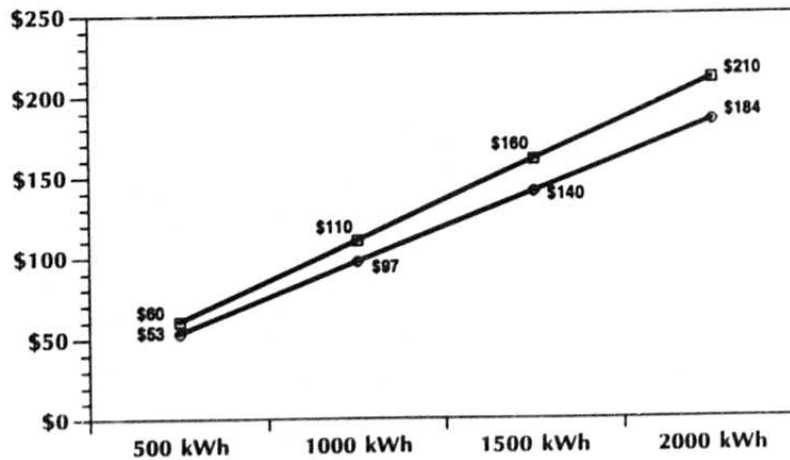
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# GENERAL SERVICE NON-DEMAND Rate Comparison



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 Florida Power Corporation Inside City Limits



Sebring Utilities Commission Outside City Limits  
 Florida Power Corporation Outside City Limits

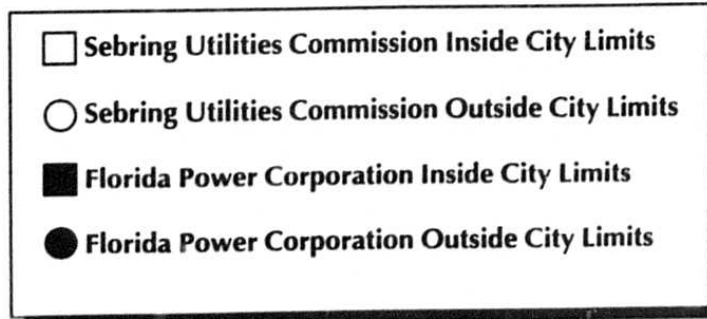
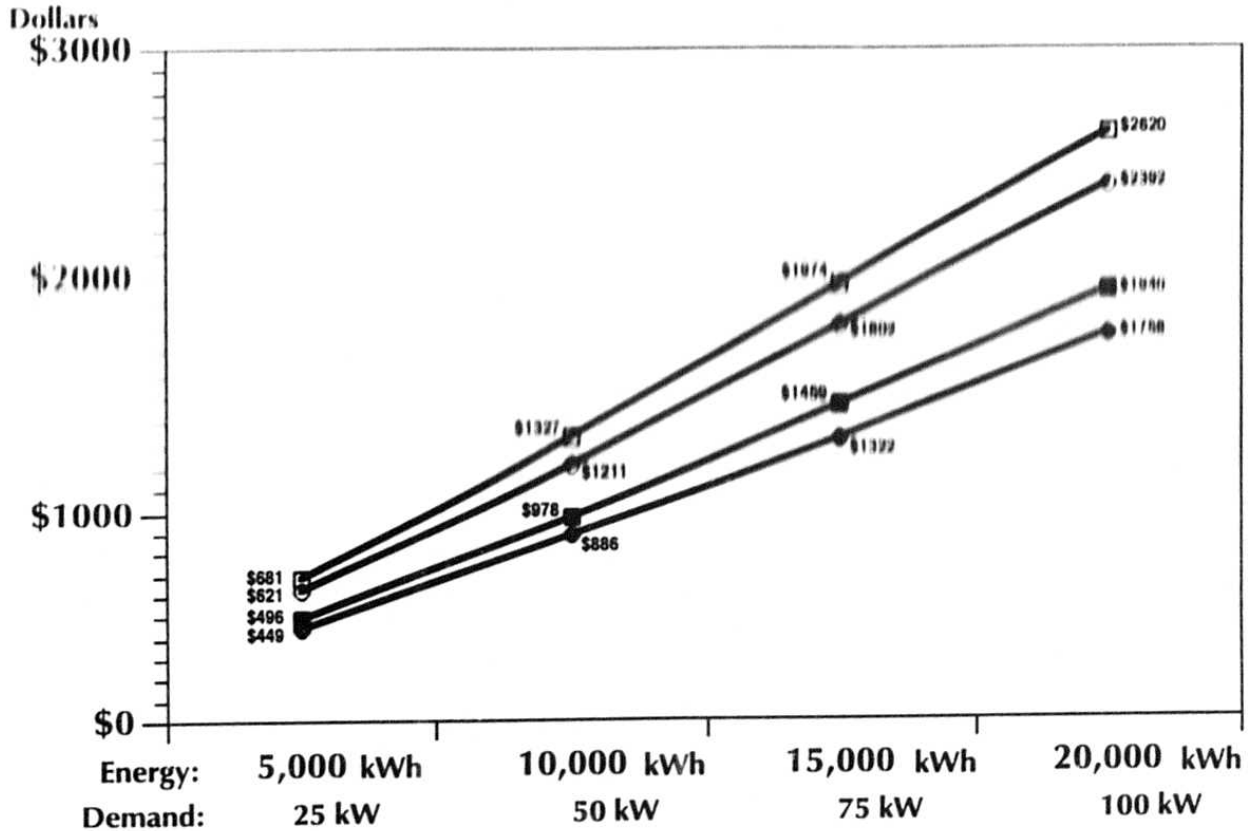
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# GENERAL SERVICE DEMAND

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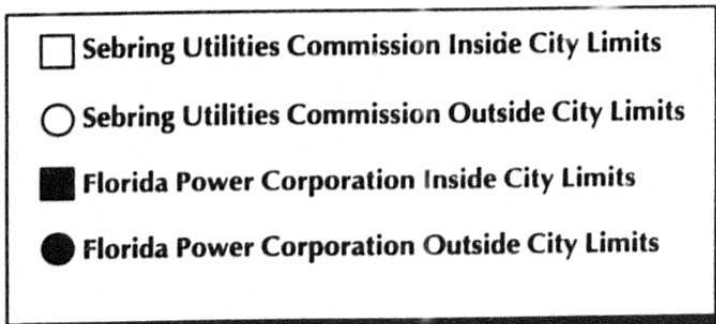
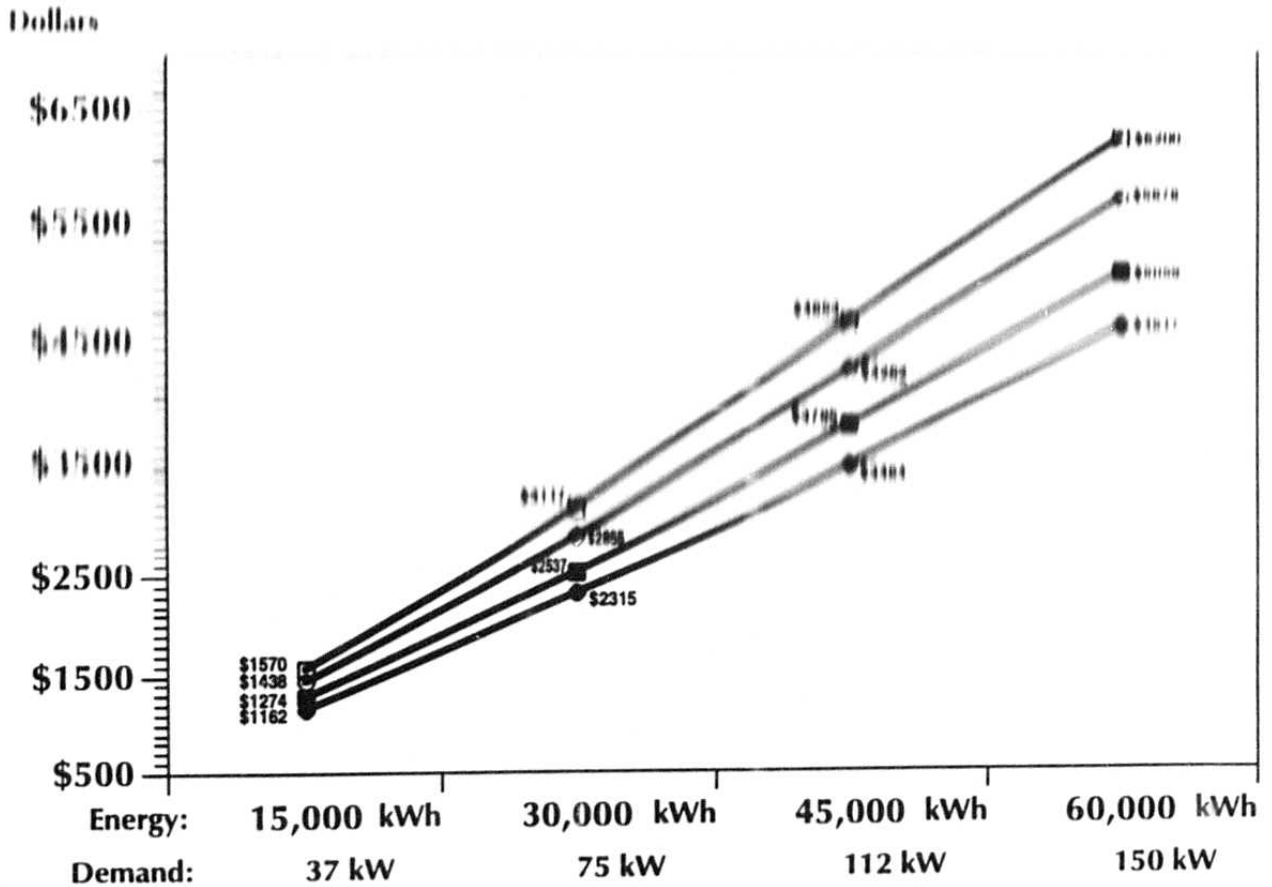
### Load Factor of 27%



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# Rate Comparison

## Load Factor of 55%



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