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Wayne Schiefelbein, Esquire
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Tallahassee, FL 32308

Re: Docket No. 950387-SU - Application for a Rate Increase for North Fort Myers Division in Lee County by Florida Cities Water Corporation - Lee County Division

Dear Mr. Schiefelbein:

After having reviewed your Synopsis, Notice, Case Schedule, and Notice of Customer Meeting, the staff requests that the following changes be made. For the Synopsis, second page, paragraph 5, the fifth line of the second indentation, after "which will result in a" the remainder of that paragraph should read as follows:

22.73% increase. The proposed rate of return is 9/08% on a rate base of \$8,404,278 for its wastewater operations. Commission staff will hold a customer meeting on July 12, 1995, at _____, Florida. The Commission will consider applicant's request for increased final rate relief at the Agenda Conference on October 10, 1995, and will issue a Proposed Agency Action Order thereon by October 30, 1995. If the Proposed Agency Action Order is not protested within twenty-one (21) days of issue, it will become final and effective. If protested, the Commission will hold a public hearing on Applicant's request on May 28, 1996. (This schedule is tentative and subject to change by the Commission.)

Under the Notice, after the first sentence of the first paragraph, staff requests that the following sentence be added:

- ACK _____
- AFA _____
- APP _____
- CAF _____
- CMU _____
- CTR _____
- EAG _____
- LEG _____
- LN _____
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Florida Cities Water Company has also applied to the Commission for approval of an increase in wastewater plant capacity charges in Lee county, North Fort Myers Division, Docket No. 950586-SU, separate from the above rate case docket.

Under the Case Schedule, please fill in the appropriate dates as follows:


1. July 12, 1995
2. October 10, 1995
3. October 30, 1995
4. April 22, 1996
5. May 28, 1996

Also, the Commission's new address is 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850.

Finally, for the Notice of Customer Meeting, the date is Wednesday, July 12, 1995. Since there is a change to almost every page, and in response to Ms. Gerhardt's telephone request, I believe it would be best if the utility resubmitted the entire package.

If you have any questions, or if I can be of any further assistance, please contact me at 413-6234.

Sincerely,



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Senior Attorney

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