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Re: Sumter Electric Cooperative, Inc. and
City of Mount Dora
Joint Petition for Approval of Territorial Agreement
Docket No. 960396-EU

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket please find an original and one copy of Notice of Service of Sumter Electric Cooperative, Inc.'s Response to Staff's First Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 1-6), together with an original and one copy of Sumter Electric Cooperative, Inc.'s Response to Staff's First Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 1-6).

I would appreciate your assistance in returning the enclosed copy of this letter, reflecting receipt by the Public Service Commission. A self-addressed, stamped envelope is enclosed for your convenience.

If there is anything further that is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your courtesies and assistance in this regard.

Very truly yours,



Lewis W. Stone

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xc: Gary J. Cooney, Esquire
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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Joint Petition for
approval of territorial agreement
between Sumter Electric
Cooperative, Inc. and
City of Mount Dora

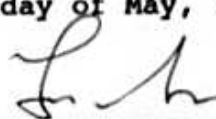
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SUMTER ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE INC.'S RESPONSE TO
STAFF'S FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES (NOS. 1 - 6)

Sumter Electric Cooperative, Inc. hereby provides its
response to Interrogatories (Nos. 1 - 6) of Staff's First Set of
Interrogatories.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 24th day of May, 1996.



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1. Will all electric facilities used by either utility to serve retail customers be located wholly within the respective service areas within a year of Commission approval of the territorial agreement? Electric facilities are defined as electric distribution lines, transmission lines, substations, and generating units.

Yes.

If no, as to those facilities located outside the respective service areas, please provide the following:

- a. Description of facilities.
- b. Depreciated value of facilities.
- c. Location of facilities indicated on a map with sufficient detail to allow for identification of primary distribution lines and transformers.

Not applicable. See answer to Interrogatory No. 1.

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2. Please provide the customer class of each customer listed on Exhibit 3 to the territorial agreement who are subject to transfer to the City of Mount Dora upon Commission approval of the territorial agreement.

Please see attached Exhibit "A".

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- 3 If interim service, as defined in Section 2.4 of the agreement, lasts or is expected to last for a period greater than one year, will Sumter Electric Cooperative, Inc. (SECO) agree to inform the Commission's Division of Electric and Gas?

Yes.

4. Please describe the method used to transfer and dispose of the capital credits of the SECO customers to be transferred under the proposed territorial agreement.

Members that have been sold or swapped to other utilities are considered former members and therefore are treated like all other former members. This means SECO will maintain their capital credit history on its system and they will receive refunds in accordance with the methods approved by the Board of Trustees.

Currently that method is to retire a percentage of each member and former member's capital credits annually. The percentage depends on the financial condition of the cooperative at the time of the retirement.

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5. Will SECO agree to inform the Commission if the property transfers to the City of Mount Dora proposed in the territorial agreement are not approved by the United States Department of Agriculture, the Rural Utilities Service, and the Cooperative Financing Corporation?

Yes.

6. Please provide a Distribution Service Reliability Report for the preceding 12 month period. (Refer to rules 25-6.044 and 25-6.0455, F.A.C.) This report should include the following for facilities located in Sumter Electric Cooperative, Inc.'s entire service area with subtotals for Lake County.

See attached Exhibit "B" for entire service area.

- a. The total number of customers served.

25,744 (as to Lake County)

- b. The total number of service interruptions (N) categorized by cause.

Power Supplier	-	0
Ext. Storm	-	104
Prearranged	-	8
All other	-	<u>1,325</u>

Total - 1,437 (as to Lake County)

- c. The utility's average length of service interruptions experienced (L-Bar).

As to Lake County

<u>Number of consumers out</u>	<u>Number of consumer hours</u>	<u>Average hours out</u>
49,056	78,947.72	1.60

- d. Please identify the top three percent of the utility's feeders with the highest number of feeder breaker interruptions. Each feeder should be identified by its number, substation, and general location as well as the estimated number of customers in each service class serviced by the feeder circuit, as well as the number of service interruptions (N) and average length of service interruption (L-Bar) for the feeder.

See attached Exhibit "C".

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF SUMTER

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared
UDELL HALL, who being first duly sworn deposes and says:

That he occupies the position of Real Estate and Easement
Coordinator with Sumter Electric Cooperative, Inc., Highway 301,
P.O. Box 301, Sumterville, FL 33585-0301, and he is the person
under whose directions the answers to Staff's First Set of
Interrogatories to Sumter Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Nos. 1 -
6), Docket No. 960396-EU, have been prepared and that said
information, insofar as it is within his knowledge, is true, and
insofar as it is derived from or is dependent upon the knowledge
of others, is true and correct to the best of his knowledge and
belief.

Dated at Sumterville, Florida on this 22nd day of May, 1996.

Udell Hall

Udell Hall

The foregoing was acknowledged before me this 22nd day of May,
1996, by UDELL HALL, who is personally known to me.

Merry Waybright
Notary Public Signature

Merry Waybright
Notary Printed Signature

My Commission Expires:
My Commission number is:

(SEAL)



MERRY WAYBRIGHT
MY COMMISSION # CC430651 EXPIRES
March 30, 1999
BONDED THRU TROY FAIR INSURANCE, INC.

SECO/CITY OF MT. DORA TERRITORIAL AGREEMENT

ACCOUNTS TO CITY OF MT. DORA WITH CUSTOMER CLASS

	Account #	Customer Class	Member's Name	Address	City/State	Zip Code
1.	176-945-0010	General Service Single Phase	Bennett, Robert A.	c/o Robert M. Bennett, 313 High Street	Stafford, VA	22554
2.	176-947-0010	Residential	Boles, Katherine	P.O. Box 113 20110 U.S. Hwy. 441	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
3.	176-950-0010	Residential	Burns, Willie	1574 Limit Avenue	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
4.	176-951-0010	General Service Single Phase	Barbara's Restaurant	805 E. 8th Avenue	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
5.	176-952-0010	General Service Single Phase	McGee, James	P.O. Box 1692	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
6.	176-952-7510	General Service Single Phase	United Telephone	(Limit Ave. Mt. Dora) P.O. Box 490048	Leesburg, FL	34749
7.	176-954-0010	Residential	Larry, Albert S.	1999 N. Wardell Street	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
8.	176-954-5010	Residential	Harris, David L.	2020 N. Unser Street	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
9.	176-956-0010	Residential	Nix, Bobby J.	1406 Limit Avenue	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
10.	176-958-0010	Residential	Foster, Lucy	1940 N. Unser Street	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
11.	176-960-0010	Residential	Simms, Benjamin F.	3050 Brown Avenue	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
12.	176-960-5010	Residential	Brown, Rose L.	1806 Unser Street	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
13.	176-961-0010	Residential	White, Angelo B.	1868 Unser Street	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
14.	176-963-0010	Residential	Rivers, Jerry L.	1831 Unser Street	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
15.	176-963-5010	Residential	Cunningham, Tafferlon	1899 N. Unser Street	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
16.	176-964-0010	Residential	White, Ula C.	P.O. Box 1284	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
17.	176-964-5010	Residential	Barnes, Carol Y.	P.O. Box 51	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
18.	176-965-0010	Residential	White, Willie BSR	P.O. Box 424	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
19.	176-965-5010	Residential	White, Willie J.	P.O. Box 424	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
20.	176-966-5010	Residential	Harris, Melvin E.	2007 N. Unser Street	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
21.	176-967-0010	Residential	Larry, Lucille	2099 N. Unser Street	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
22.	176-967-5010	Residential (Same Account)	Harris, Frank M.	2106 Hollywood Avenue	Eustis, FL	32726
23.	176-967-5012	Residential (Same Account)	McCoy, Mary R.	1306 Limit Avenue	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
24.	176-968-0010	Residential	Harris, Mary G.	(Leon Sharp) 1302 Limit Avenue	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
25.	176-968-5010	Residential	Harris, Mary G.	1302 Limit Avenue	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
26.	176-972-5010	Residential	Moger, Ricile	1206 Limit Avenue	Mt. Dora, FL	32757
27.	178-938-8010	Residential	Washington, Earnest	c/o Joyce Milsap 1735 Jefferson Drive	Mt. Dora, FL	32757

EXHIBIT "V"

..... SERVICE INTERRUPTIONS

	POWER SUPPLIER	EXTREME STORM	PREARRANGED	ALL OTHER	TOTAL
YEAR: 1993					
NUMBER OF OUTAGES	10.0		18.0	3,048.0	3,076.0
NO. OF CONSUMERS AFFECTED	14,257		2,713	62,557	79,527
CONSUMER HOURS	12,315.1		594.7	93,210.0	106,119.9
AVG. NO. OF CONSUMERS	80,000	80,000	80,000	80,000	80,000
OUTAGE HOURS PER CONSUMER	.153		.007	1.165	1.326
YEAR: 1994					
NUMBER OF OUTAGES	27.0	1.0	27.0	5,366.0	5,421.0
NO. OF CONSUMERS AFFECTED	41,654	25	1,700	155,897	199,276
CONSUMER HOURS	28,745.5	18.0	1,249.6	190,810.1	220,823.3
AVG. NO. OF CONSUMERS	78,758	78,758	78,758	78,758	78,758
OUTAGE HOURS PER CONSUMER	.364		.015	2.422	2.803
YEAR: 1995					
NUMBER OF OUTAGES	9.0	336.0	22.0	4,164.0	4,531.0
NO. OF CONSUMERS AFFECTED	25,022	44,973	8,663	123,407	202,065
CONSUMER HOURS	44,270.4	127,314.3	11,029.0	175,837.0	358,450.7
AVG. NO. OF CONSUMERS	83,732	83,732	83,732	83,732	83,732
OUTAGE HOURS PER CONSUMER	.528	1.520	.131	2.099	4.280
YEAR: 1996					
NUMBER OF OUTAGES	6.0		10.0	1,426.0	1,442.0
NO. OF CONSUMERS AFFECTED	10,117		511	55,522	66,150
CONSUMER HOURS	11,691.7		264.7	63,002.6	74,959.1
AVG. NO. OF CONSUMERS	83,732	83,732	83,732	83,732	83,732
OUTAGE HOURS PER CONSUMER	.139		.003	.752	.895
FOUR YEAR PERIOD:					
NUMB. R OF OUTAGES	13.0	84.2	19.2	3,501.0	3,617.5
NO. OF CONSUMERS AFFECTED	22,762	11,249	3,396	99,345	136,754
CONSUMER HOURS	24,255.7	31,833.0	3,284.5	130,714.9	190,088.2
AVG. NO. OF CONSUMERS	81,556	81,556	81,556	81,556	81,556
OUTAGE HOURS PER CONSUMER	.297	.390	.040	1.602	2.330

EXHIBIT "C"

As to Lake County

Substation Name	Feeder Number	General Location	Res.	Comm.	Agr.	Feeder Level # of Service Interruptions	Ave. Length of Service Interruptions
Groveland	1	Hwy. 33 North of Groveland	1,100	50	60	4	.94
Groveland	3	Pine Island Road (South of Groveland)	400	13	40	4	1.45
Groveland	5	Bay Lake Road (South of Groveland)	500	0	43	4	1.07