



# Public Service Commission

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**DATE:** September 18, 1997  
**TO:** Susan F. Clark, Commissioner  
**FROM:** Tim Vaccaro, Senior Attorney  
**RE:** Docket No. 960444-WU - Application for rate increase and for increase in service availability charges in Lake County by Lake Utility Services, Inc.

On May 30, 1997, Lake Utility Services, Inc. (LUSI) filed a Petition on Proposed Agency Action, protesting PAA Order No. PSC-97-0531-FOF-WU. However, on September 17, 1997, LUSI filed an offer of settlement to avoid the time and expense of further litigation in this docket. LUSI has also filed a motion for continuance, requesting that further activity in this docket cease, pending final negotiations with the Office of Public Counsel (OPC), the other party in this docket. OPC does not oppose LUSI's motion.

Staff will prepare a recommendation on LUSI's settlement proposal as soon as OPC and LUSI work out any final details. Staff will file its recommendation for the earliest possible agenda. Therefore, please ask the Chairman to perform the following:

- 1) Cancel the Prehearing Conference scheduled for September 30, 1997; and
- 2) Cancel the Hearing scheduled for October 16-17, 1997.

I have attached a memo to the Chairman. Thank you.

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