

VOTE SHEET

DECEMBER 16, 1997

RE: DOCKET NO. 970659-WU - Request for approval of tariffs concerning installation of service meter and cross-connection control device for private fire protection service customers in Lee County by Florida Cities Water Company - Lee County Division.

Issue 1: Should Florida Cities Water Company's proposed tariffs, filed to clarify that the developer/customer is responsible for the installation of the fire meters, service lines and cross-connection control devices on private fire protection services for service, be approved?

Recommendation: Yes. Florida Cities Water Company's proposed tariffs, filed to clarify that the developer/customer is responsible for the installation of the fire meters, service lines and cross-connection control devices on private fire protection services, should be approved.

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COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

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Issue 2: Should a meter installation fee be approved?

Recommendation: Yes. A meter installation fee should be approved for FCWC's Lee County Division. The utility should file revised tariff sheets which are consistent with the Commission's vote within 30 days of the issuance date of the Order. Upon timely receipt and staff's verification that the tariffs are consistent with the Commission's decision, staff should be given administrative authority to approve the revised tariff sheets.

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Issue 3: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: Yes. If Issue No. 1 is approved, this tariff should become effective in accordance with Rule 25-30.475, Florida Administrative Code. If a protest is filed within 21 days of issuance of the Order, this tariff should remain in effect with any increase held subject to refund pending resolution of the protest. If no timely protest is filed, this docket should be closed.

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