

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VOTE SHEET

DECEMBER 15, 1998

RE: DOCKET NO. 981568-TP - Publication by Florida Public Service Commission of 1998 statewide average rates for municipal tax purposes, in accordance with Sections 166.231(9) and 203.01(9), F.S.

Issue 1: Should the Commission maintain the methodology that was adopted in Order No. PSC-96-0008-FOF-TL for computing and publishing the statewide average rates for tax purposes?

Recommendation: Yes, the Commission should maintain the methodology that was adopted in Order No. PSC-96-0008-FOF-TL for computing and publishing the statewide average rates for tax purposes.

APPROVED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

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REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

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Issue 2: Should the Commission adopt the statewide average rates shown in Attachment A of staff's December 3, 1998 memorandum?

Recommendation: Yes, the Commission should adopt the statewide average rates shown in Attachment A.

APPROVED

Issue 3: Should the Commission consider reducing the number of services included for subsequent years in the annual study of statewide average rates?

Recommendation: Yes. The Commission should reduce the number of services included in the annual study of statewide average rates for subsequent years to the list contained in Attachment B of staff's memorandum.

APPROVED

Issue 4: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: Yes. This docket should be closed if no person whose substantial interests are affected files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of this order. If no timely protest is filed, this docket should be closed.

APPROVED