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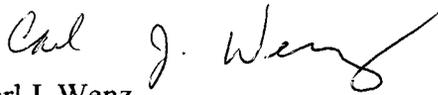
Ms. Blanco S. Bayo, Director  
Division of Records and Reporting  
Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Blvd.  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

**RE: Docket No. 971065-SU**  
Application for rate increase in Pinellas County by Mid-County Services, Inc.

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above referenced docket is an Affidavit of Mailing.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Carl J. Wenz  
Vice President, Regulatory Matters

cc: Mr. Richard D. Melson, Esq.

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Before me, the undersigned authority, authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgments, personally appeared Carl J. Wenz, who, after being sworn on oath, did depose on oath and say that he is the Vice President, Regulatory Matters of Mid-County Services, Inc. and that on November 22, 1999, he did send by first class U.S. Mail a copy of the notice attached hereto to each customer.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.

By: Carl J. Wenz  
Its: Vice President, Regulatory Matters

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23RD day of NOVEMBER, 1999, by CARL J. WENZ, who is personally known to me, ~~or who provided~~ \_\_\_\_\_ as identification.

Phil Ann Scully  
Print Name: PHIL ANN SCULLY  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
My Commission Expires: 09-18-01



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EXHIBIT "B"

## NOTICE OF RATE CHANGES

Mid-County Services, Inc. will be changing the wastewater rates for its customers in Pinellas County effective for the first bill rendered after the Florida Public Service Commission (FPSC) approves the Utility's new tariff sheets.

These rate changes are the result of the FPSC's Final Order No. PSC-99-1912-FOF-SU issued on September 27, 1999 in FPSC Docket No. 971065-SU after a full investigation and hearing on the Utility's rate increase application. For most customers, the approved final rates represent a decrease from the interim rates that are currently in effect. The Utility will be refunding, with interest, a portion of the amounts collected under interim rates.

The approved monthly rates are as follows:

### Bi-Monthly Rates

		Rates Prior to Filing	Utility Requested Final	Commission Approved Final
<b>RESIDENTIAL</b>				
Base Facility Charge	All meter sizes	\$ 28.80	38.66	23.26
Gallorage charge, per 1,000 gallons of water used (20,000 gallon cap)		\$ 1.51	2.03	1.81
<b>GENERAL SERVICE</b>				
Base Facility Charge	5/8" x 3/4"	\$ 28.80	38.66	23.26
	1"	\$ 72.01	96.65	33.64
	1-1/2"	\$ 144.02	193.30	59.68
	2"	\$ 230.44	309.29	134.28
	3"	\$ 460.89	618.57	238.73
	4"	\$ 720.13	966.52	537.28
	6"	\$ 1,440.28	1,933.03	954.90
Gallorage charge, per 1,000 gallons of water used		\$ 1.81	2.43	2.17
<b>MULTI-RESIDENTIAL</b>				
Base Facility Charge	5/8" x 3/4"	\$ 28.80	38.66	23.26
	1"	\$ 72.01	96.65	33.64
	1-1/2"	\$ 144.02	193.30	59.68
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	4"	\$ 720.13	966.52	954.90
	6"	\$ 1,440.28	1,933.03	2,148.81
Gallorage charge, per 1,000 gallon of water used		\$ 1.81	2.43	2.17

	<b>Rates Prior to Filing</b>	<b>Utility Requested Final</b>	<b>Commission Approved Final</b>
<b>FLAT RATE</b>			
Residential	\$ 50.67	68.01	48.20
Mobile Home Park	\$ 1,595.45	2,141.57	1,482.63

Comments regarding the utility's service or rate change may be sent to the Commission at the following address:

Director, Division of Records and Reporting  
Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

All comments should refer to Docket No. 971065-SU, which is the docket number assigned to this case.

If you have any questions, please call the utility office at 1-800-272-1919. Be sure to have your account number on hand for quick reference.

MID-COUNTY SERVICES, INC.