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STAFF DATA REQUESTS

RE: Docket No. 992015-WU - Application for limited proceeding to recover costs of water system improvements in Marion County by Sunshine Utilities of Central Florida, Inc.

Dear Ms. Walker:

By this letter, the Commission staff requests that Sunshine Utilities of Central Florida, Inc. (Sunshine or utility) provide responses to the following data requests.

1. Please provide maps, drawn to scale, of all Sunshine's systems in Marion County showing plant(s) location, the distribution system for each system, size mains, type main (CI, PVC, etc.), and potential customers in each system in accordance with Rule 25-30.440(1)(a), Florida Administrative Code.
2. Please provide a count of the number of customers in each system categorized by meter size in accordance with Rule 25-30.440(1)(b), Florida Administrative Code.
3. Please provide a set of plans/drawings to scale, that are certified by a professional engineer, showing size and type mains interconnecting the five water treatment plants. Please include in these plans the location and identity of all the wells impacted by this construction with specific notation on the contaminated well(s), and the placement of the plant-site filtration system in accordance with Rule 25-30.440(1)(a), Florida Administrative Code.
4. Please provide all test reports documenting the contamination of the well(s) in question in accordance with Rule 25-30.440(3) and (7), Florida Administrative Code.

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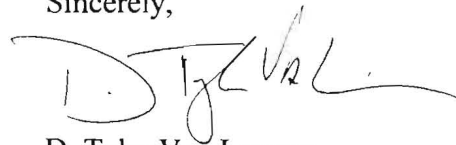
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5. Per Rule 25-30.439, Florida Administrative Code, please provide a list of those private residences not being served by Sunshine that have contaminated wells. Please show the location of these residences on the maps to be provided in response to Staff Data Request No. 1, above.
6. The utility mentions the retirement of wells in the petition.
 - a. Which wells are going to be retired?
 - b. How did the utility determine which wells to retire?
7. The utility shows the retirement of Contributions-in-aid-of-Construction (CIAC) in the petition. How is the retired CIAC and accumulated amortization calculated?
8. Please provide staff with rate base, capital structure and operating income statements for the year ended December 31, 1999. Please include adjustments consistent with Sunshine's last rate case and all necessary pro forma adjustments for the requested plant improvements and associated retirements.

Please file the original and five copies of the requested information by Friday, February 25, 2000, with Ms. Blanca Bayo, Director, Division of Records and Reporting, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida, 32399-0850. Please feel free to call me at (850) 413-6185 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



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