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Several years ago, when we retired, we chose to move from Jacksonville to a rural area in Nassau County. We were able to build and maintain a nice home primarily because of low taxes and utility costs. Now, after over 12 years, someone has decided that we shouldn't have these benefits. Our well and septic tanks have been more than satisfactory all this time, but the United Water Company apparently has decided we shouldn't have these benefits - we need their services whether we want them or not.

Most of our neighbors are either retired, as we are, or work at one of the paper mills in the area. We have, for the most part, fixed incomes and prefer to continue to depend on our natural sewage and water systems. We would surely appreciate your denying the application of United Water to extend their services to this area.

Probably in the future as this area along the A1A Corridor becomes more and more crowded - there will be the necessity for public water and sewage along that highway, but please leave us who live well away from that Corridor alone -
Thomas J. & Barbara Bennett

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