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Public Service Commission

September 21, 2000

Citizens First Bank  
1129 Main Street  
The Villages, Florida 32159

Re: Account Num  
(Docket No. 960305-WS)

Little Sumter Utility Company

Dear Sir or Madam:

As the Florida Public Service Commission's designated agent in such matters, and as a signatory on the above-referenced escrow account, I hereby authorize you to release \$231.00 from the account to Little Sumter Utility Company. I have enclosed a copy of the Company's Request to Release Funds from Escrow and a copy of Commission staff's authorization for release of the indicated amount pursuant to Commission Order No. PSC-96-1132-FOF-WS.

Please do not hesitate to call if you have any questions concerning this matter.

Sincerely,

*Blanca S. Bayó*  
Blanca S. Bayó

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Enclosure

cc: Rosanne Gervasi, Division of Legal Services  
Tiffany Davis, Division of Economic Regulation  
John F. Wise, Treasurer, Little Sumter Utility Company

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**DATE:** SEPTEMBER 19, 2000  
**TO:** DIVISION OF RECORDS AND REPORTING (BAYO)  
**FROM:** TIFFANY DAVIS, DIVISION OF ECONOMIC REGULATION  
ROSANNE GERVASI, DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES *msd for RV*  
**RE:** REQUEST BY LITTLE SUMTER UTILITY COMPANY TO RELEASE  
FUNDS FROM ESCROW ACCOUNT *DM*

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By Order No. PSC-96-1132-FOF-WS, issued in Docket 960305-WS on September 10, 1996, the Commission directed Little Sumter Utility Company to establish an escrow account that can only be used to fund conservation programs approved by the Southwest Florida Water Management District. The order required that a request to release funds from the escrow account be accompanied by an explanation of the specific use of the funds and documentation that the funds will be used to further a conservation program approved by the water management district.

On September 19, 2000, the utility filed the attached Request to Release Funds from Escrow. According to the Request, the utility expended \$231.00 on a newspaper advertising program targeted at reducing water consumption. Along with this Request, the utility provided copies of the newspaper advertisements, invoices and Proof of Publication from The Daily Sun Newspaper. These advertisements have been approved by the Southwest Florida Water Management District. The attachments are being retained in the Division of Economic Regulation for our future reference.

Accordingly, the utility's request to release funds from the escrow account should be authorized. Pursuant to the escrow account, the bank will disburse funds to the utility upon written instructions of the Commission through the Director of the Division of Records and Reporting. Staff therefore requests that you provide written instructions to Citizens First Bank to release \$231.00 from the escrow account to Little Sumter Utility Company.

cc: Division of Economic Regulation (McCaskill)  
Division of Policy Analysis & Intergovernmental Liaison (Bethea, Golden)

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
DIVISION OF ECONOMIC REGULATION

IN RE: Application for rate ) Docket No. 960305-WS  
increase in Sumter County by )  
**LITTLE SUMTER UTILITY COMPANY** )  
\_\_\_\_\_ )

**REQUEST TO RELEASE FUNDS FROM ESCROW**

LITTLE SUMTER UTILITY COMPANY ("Little Sumter"), by and through its undersigned officer and pursuant to Order No. PSC-96-1132-FOF-WS, requests the Director of the Division of Records and Reporting to provide written instructions to the Citizens First Bank ("Bank") to release \$231.00 from the escrow account held in such Bank, and in support thereof states:

1. Order No. 96-1132-FOF-WS established an escrow account to be used to pay for conservation programs targeted to make customers reduce their consumption.
2. Little Sumter has expended the following amounts of money on a newspaper advertising program targeted at reducing water consumption:


Daily Sun Newspaper – August 2000 advertising    \$231.00

3. Copies of invoices are attached as Composite Exhibit "A".
4. Copies of the newspaper advertisements and the dates of publication are attached hereto as Exhibit "B".
5. Pursuant to the Escrow Agreement, the Bank shall disburse funds to Little Sumter upon written instructions of the FPSC, Director of Division of Records and Reporting.
6. The newspaper conservation advertisements have all been previously reviewed by the Southwest Florida Water Management District.

WHEREFORE, Little Sumter requests the Director of Records and Reporting provide written instructions to the Bank to pay \$231.00 from the escrow account to little Sumter.

Respectfully submitted on this  
14th day of September, 2000, by:

Little Sumter Utility Company  
1100 Main Street  
The Villages, FL 32159  
(352) 753-6270

By:   
John F. Wise  
Treasurer

**ADVERTISING INVOICE/STATEMENT**

| Page # | Billing Date |
|--------|--------------|
| 1      | 09/01/00     |

| From   |
|--|
| DAILY SUN<br>1153 Main Street<br>The Villages, FL 32159<br>Phone: 352-753-1119 |

| Billing Period      | Terms of payment |
|---------------------|------------------|
| 08/01/00 - 09/01/00 | 30 days          |

| Billed Account   |
|--|
| JOHN PARKER<br>LITTLE SUMTER UTILITIES<br>1100 MAIN ST<br>THE VILLAGES, FL 32159 |

| Billed Account #          | Phone #       |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| 06100040-000              | (352)753-6270 |
| Name of Advertiser/Client |               |
| LITTLE SUMTER UTILITIES   |               |

| Date            | Reference # | Charges or Credits<br>Description/Product Code | Size        | Runs | Billed<br>Units | Rate      | Net<br>Amount |
|-----------------|-------------|--|-------------|------|-----------------|-----------|---------------|
| 06/10/00        | 06553875    | 2007 LIMIT WATER SOFTENING                     | 3.00 x 7.00 | 1    | 21.00           | 11.00 /in | 231.00        |
| 08/14/00        | 06553875    | ck 2698 \$462                                  |             |      |                 |           | -231.00       |
| 07/10/00        | 06557994    | 2008   | 3.00 x 7.00 | 1    | 21.00           | 11.00 /in | 231.00        |
| 08/14/00        | 06557994    | ck 2698 \$462                                  |             |      |                 |           | -231.00       |
| 08/10/00        | 06562231    | 2009 HOW TO SAVE WATER,                        | 3.00 x 7.00 | 1    | 21.00           | 11.00 /in | 231.00        |
| Current Balance |             |  |             |      |                 |           | 231.00        |

| Total Balance Due | Current Net Amount | 1-30 | 31-60 | Over 60 |
|-------------------|--------------------|------|-------|---------|
| 231.00            | 231.00             | 0.00 | 0.00  | 0.00    |

Please cut along dotted line.

**REMITTANCE ADVICE**

Detach and return this portion with your payment.

Any payment received after the 26th will not be posted until the following month

| Remit To   |
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| DAILY SUN<br>1153 Main Street<br>The Villages, FL 32159<br>Phone: 352-753-1119 |

| Billed Account # | Billed Customer Name    | Amount Enclosed |
|------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| 06100040-000     | LITTLE SUMTER UTILITIES |                 |

All amounts shall be due and payable in The Villages, Florida within 30 days of billing date.  
 All past due amounts will accrue interest at a rate of eighteen (18%) percent per annum.

# Proof of Publication

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF LAKE

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared, Paul J. Stubler, who is Marketing Director of the DAILY SUN, a daily newspaper published in Lake County, Florida: that the attached copy of the legal advertisement appeared in said newspaper in the issues of:

August 10, 2000

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Affiant further says that said DAILY SUN is a newspaper published by The Villages of Lake-Sumter Counties, Inc., in Lake County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in Lake County, Florida, and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in Lady Lake, in said Lake County, Florida for a period of one year next preceeding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement: and affiant further says that he has neither paid nor promised any person, firm or corporation any discount, rebate, commission or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in this newspaper.

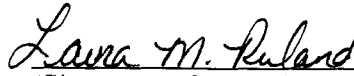


(Signature of affiant)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of September 20, 00



Laura M. Ruland  
MY COMMISSION # CC810723 EXPIRES  
February 21, 2003  
BONDED THRU TROY FAIN INSURANCE, INC

  
(Signature of notary)

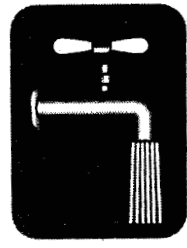
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The average adult needs only 2-1/2 quarts of water a day to maintain health, but each person in Florida uses about 120 to 150 gallons of water a day. And, with thousands of people moving to our state each month, future demand on fresh water supplies will continue to increase. That's why it's important to use water wisely (whether there's a drought or not) in our homes, schools and businesses. By conserving water today, we can do our part to keep water pure and plentiful for future generations.



### Little Sumter Utility Company

**NEWS WORK**

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