

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VOTE SHEET

SEPTEMBER 26, 2000

RE: DOCKET NO. 001140-WS - Petition of Florida Water Services Corporation for approval of monthly billing tariffs for former customers of Tangerine Water Company, Inc.

Issue 1: Should Florida Water's proposed tariff to change billing periods from a quarterly billing period to a monthly billing period be approved? Recommendation: Yes. Proposed Original Tariff Sheets Nos. 90.50 and 90.52, filed on August 14, 2000, and revised Original Tariff Sheets Nos. 90.51 and 90.53, filed on August 21, 2000, to change billing periods from a quarterly billing period to a monthly billing period, should be approved. The Commission should acknowledge the withdrawal of Original Tariff Sheets Nos. 90.51 and 90.53 filed on August 14, 2000. The tariff should become effective for service rendered on or after the stamped approval date on the tariff sheets, pursuant to Rule 25-30.475(1), Florida Administrative Code, provided the customers have received notice.

APPROVED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

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REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

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Issue 2: Should Florida Water be allowed to implement private fire protection rates, and if so, what are the appropriate rates?

Recommendation: Yes. The utility should be allowed to implement private fire protection rates. The private fire protection tariffed rates should be calculated and set equivalent to one-twelfth of the tariffed general service base facility charges in accordance with Rule 25-30.465, Florida Administrative Code. The tariff should become effective for service rendered on or after the stamped approval date on the tariff sheets, pursuant to Rule 25-30.475(1), Florida Administrative Code, provided the customers have received notice.

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Issue 3: Should the docket be closed?

Recommendation: If Issues 1 and 2 are approved, these tariffs should become effective on or after the stamped approval date on the tariff sheets, pursuant to Rule 25-30.475, Florida Administrative Code. If a protest is filed, Florida Water should continue billing in accordance with its existing tariffs pending resolution of the protest, and the docket should remain open. If no timely protest is filed, this docket should be closed upon the issuance of a Consummating Order.

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