

ORIGINAL

REQUEST TO ESTABLISH DOCKET  
(PLEASE TYPE)

Date 08/06/01

Docket No. 011034-WS

1. Division Name/Staff Name ECR/ Fitch, Rendell
2. OPR ECR
3. OCR Legal
4. Suggested Docket Title Request for approval of a late payment charge by W.P. Utilities, Inc.
5. Suggested Docket Mailing List (attach separate sheet if necessary)
  - A. Provide NAMES ONLY for regulated companies or ACRONYMS ONLY regulated industries, as shown in Rule 25-22.104, F.A.C.
  - B. Provide COMPLETE name and address for all others. (Match representatives to clients.)
    1. Parties and their representatives (if any)

W.P. Utilities, Inc.

Mr. Roger Medema

3500 West Lantana Road

Lantana, FL 33462

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2. Interested Persons and their representatives (if any)

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6. Check one:

Documentation is attached.

Documentation will be provided with recommendation.

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PSC/RAR 10 (Revised 01/96)

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# W.P. UTILITIES, INC.

3500 W. Lantana Road • Lantana, Florida 33462 • (561) 433-8223 • Fax: (561) 969-6292

Mr. Ryan Fitch  
Fla. Public Service Commission  
(ECR Division)  
2540 Shumard Oak Blvd.  
Tallahassee, FL. 32399

July 31, 2001

ECONOMIC REGULATION

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FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE

RE: Request for late payment charge

Dear Mr. Fitch:

W P Utilities, Inc. is hereby requesting it be allowed to charge a late fee of \$4.85 for each account not paid by the due date.

A past due fee of \$4.85 per account is requested because of the following direct costs:

Office Personnel, time to search accounts, review and verify payment has NOT been received - aprox. 10 minutes = \$3.00  
(The W P bookkeeper is paid at the rate of \$18.00/hour)

5 minutes for the above person to print late notice = 1.50

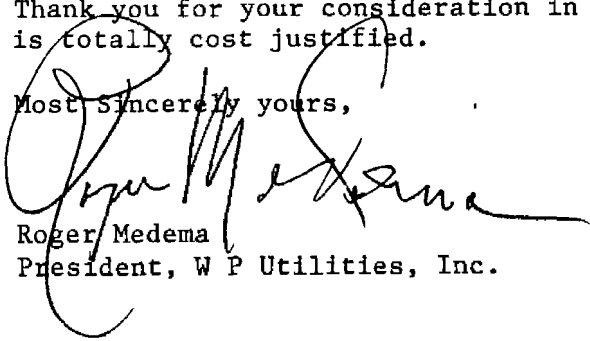
Postage, for standard envelope = .34

Cost of envelope, paper = .01

\$ 4.85

Thank you for your consideration in this matter. I feel the above request is totally cost justified.

Most Sincerely yours,

  
Roger Medema  
President, W P Utilities, Inc.

Attached: Water & Wastewater Tariff sheet

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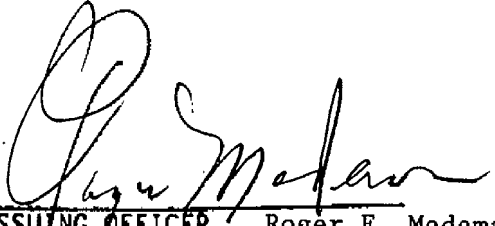
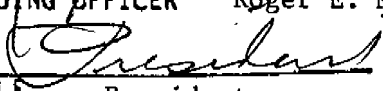
ORIGINAL SHEET 19.1

WATER TARIFF

LATE PAYMENT CHARGES - A \$4.85 late fee charge will be levied when a customer's account is not paid in full by the due date.

EFFECTIVE DATE:

TYPE OF FILING: Tariff for late payment charge.

  
ISSUING OFFICER Roger E. Medema  
  
TITLE President

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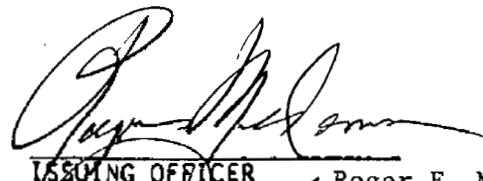
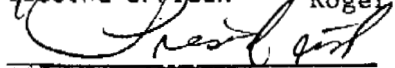
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WASTEWATER TARIFF

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