

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Natural gas conservation
cost recovery.

DOCKET NO. 010004-GU

DATED: OCTOBER 15, 2001

STAFF'S PRELIMINARY LIST OF ISSUES AND POSITIONS

Pursuant to the Order Establishing Procedure entered in this docket, the Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission hereby files its Preliminary List of Issues and Positions.

ISSUE 1: What is the final end of the period true-up amount for the period January 2000 through December 2000?

POSITION:

CUC:	no position at this time
CGC:	\$ 631,142 Under Recovery
FPU:	no position at this time
PGS:	\$ 443,731 Over Recovery
SJNG:	\$ 11,331 Under Recovery
PGWF:	\$ 758,566 Under Recovery

ISSUE 2: What is the appropriate conservation cost recovery factors for the period January 2002 through December 2002?

POSITION:

CUC:	<u>Rate Class</u>	<u>ECCR Factor</u>
	GS - Residential	No position at this time
	GS - Commercial	No position at this time
	GS - Commercial (Large Volume)	No position at this time
	GS - Industrial	No position at this time
	Firm Transportation	No position at this time
CGC:	<u>Rate Class</u>	<u>ECCR Factor</u>
	RS - Residential	.04993 cents/therm

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CS - Commercial	.01431 cents/therm
LCS - Commercial (Large Volume)	.00948 cents/therm
GS- Industrial	.00836 cents/therm

FPU:	<u>Rate Class</u>	<u>ECCR Factor</u>
	Residential	No position at this time
	Commercial	No position at this time
	Commercial (Large Volume)	No position at this time
	Firm Transportation	No position at this time

PGS:	<u>Rate Class</u>	<u>ECCR Factor</u>
	Residential	.06023 cents/therm
	Small Commercial	.05243 cents/therm
	Commercial	.02202 cents/therm
	Comm. Lg Vol I	.01794 cents/therm
	Comm. Lg Vol II	.01302 cents/therm
	Street Lighting	.00760 cents/therm
	NGVS	.00594 cents/therm

SJNG:	<u>Rate Class</u>	<u>ECCR Factor</u>
	Residential	.03012 cents/therm
	Commercial	.02581 cents/therm
	Commercial (Large Volume)	.01195 cents/therm

PGWF:	<u>Rate Class</u>	<u>ECCR Factor</u>
	Residential	.12793 cents/therm
	Commercial	.04024 cents/therm
	Commercial (Large Volume)	.03021 cents/therm
	Industrial	.02973 cents/therm

ISSUE 3: What should be the effective date of the cost recovery factors for billing purposes?

POSITION:

The factors should be effective beginning with the specified conservation cost recovery cycle and thereafter for the period January, 2002, through December, 2002. Billing cycles may start before January 1, 2002, and the last cycle may be read after December 31, 2002, so that each customer is billed for twelve months regardless of when the adjustment factor became effective.

ISSUE 4: What is the appropriate treatment of FPUC's promotional advertising items and television commercial advertising?

POSITION:

FPUC's promotional advertising does not meet the requirements set by Rule 25-17.015, Florida Administrative Code, for advertisements directly related to an approved conservation program. The items and the commercial do not follow the standards set forth by the rule in that they do not:

- 1) Identify a specific problem;
- 2) State how to correct the problem; or
- 3) Provide direction concerning how to obtain help to alleviate the problem.

Respectfully submitted,

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