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Water Management Services, Inc.

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September 3, 2003

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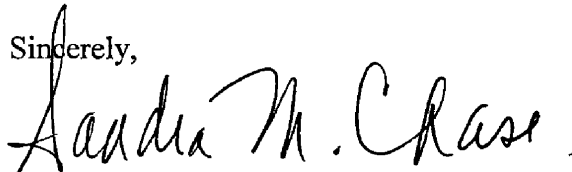
Ms. Blanca S. Bayo'
Records and Reporting
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Blvd.
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 000694-WU

Dear Ms. Bayo':

Enclosed is an original and one copy of Affidavit of Notice certifying that our customer notice was mailed on September 3, 2003. Please file this in the above-referenced docket.

Sincerely,



Sandra M. Chase

Enclosure

cc: Trish Merchant
Jan Kyle
Adrienne Vining
Richard D. Melson

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Petition of Water Management Services, Inc. for a Limited Proceeding to Increase Water Rates in Franklin County) Docket No. 000694-WU

AFFIDAVIT OF NOTICE

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Gene D. Brown who, first being duly sworn, deposes and says:

- 1. That he is President of Water Management Services, Inc.
2. That on September 3, 2003 he caused the Notice of Temporary Rate Increase attached as Exhibit A to be sent by U.S. Mail, first class postage prepaid, to all customers of Water Management Services, Inc.

FURTHER DEPONENT SAYETH NOT.

Handwritten signature of Gene D. Brown over a horizontal line.

SWORN TO and subscribed before me, by Gene D. Brown who

(X) is personally known to me, or

() produced _____ as identification,

this 3rd day of September, 2003.

Handwritten signature of Sandra M. Chase over a horizontal line, with 'Notary Public' printed below.



Sandra M. Chase
MY COMMISSION # CC862002 EXPIRES
November 17, 2003
BONDED THRU TROY FARM INSURANCE, INC.

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FPSC - COMMISSION CLERK

**NOTICE OF TEMPORARY RATE INCREASE
WATER MANAGEMENT SERVICES, INC.**

The Florida Public Service Commission has approved Phase II of a temporary rate increase to allow Water Management Services, Inc. (Utility) to cover the cost of installing a new water transmission main to St. George Island and making certain fire flow and related improvements on the island. The new water transmission main is required because the Department of Transportation is building a new bridge to the island and will be demolishing the bridge to which the Utility's current water transmission main is attached.

The Phase II temporary rates are expected to remain in effect until approximately September 2004, at which time the Commission is expected to complete its examination of the final costs of the project and to set permanent rates to cover the Utility's cost. The Utility expects that the final rates will not differ significantly from the Phase II rates. When the final rates are set, both the Phase II temporary rates and the previously-approved Phase I temporary rates will be subject to true-up to the extent that the Utility has either over-recovered or under-recovered costs during the construction period.

The approved Phase II temporary rates, which will appear on bills rendered after the Commission has approved new tariff sheets, are as follows:

Meter Size	Base Facility Charge per Month
5/8" x 3/4"	\$ 33.06
1"	\$ 82.66
1 1/2"	\$ 165.34
2"	\$ 264.52
3" Compound	\$ 529.03
3" Turbine	\$ 578.67
4" Compound	\$ 826.50
4" Turbine	\$ 991.98
6" Compound	\$1,653.00
6" Turbine	\$2,066.64
8" Compound	\$2,644.80
8" Turbine	\$2,975.40
10" Compound	\$3,801.90
10" Turbine	\$4,793.70
12" Compound	\$6,281.40
Gallonge Charge per 1,000 Gallons	\$ 3.13

Written comments regarding this proceeding may be sent to the Commission at the following address and should refer to Docket No. 000694-WU, which is the docket number that has been assigned to this case.

Director, Division of Commission Clerk and Administrative Services
Florida Public Service Commission
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