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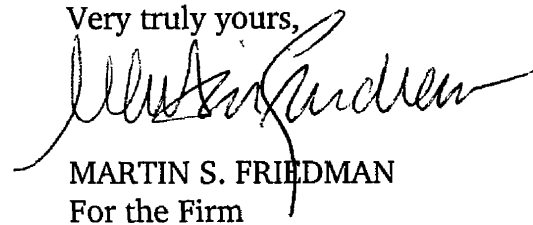
Re: Docket No.: 030443-SU; Application of Labrador Utilities, Inc., for Rate Increase in Pasco
County, Florida
Our File No.: 30057.64

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed please find for filing in the above-referenced docket the original and fifteen (15)
copies of the Notice of Filing and Affidavit of Mailing Notice of Interim Rate Increase.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,



MARTIN S. FRIEDMAN
For the Firm

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cc: Mr. Steven M. Lubertozzi (w/o enclosure)
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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application of
LABRADOR UTILITIES, INC., for
an increase in water and wastewater
rates in Pasco County, Florida

DOCKET NO. 030443-SU

NOTICE OF FILING

Applicant, LABRADOR UTILITIES, INC., hereby gives notice of filing the Affidavit
of Mailing the Notice of Interim Rate Increase in the above-referenced docket.

Respectfully submitted on this
16th day of February, 2004 by:

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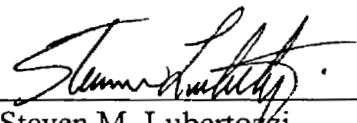
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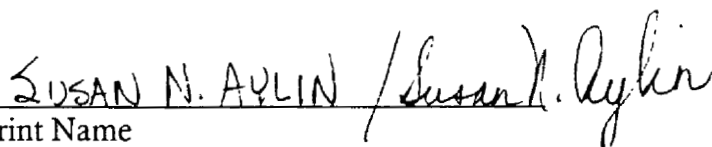
Before me, the undersigned authority, authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgments, personally appeared STEVEN M. LUBERTOZZI, who, after being duly sworn on oath, did depose and say that he is the Director, Regulatory Accounting, of Utilities, Inc., the sole shareholder of Labrador Utilities, Inc., and that on February 10, 2004, he caused to be served by regular U.S. Mail a copy of the Notice of Interim Rate Increase for Labrador Utilities, Inc. attached hereto.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.

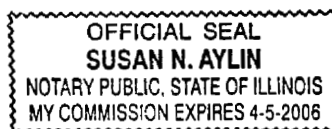


Steven M. Lubertozzi

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of February, 2004, by STEVEN M. LUBERTOZZI, who is personally known to me.



Print Name
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My Commission Expires: 4-5-2006



Notice of Interim Rate Increase

Labrador Utilities, Inc.
PSC Docket No.: 030443-WS

On February 3, 2004, the Florida Public Service Commission approved interim water and wastewater rates for Labrador Utilities, Inc. The interim rates will be collected subject to refund, pending the Florida Public Service Commission's final decision regarding final rates. If a refund is ordered, it will include interest based upon the Commission determined factors. The Utility is currently scheduled to file its final rate proposal by June 30, 2004. A customer notice will be mailed within 50 days of the official date of filing which will provide the proposed final rates and other details about the case.

A listing of the approved interim rates on a monthly basis is set forth below:

WATER

	<u>Previously Approved</u>	<u>Currently Approved Interim</u>
<u>Residential</u>		
Basic Facility Charge: Flat Rates		
Mobile Home Park, per lot	\$ 4.50	\$ 16.33
R.V. Resort, per lot	\$ 3.00	\$ 10.89

WASTEWATER

	<u>Previously Approved</u>	<u>Currently Approved Interim</u>
<u>Residential</u>		
Base Facility Charge: Flat Rate		
Mobile Home Park, per lot	\$ 10.50	\$ 22.79
R.V. Resort, per lot	\$ 7.00	\$ 15.19

Written comments regarding the Utility's service or the final rate proposal, after notice of such proposal has been provided, may be sent to the Commission at the following address:

Director, Division of Commission Clerk and Administrative Services
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

All comments should refer to Docket No. 030443-WS which is the docket number that has been assigned to this case.

The interim rates will be effective February 10, 2004. The prorated increase for February is included in the current bill. If you have any questions, please call the Utility's office at (407) 869-1919. Be sure to have your account number on hand for quick reference.

Labrador Utilities, Inc.

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