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Homeowners Forest Mere Preserve Bonita Springs, FI 34135

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Director Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak blvd Tallahassee, FL 32399-0870

Enc: signatures of homeowners, letter from Ruden McClosky

Dear Director:

We, the homeowners in the Forest Mere (Bonita Preserve) association object to Gistro, Inc. receiving a certificate of authorization for a wastewater certificate.

The property description is listed in the attached letter we have received from Ruden McClosky.

The following is a list of objections:

- We believe that the sewer lift stations and property are NOT owned by Gistro. It is our understanding that it was lost in bankruptcy.
- 2. Based on knowledge from other sources, those stations are not up to code.
- Approximately 3 years ago, the station on Red Hibiscus Dr, overflowed and raw sewage flooded the streets. Bonita Springs Utilities were called to clean it up. It is our understanding that this happened more than once. The Health Dept. and several other agencies were called but no one was interested in our plight.
- 4. Mills Homes and First Home Builders purchased and developed the remaining properties and when they did not pay Gistro, Inc. hook ups fees for the stations, (Gistro had no license, no proof of ownership) Fritz Holzberg, owner of Gistro, seriously vandalized the homes sewer lines. He did so by cutting, capping and pouring concrete down the lines. Then he would turn on all the water and flood the inside of the homes. Some of this was done before the homes were completed but many times it was just after closing. The new owners could not live in their homes. The people who purchased from Mills homes were left to bear the expenses. First Homes filed a lawsuit and eventually paid Gistro a sum of money so he would stop the vandalism.
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#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AN INITIAL WASTEWATER CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORIZATION AND INITIAL RATES AND CHARGES IN LEE COUNTY BY GISTRO, INC.

Notice is hereby given on July 20, 2005 pursuant to Section 367.045, Florida Statutes, by

Gistro, Inc., P.O. Box 110131, Naples, Florida 34108, of its application to the Florida Public

Service Commission for an initial certificate of authorization for a wastewater certificate and

initial rates and charges, for the following territory located in Lee County, Florida:

The North  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 25, Township 47 South, Range 25 East, less and except the following parcel: Commencing at the East  $\frac{1}{4}$  corner, also the Point of Beginning, thence run a distance of 540 feet due West, thence run South 9 degrees East a distance of 1350 feet, thence run 300 feet due East to the East line of said Section, thence run due North a distance of 1280 feet to the Point of Beginning.

Any objections to the said application must be made in writing and filed with the Director, Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870, no later than thirty (30) days after the last date that the notice was mailed or published, whichever is later. At the same time, a copy of said objection should be mailed to Kathryn G.W. Cowdery, Ruden, McClosky, 215 South Monroe Street, Suite 815, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, (850) 412-2000, Attorneys for Gistro, Inc. The objection must state the grounds for the objection with particularity.

July 26, 2005

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KATHRYN G.W. COWDERY, RUDEN, MCCLOSKY 215 S. Monroe Street Suite 815 Tallahassee, Florida 32301

Please see NOTICE OF APPLICATION regarding the Homeowners of Forest Mere Homeowners Association for an initial wastewater certificate (please see your letter attached)

# THE FOLLOWING HOMEOWNERS OBJECT TO THE WASTEWATER CERTIFICATE AS OUTLINED IN ATTACHED LETTER

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