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REPLY TO CENTRAL FLORIDA OFFICE

July 28, 2006

BY HAND DELIVERY

Ms. Blanca Bayo Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Director Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399 <u>Central Florida Office</u> Sanlando Center 2180 W. State Road 434, Suite 2118 Longwood, Florida 32779 (407) 830-6331 Fax (407) 830-8522

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Re: Docket No.: 050281-WS; Application of Plantation Bay Utility Company for Increase in Water and Wastewater Rates in Volusia County, Florida <u>Our File No.: 36062.06</u>

Should you have any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to give me

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COM _____ Dear Ms. Bayo:

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ECR _____Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is the Affidavit of Mailing Notice ______to Customers.

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VLL/tlc Enclosures

Mr. Bart Fletcher, Division of Economic Regulation (w/enc.) (by hand delivery)
Mr. Douglas R. Ross, Jr. (w/o enc.) (by U.S. Mail)
Ms. Jean Trinder (w/o enc.) (by U.S. Mail)
Ms. Nancy Boccuzzi (w/enclosures) (by U.S. Mail)

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Before me, the undersigned authority, authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgments, personally appeared NANCY BOCCUZZI, who, after being duly sworn on oath, did depose on oath and say that she is the administrative clerk of Plantation Bay Utility Company, and that on July 25, 2006, she did send by regular U.S. mail, a copy of the Customer Notice attached hereto to each of the customers of Plantation Bay Utility Company.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.

Lancy Boccuzze

Sworn to and subscribed before me this $25^{+/-}$ day of July, 2006, by <u>NANCY</u> <u> $\beta c c 0 221$ </u>, who is personally known to me, or who produced <u> $\beta \in RSONALLY$ </u> <u>KNowN</u> as identification.

NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF FLORIDA My Commission Expires: MAKCH 31, 2008



PLANTATION BAY UTILITY CO.

CUSTOMER NOTICE

ISSUED: July 25, 2006

On September 1, 2005, Plantation Bay Utility Co. (*Utility*), completed its application to the Florida Public Service Commission (*Commission*) for increased water and wastewater service rates. It its application, the Utility requested an interim rate increase, and a final rate increase of 30.95% for its water operations and a final rate increase of 179.51% for its wastewater operations. The Commission approved an interim wastewater rate increase subject to refund with interest by Order No. PSC-05-1039-PCO-WS, dated October 24, 2005.

At the Agenda Conference held on February 7, 2006, the Commission took action on the Utility's application. By Proposed Agency Action Order No. PSC-06-0170-PAA-WS, subsequently amended by Order No. PSC-06-0170A-PAA-WS (*PAA Order*), issued March 9, 2006, the Commission proposed to approve a rate decrease of 16.60% for the Utility's water operations, and a rate increase of 59.04% for the Utility's wastewater operations. These rates were designed to allow the Utility the opportunity to recover its reasonable and prudent costs for providing service, and a reasonable rate of return on its investment in facilities necessary to provide such water and wastewater service.

The PAA Order was protested by the Office of Public Counsel, on behalf of the citizens of the State of Florida (*OPC*). Subsequently, the Utility and OPC reached a settlement, which was submitted to the Commission for its approval by both the Utility and OPC. At the Agenda Conference on July 18, 2006, the Commission approved the settlement agreement.

The increased rates are effective for service on or after July 26, 2006

The original rates, the implemented rates, and the newly approved rates for water and wastewater service are attached to this customer notice.

Sincerely,

PLANTATION BAY UTILITY CO.