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January 9, 2007

HAND DELIVERY

Ms. Blanca Bayo
Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Director
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399

RE: Docket No. 060246-WS; Gold Coast Utility Corp.'s Application for an Increase in
Water and Wastewater Rates in Polk, County, Florida
Our File No.: 40057.05

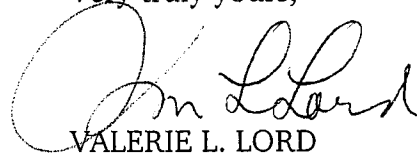
Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing is the Notice of Filing the Affidavit of Mailing the Initial Customer
Notice to the customers of Gold Coast Utility Corp.

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

- CMP _____
- COM _____
- CTR _____
- ECR _____
- GCL _____
- OPC _____ VLL/tlc
- RCA _____ Enclosures
- SCR _____ cc: Mr. Keith Burge (w/enclosures)
- SGA _____ M:\1 ALTAMONTE\GOLD COAST UTILITY CORP\(.05) 2005 RATE CASE\PSC Clerk (AOM initial Notice) 09.ltr.wpd
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Very truly yours,



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For the Firm

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application of
GOLD COAST UTILITY CORP.
for an increase in water and wastewater
rates in Polk County, Florida

DOCKET NO. 060246-WS

NOTICE OF FILING AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING

Applicant, GOLD COAST UTILITY CORP., by and through its undersigned attorneys,
hereby gives notice of filing in the above-referenced docket the Affidavit of Mailing the
Initial Customer Notice.

Respectfully submitted on this 9th day of January,
2007, by:

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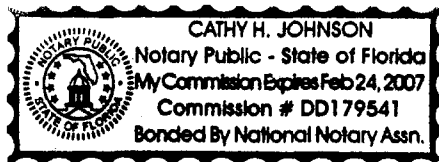
COUNTY OF POLK

Before me, the undersigned authority, authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgments, personally appeared DAVID K. PEARCE, who, after being duly sworn on oath, did depose and say that he is the General Manager of Gold Coast Utility Corp., and that on December 13, 2006, he did send by regular U.S. Mail a copy of the Initial Customer Notice in the form attached hereto to each of the customers of the utility.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.

David K. Pearce
David K. Pearce

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of January, 2007, by David K. Pearce, who is personally known to me or has produced _____ as identification.



Cathy H. Johnson
Print Name Cathy H. Johnson
NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF FLORIDA
My Commission Expires:

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

INITIAL CUSTOMER NOTICE

TO THE CUSTOMERS OF
GOLD COAST UTILITY CORP.
AND
ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

RE: DOCKET NO.: 060246-WS

APPLICATION FOR INCREASE IN WATER AND WASTEWATER RATES
IN POLK COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY GOLD COAST UTILITY CORP.

DATED: December 13, 2006

BACKGROUND

On August 18, 2006, Gold Coast Utility Corp. (*Utility*) filed an application with the Florida Public Service Commission (*Commission*) for increased water and wastewater rates for its customers in Polk County. The application was assigned Docket No. 060246-WS and November 3, 2006, was established as the official date of filing. The general reason for the requested increases is because of inadequate earnings.

Copies of the petition, the minimum filing requirements (*MFRs*) and rate case synopsis are available for inspection during normal office hours at the Utility's offices and as follows:

Gold Coast Utility Corp.
10389 W. Leisure Lane
Nalcrest, FL 33856

Office Hours: Monday through Friday
8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

CURRENT AND PROPOSED RATES AND CHARGES

The Utility's rates prior to filing, the requested interim and final rates, and the Commission approved interim rates and charges follow. These rates are subject to change based on information gathered at the customer meeting, further Commission Staff review, and the final decision by the Commissioners.

WATER SYSTEM

Residential Service

<u>Class/Meter Size</u>	<u>Present Rates</u>	<u>Requested Interim Rates</u>	<u>Requested Final Rates</u>	<u>Commission Approved Interim Rates</u>
All Meter Sizes	\$7.19	\$7.84	\$20.46	\$7.82
Gallage Charge (per 1,000 gallons)	\$1.03	\$1.12	\$3.19	\$1.12

<u>Class/Meter Size</u>	<u>Present Rates</u>	<u>Requested Interim Rates</u>	<u>Requested Final Rates</u>	<u>Commission Approved Interim Rates</u>
5/8" x 3/4"	\$18.46	\$20.12	\$20.46	\$20.08
1"	\$46.15	\$50.30	\$51.15	\$50.19
1 1/2"	\$92.28	\$100.59	\$102.30	\$100.36
2"	\$147.64	\$160.93	\$163.68	\$160.56
3"	\$295.20	\$321.77	\$327.36	\$321.03
4"	N/A	N/A	\$511.50	N/A
6"	N/A	N/A	\$1,023.00	N/A
Gallage Charge (per 1,000 gallons)	\$1.03	\$1.12	\$3.19	\$12.00

WASTEWATER SYSTEM

Residential Service

<u>Class/Meter Size</u>	<u>Present Rates</u>	<u>Requested Interim Rates</u>	<u>Requested Final Rates</u>	<u>Commission Approved Interim Rates</u>
All Meter Sizes	\$12.62	\$18.30	\$37.08	\$18.32
Gallage Charge (per 1,000 gallons - 10,000 gallon maximum)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.74	\$0.00

General Service

<u>Class/Meter Size</u>	<u>Present Rates</u>	<u>Requested Interim Rates</u>	<u>Requested Final Rates</u>	<u>Commission Approved Interim Rates</u>
5/8" x 3/4"	\$24.24	\$35.15	\$37.08	\$35.19
1"	\$60.63	\$87.91	\$92.70	\$88.01
1 1/2"	\$121.24	\$175.80	\$185.40	\$175.99
2"	\$193.98	\$281.27	\$296.64	\$281.57
3"	\$387.98	\$562.57	\$556.20	\$563.18
4"	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$927.00	\$0.00
6"	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,854.00	\$0.00
Gallage Charge (per 1,000 gallons)	\$1.60	\$2.32	\$4.39	\$2.32

SERVICE AVAILABILITY CHARGES

The Utility is not requesting any changes to its service availability charges. Even though not requested to do so, the Commission may review and adjust service availability charges.

MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE CHARGES

The Utility is not requesting any changes to its miscellaneous service charges.

RATE CASE SCHEDULE

In addition to the customer meeting notice described above, other important dates in the rate application are as follows:

<u>Schedule Item</u>	<u>Due Dates</u>
Staff Audit Report	January 5, 2007
Customer Meeting	February 20, 2007
Staff's PAA Recommendation	March 29, 2007
Agenda Conference on PAA Rates	April 10, 2007
PAA Order Issued	April 30, 2007
Protest Period Expires	May 21, 2007

HOW TO CONTACT THE COMMISSION

Any person who wishes to comment or provide information to Commission Staff may do so at the meetings, either orally or in writing. Other written comments regarding the Utility and the proposed rates, or requests to be placed on the mailing list for this case, may be directed to this address:

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Director, Division of Commission Clerk and Administrative Services
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A courtesy copy of written comments and complaints may be mailed to the following:

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All correspondence should refer to "Docket No. 060246-WS", Gold Coast Utility Corp. Your letter will be placed in the correspondence file of this docket. You may also submit comments through the Florida Public Service Commission's toll-free facsimile line at 1-800-511-0809, or the Commission's website available at <http://floridapsc.com/consumers/complaint/index.cfm>.

If you wish to contact the Florida Public Service Commission regarding complaints about service, you may call the Commission's Division of Regulatory and Consumer Assistance at the following toll-free number 1-800-342-3552.

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