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The Vantage Development Corporation
Joseph Hazellief, President
1595 S.E. 32nd Avenue
Okeechobee, FL 34974

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Re: Re: Application for Staff Assisted Rate Case in Okeechobee County by The Vantage Development Corporation

Dear Mr. Hazellief:

We have determined eligibility for staff assistance filed by The Vantage Development Corporation. We find that the utility is eligible for the staff assisted rate case filing.

We have received your filing fee in the amount of \$1,000 for wastewater. The fee is based on the capacity of the utility systems as provided by Section 367.145(2) of the Florida Statutes.

Section 367.091(2), Florida Statutes, provides:

Upon filing an application for new rates, the utility shall mail a copy of the application to the chief executive officer of the governing body of each county within the service areas included in the rate request. The governing body may petition the commission for leave to intervene in the rate change proceeding and the commission shall grant intervenor status to any governing body that files a petition.

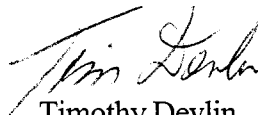
Please forward a copy of The Vantage Development's application for a SARC to the Chief Executive Officer of Okeechobee County as required by law, and copy the Commission as proof that an application was forwarded to them.

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Members of Commission staff will contact you to schedule a convenient time for examination of the utility's books and records and physical plant. If you have any questions regarding the rate proceeding, please call Troy Rendell at (850) 413- 6934.

Sincerely,



Timothy Devlin
Director

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cc: Division of Economic Regulation (Hudson, Biggins, Rendell, Bulecza-Banks)
Office of General Counsel (Jaeger)
Division of Commission Clerk and Administrative Services (070074-SU)